



SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | SEPTEMBER 6 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Be Opened! | SEPTEMBER 13 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time "Who Do You Say That I Am?" | SEPTEMBER 20 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time Wisdom from Above |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Isaiah 35:4–7a Psalm 146:7, 8–9, 9–10 James 2:1–5 Mark 7:31–37 | Isaiah 50:5–9a Psalm 116:1–2, 3–4, 5–6, 8–9 James 2:14–18 Mark 8:27–35 | Wisdom 2:12, 17–20 Psalm 54:3–4, 5, 6–8 James 3:16–4:3 Mark 9:30–37 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To allow Jesus to open us to God, ourselves, and others. | To put on the mind and heart of God. | To know what truly makes one great in the eyes of God. |
| GOD WITH US | Jesus helps us see and hear Listen for Jesus Reach out to others | Following Jesus Faith is a gift Serve others like a disciple | Last shall be first Jesus loves children Jesus is everyone's Servant |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Seeing and hearing Jesus Anointing of the sick Helping others be open | Following Jesus Faith Do for others as Jesus did | Last shall be first Christ is in our midst Serving others |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Ephphatha Imitate Jesus Be open to others | Jesus is the Messiah Faith is a free gift Increasing our faith | Jesus, the Servant of All True greatness Genuine service |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Christ heals Ephphatha rite in Baptism Be open to others like Jesus | Jesus is the Messiah Following Jesus Being Catholic | Jesus' self-sacrificing love Honoring the least Serving in Christ's name |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Openness to Jesus God's preferential love for the sick Openness to others | Jesus is the Messiah Titles for Jesus Paschal Mystery and our lives | Jesus' example of service Greatness in God's eyes Serving others |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Jesus opens us We put on Christ in Baptism Living as people open to God and others | The Scriptures help us know the mind of God Jesus is the Messiah Jesus is our model of holiness | Jesus is the Servant of All True greatness in God's eyes Serving as a disciple |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Ephphatha Jesus heals Imitate Jesus' example | Jesus is the Messiah Jesus is sent by the Father Christians profess belief in Jesus as the Christ | Jesus is the model Servant Disciples of Jesus are servants Service makes one great in God's eyes |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Isaiah 35:4–7a Psalm 146:6d–7, 7c–9a, 9bcd–10 James 2:1–5 Mark 7:31–37 | Isaiah 50:4–8a Psalm 116:1–2, 5–6, 8–9 James 2:14–18 Mark 8:31–35 | James 3:17–18 Psalm 122:1–2, 8–9 Mark 9:33–37 |



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| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | SEPTEMBER 27 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time Living Faithfully | OCTOBER 4 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time Created for Community | OCTOBER 11 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time Wisdom of Heart |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Numbers 11:25–29 Psalm 19:8, 10, 12–13, 14 James 5:1–6 Mark 9:38–43, 45, 47–48 | Genesis 2:18–24 Psalm 128:1–2, 3, 4–5, 6 Hebrews 2:9–11 Mark 10:2–16 | Wisdom 7:7–11 Psalm 90:12–13, 14–15, 16–17 Hebrews 4:12–13 Mark 10:17–30 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To discover the sweetness of the precepts of the Lord. | To recognize our dignity as children of God. | To search for, know, and choose the path to God. |
| GOD WITH US | Togetherness in Jesus Right and wrong Friendship and following Jesus | God created us We need companionship God teaches us to love one another | God shares his Wisdom Pray for Wisdom Wise people follow God |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Temptation Right and wrong Christian unity | God created us in his image Marriage and family Caring for community | Wisdom Following God's ways Jesus, the Wisdom of God |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | God's love Holiness Witness to God's love | God the Creator Communion with God Communion among people | Divine Wisdom The path to God Sharing in God's wisdom |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Faithfulness Called to holiness Practicing discipleship | Created in God's image God is a communion of Persons Communion with God and others | Divine Wisdom God's ways Seeking and finding Wisdom |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Living faithfully Obedience to God Knowing God's will | Created in God's image Created for relationship with God Social dimension of the human person | Jesus, the Wisdom of God Serving the poor Eternal life |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Living faithful to God's ways The Church's relationship to the world | Created in God's image Dignity as children of God Solidarity of the human family | Jesus is the Wisdom of God Following the Wisdom of God Free will |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | God gives us free will Making choices Living faithful to God's law | Created in God's image Dignity as children of God Communion with God, others, and all of creation | God's wisdom We share in God's wisdom Learning God's wisdom |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Numbers 11:25–29 Psalm 66:1–3ab, 4–5, 16, 20 James 5:1–6 Mark 9:38–41 | Genesis 2:18–24 Psalm 128:1–2, 3, 4–5 Mark 10:13–16 | Wisdom 7:7–11 Psalm 90:12, 14, 16–17abc Hebrews 4:12–13 Mark 10:17–27 |



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| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | OCTOBER 18 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time Redemptive Service to Others | OCTOBER 25 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Yearning to See | NOVEMBER 1 Solemnity of All Saints Guidelines for Life |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Isaiah 53:10–11 Psalm 33:4–5, 18–19, 20, 22 Hebrews 4:14–16 Mark 10:35–45 | Jeremiah 31:7–9 Psalm 126:1–2, 2–3, 4–5, 6 Hebrews 5:1–6 Mark 10:46–52 | Revelation 7:2–4, 9–14 Psalm 24:1–2, 3–4, 5–6 1 John 3:1–3 Matthew 5:1–12a |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To understand and embrace a life of discipleship. | To know and follow Jesus fills us with joy. | To understand our call to holiness. |
| GOD WITH US | Who is “great”? Saints Self-giving service | Jesus hears us Jesus offers us mercy Faith and trust | Beatitudes Saints Called to saintly behavior |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | True greatness Serving others Sacrament of Holy Orders | Jesus hears us Signs of God’s reign Communion of saints | Beatitudes Sainthood Called to saintly behavior |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Jesus’ redemptive service Discipleship as a way of life Models of discipleship | Jesus is the Way, Truth, and Life Jesus leads us to the Father Following Jesus brings joy | Beatitudes Sainthood Holiness |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Jesus’ redemptive service Discipleship Giving ourselves for others | Jesus restores sight Seeing as God sees Praying for open eyes | Saints Beatitudes Holy people lives the Beatitudes |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Jesus, the Suffering Servant Participating in Jesus’ suffering and death Discipleship | Faith saves Taking up the cross of Christ Joy of discipleship | Beatitudes Called to holiness Church is a communion of saints |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Life of discipleship Jesus’ redemptive service Demands of a life of service | Jesus restores our sight Joy comes from knowing and following Jesus Growing in our relationships | Saints Beatitudes Universal call to holiness |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Becoming a new creation in Baptism Participating in Christ’s death and Resurrection | Faith is a gift from God Faith includes our response Seeing with the eyes of faith | Saints live the Beatitudes The Church is the communion of saints Universal call to holiness |
| CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Hebrews 4:14–16 Psalm 33:4–5, 20, 22 Mark 10:35–45 | Jeremiah 31:7–9 Psalm 126:1–2ab, 4–5, 6 Hebrews 5:1–6 Mark 10:46–52 | Revelation 7:9–10 Psalm 24:1–2, 3–4, 5–6 Matthew 5:1–12ab |



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| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | NOVEMBER 8 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Do Not Fear to Give All | NOVEMBER 15 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Rooted in Justice | NOVEMBER 22 Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ the King Seeking the Kingdom |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | 1 Kings 17:10–16 Psalm 146:7, 8–9, 9–10 Hebrews 9:24–28 Mark 12:38–44 | Daniel 12: 1–3 Psalm 16:5, 8, 9–10, 11 Hebrews 10:11–14, 18 Mark 13:24–32 | Daniel 7:13–14 Psalm 93:1, 1–2, 5 Revelation 1:5–8 John 18:33b–37 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To rely on the Lord. | To practice justice is to shine forever. | To explore the truth and power of the kingdom. |
| GOD WITH US | God provides Our giving and God’s reward Charity | Faith as a light for others Everlasting life with God Angels as guardians | Jesus is King Jesus’ kingdom End of the liturgical year |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Trusting in God Giving all | God’s justice Lighting the way for others Angels as guardians | Christ the King True kingship Kingdom of God |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Trusting in God Being good stewards Remembering those who have died | God’s justice Practicing justice Living forever with God | Christ the King Kingdom of God Building up the Kingdom |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Giving all Relying on God Practicing trust in God | God is just Understanding justice and the common good Practicing justice | Christ’s kingship Power and truth of the Kingdom Following Christ the King |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Trusting God God provides Divine guidance | Justice as right relationship Justice and peace Human dignity | Truth and power of God’s kingdom Kingdom of God is present in Jesus Seeking God’s kingdom |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Trusting in the Lord Giving all as a disciple God’s providence | Justice as right relationship Practicing justice and peace Modeling justice for others | Truth and power of God’s kingdom Christ’s kingdom and worldly kingdoms Sharing in the Kingdom |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Trusting God Practice of stewardship God provides | Prophets Practicing the moral virtue of justice Eternal life | Christ the King Kingdom of God Christ’s return in glory |
| CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD | 1 Kings 17:10–16 Psalm 146:6d–7b, 7c–8abc, 8d–9abc Mark 12:41–44 | Daniel 12:1–3 Psalm 16:5, 8, 9–10, 11 Mark 13:24–32 | Daniel 7:13–14 Psalm 93:1, 2, 5 Revelation 1:5–8 John 18:33b–37 |



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| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | NOVEMBER 29 1st Sunday of Advent Keeping the Covenant | DECEMBER 6 2nd Sunday of Advent Faith Is What Counts | DECEMBER 8 Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary Full of Grace |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Jeremiah 33:14–16 Psalm 25:4–5, 8–9, 10, 14 1 Thessalonians 3:12—4:2 Luke 21:25–28, 34–36 | Baruch 5:1–9 Psalm 126:1–2, 2–3, 4–5, 6 Philippians 1:4–6, 8–11 Luke 3:1–6 | Genesis 3:9–15, 20 Psalm 98:1, 2–3, 3–4 Ephesians 1:3–6, 11–12 Luke 1:26–38 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To pay attention to the ways of God. | To discern what is of value in our life of faith. | To understand Mary is the one chosen to prepare a place for the Lord. |
| GOD WITH US | Advent Following God’s ways Preparing for Jesus | Faith to follow Jesus Loving one another Preparing for Jesus | Immaculate Conception Saying “yes” to God Mary’s goodness |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Celebrating Advent Watching for Jesus Dedication to God | Waiting for Jesus Faith-based actions Caring for one another | Immaculate Conception Answering God’s call Mary is full of God’s grace |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Advent—waiting for Jesus Keeping the covenant Seeking God’s ways | The value of faith Valuing love of neighbor Waiting for Jesus | Immaculate Conception Mary’s “yes” Hail Mary |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Advent as a time of waiting Preparing for Jesus’ coming God’s covenant with us | Advent—a time of encouragement Philippian community The presence of Christ | Immaculate Conception Mary is full of grace Mary as our model of faith |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Advent Finding the path to God Faith to follow God’s ways | Paul and the Philippians Faith is a free gift Growth in faith | Immaculate Conception Mary is full of grace Grace |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Advent Following the Lord’s paths Trust in God’s promises | Discerning values Values of a life of faith Spreading God’s love | God’s relationship with humanity Mary is the model of faith Economy of salvation |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Liturgical year—Advent Covenant Following God’s ways | Faith is a free gift from God Choosing faith Living faith | Immaculate Conception Mary’s “yes” Hail Mary |
| CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Jeremiah 33:14–16 Psalm 25:4–5, 8–9 Luke 21:25–28, 34–36 | Baruch 5:1–5, 7 Psalm 126:1–2ab, 2cde–3 Philippians 1:4–6 Luke 3:1a, 2–6 | Genesis 3:9–15, 20 Psalm 98:1, 2–3ab, 3cd–4 Luke 1:26–38 |



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| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | DECEMBER 13 3rd Sunday of Advent God Is Here | DECEMBER 20 4th Sunday of Advent Leap for Joy | DECEMBER 25 Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord A Savior Born for Us |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Zephaniah 3:14–18a Isaiah 12:2–3, 4, 5–6 Philippians 4:4–7 Luke 3:10–18 | Micah 5:1–4a Psalm 80:2–3, 15–16, 18–19 Hebrews 10:5–10 Luke 1:39–45 | Isaiah 9:1–6 Psalm 96:1–2, 2–3, 11–12, 13 Titus 2:11–14 Luke 2:1–14 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To seek and trust the presence of God in our midst. | To cooperate in surrender to God’s unfolding plan. | To announce God’s salvation day after day. |
| GOD WITH US | Rejoicing God’s presence God’s protection | Mary and Elizabeth God’s plan unfolds Jesus, the Savior, brings joy | Nativity Celebrating Jesus’ birth Jesus as our salvation |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | God is with us God’s protective presence Celebrating God’s presence | Mary and Elizabeth Following God’s plan Jesus, the Savior, brings joy | Nativity Celebrating Jesus’ birth Jesus as our salvation |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | God’s presence in our midst Hope in Christ God’s love for all people | The Visitation Trusting in God Surrendering to God | Jesus, the Savior of the world Announce God’s salvation Shepherds as witnesses |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Zephaniah/John the Baptist Trusting the presence of God Respond to idols with faith | Elizabeth and Mary Saying “yes” to God’s plan Discerning our vocation | Jesus, the Savior of the world Incarnation Good News of Christmas |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | God is in our midst Prayer as response to God Sharing our goods with joy | The Visitation Mary’s faith as example Discerning God’s will | Christmas season Jesus, the Savior’s birth God lives among the poor |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Zephaniah God is present Christ’s presence continues | God’s plan Cooperating with God’s plan Obedience of faith | Jesus, the Word made flesh God’s desire to be one with us Proclaiming Christ’s coming |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Joy in God’s presence Grace Worship God and not false idols | The Visitation Trust in God God’s will | Incarnation Jesus is the Son of God Salvation in Jesus |
| CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Zephaniah 3:14–15 Isaiah 12:2, 4bcd, 6 Philippians 4:4–7 Luke 3:10–16, 18 | Micah 5:1–3 Psalm 80:1acdef, 2c, 14–15ab Luke 1:39–45 | Isaiah 9:2–4, 6–7 Psalm 96:1–2a, 2b–3, 11–12a Titus 3:4–6 Luke 2:1–14 |



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| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | DECEMBER 27 Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph Hearts Set Upon the Lord | JANUARY 1 Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God Christmas Revisited with a Marian Perspective | JANUARY 3 Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord Over You Appears God's Glory |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | 1 Samuel 1:20–22, 24–28 Psalm 84:2–3, 5–6, 9–10 1 John 3:1–2, 21–24 Luke 2:41–52 | Numbers 6:22–27 Psalm 67:2–3, 5, 6, 8 Galatians 4:4–7 Luke 2:16–21 | Isaiah 60:1–6 Psalm 72:1–2, 7–8, 10–11, 12–13 Ephesians 3:2–3a, 5–6 Matthew 2:1–12 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To dedicate our lives to the service of the Lord. | To ponder with Mary the mystery of the Incarnation. | To be a light so God's glory and justice may shine. |
| GOD WITH US | Holy Family Living as a holy family Serving others | Incarnation Mary, Mother of God Mary's faith | Magi bring gifts to Jesus Jesus is the Light Following the Light |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Holy Family Living as a holy family Doing God's will | Pondering with Mary Recognizing God's plan Mary's goodness | Epiphany and its traditions Magi bring gifts to Jesus Christ-child |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Holy Family's devotion Types of psalms Dedicating our lives to God | Mary, Mother of God Mary, Mother of the Church Following Mary's example | Jesus, Light of the world Worship Jesus, the Messiah Shining the light of faith |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Jesus' dedication to the Father's will Dedicating our lives to God Participating in Mass | Mary, Mother of God Mary's own reflection Reflecting on the Incarnation | Christ, our Light Jesus overcame darkness Living as Christ's light |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Holy Family, model of love Families strengthen us in faith Serving God in our families | Mary's example of holiness Mary, Mother of God Mary, Mother of the Church | Jesus, the Messiah Worshipping the Messiah Living as Christ's light |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Journey to God Church is a pilgrim people Service and the journey | Pondering the Incarnation Mary's "lofty exemplar" Growing in love of God and others | God's glory Missionary Church Living as Christ's light |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Holy Family's example Domestic church Serving the Lord as a family | Mary, Mother of God Mary, Mother of the Church Mary, model of faith | Jesus, the Messiah Jesus, the Savior of the world Jesus, the Light of the world |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Sirach 3:2–6 Psalm 128:1–2, 3, 4–5 Colossians 3:12–17 Matthew 2:13–15, 19–23 | Numbers 6:22–27 Psalm 67:1–2, 5, 7 Luke 2:16–21 | Isaiah 60:1–6 Psalm 72:1, 2, 10abc, 10de–11 Matthew 2:1–12 |



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| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | JANUARY 10 Feast of the Baptism of the Lord Herald of Good News | JANUARY 17 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Abundant Gifts | JANUARY 24 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Though Many, One Body |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11 Psalm 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 Titus 1:11-14; 3:4-7 Luke 3:15-16, 21-22 | Isaiah 62:1-5 Psalm 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 John 2:1-11 | Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10 Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 15 1 Corinthians 12:12-30 Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To live our baptismal call to proclaim the Good News. | To trust the Spirit of God gives us all the gifts we need. | To appreciate and nurture the unity in diversity of the Body of Christ. |
| GOD WITH US | Jesus' baptism Sacrament of Baptism Living the Good News | God gives us gifts and talents Individual gifts and talents Using our gifts and talents | One Body of Christ Each individual is important United together |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Jesus' baptism Sacrament of Baptism Living the Good News | Holy Spirit guides the Church Holy Spirit gives abundant gifts Using our gifts for good | The Church, the Body of Christ The Body of Christ is one Holy Spirit unites the Church |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Jesus' baptism Paschal Mystery Baptismal call | Church, the one Body of Christ Holy Spirit gives gifts Holy Spirit unites the Church | Building up the Body of Christ The goodness of other's gifts Sharing our gifts |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Jesus' baptism Sons and daughters of God Baptism leads to mission | Paul and the Corinthians Gifts from the Holy Spirit Using our gifts | Church, the Body of Christ Honoring the Body's members Carrying on Jesus' mission |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Jesus' baptism and mission Sacrament of Baptism Holiness and mission | Gifts and charisms given by the Holy Spirit Using our gifts | Church, one Body of Christ Holy Spirit unites the Church Unity of the human family |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | God's promise to his people Gospel as Good News Spread the Good News | Paul and the unity of the Body Gifts given by the Spirit Using the Spirit's gifts | Recognizing our common faith Appreciating the diversity of gifts in the one Body |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Jesus' baptism Sacrament of Baptism Baptism and a life of service | Gifts of the Holy Spirit Using our gifts Serving in Jesus' name | Church, one Body of Christ Holy Spirit unites the Church Building up the Body of Christ |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Isaiah 42:1-2, 4, 6-7 Psalm 28:3abde- 4, 3cde, 9ef-10 Acts 10:34-38 Luke 3:15-16, 21-22 | Isaiah 62:1-3 Psalm 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 John 2:1-12 | Nehemiah 8:1-4a, 5-6 8-10 Psalm 19:7, 8, 14 1 Corinthians 12:12-14, 27 Luke 4:14-21 |



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| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | JANUARY 31 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time Tell What I Command | FEBRUARY 7 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time Here I Am; Send Me | FEBRUARY 14 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Planted Near Running Water |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Jeremiah 1:4–5, 17–19 Psalm 71:1–2, 3–4, 5–6, 15, 17 1 Corinthians 12:31–13:13 Luke 4:21–30 | Isaiah 6:1–2a, 3–8 Psalm 138:1–2, 2–3, 4–5, 7–8 1 Corinthians 15:1–11 Luke 5:1–11 | Jeremiah 17:5–8 Psalm 1:1–2, 3, 4, 6 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16–20 Luke 6:17, 20–26 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To tell and do what the Lord commands despite the cost. | To answer in trust and offer ourselves as the Lord’s disciples. | To stay connected to the Lord and bear fruit. |
| GOD WITH US | Jeremiah Prophets Answering God’s call | Isaiah Trusting God Surrendering to God | Remaining close to Jesus Growing as God’s children Bearing fruit |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Obedience to the Father’s will Obedience as a sign of God’s goodness Holy Spirit helps us follow God’s commands | Holy Spirit helps us love like Jesus Saying “yes” like Isaiah Sharing faith by our example | Staying connected to Jesus Listening to the Holy Spirit Bearing good fruit |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Jeremiah the prophet Speaking God’s word Choose to answer God’s call | Isaiah the prophet Courage to follow God’s call Sent by God in Baptism | Stay close to Jesus Grow closer to the Father Bear fruit |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Jeremiah’s prophetic call Discipleship and rejection Standing firm in faith | Isaiah’s prophetic call Putting aside sinful ways Responding to God’s invitation | Stay close to Jesus Rooted in God’s word Faithful living |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Witnessing to Jesus Disciples face rejection God loves us always | Personal response to God’s call Spirit gives us courage | Staying connected to the Lord Catholic way of life |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Jeremiah’s prophetic vocation Suffering and faithfulness Prophetic proclamation today | Isaiah’s prophetic vocation Personal experiences of God Discipleship and mission | Staying connected to the Lord Following the counsel of the blessed |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Jeremiah’s prophetic call Discipleship Rejection and following Jesus | Isaiah’s prophetic call God’s will Personal response to God’s call | Ten Commandments Beatitudes Free will |
| CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Jeremiah 1:4–5, 17ab, 18–19 Psalm 71:1–2, 3abcd, 3ef, 5a 1 Corinthians 13:4–8a, 11–13 Luke 4:20b–24, 28–30 | Isaiah 6:1–2a, 3–8 Psalm 138:1acd–2a, 4–5 1 Corinthians 15:3–8, 11 Luke 5:1–11 | Jeremiah 17:7–8 Psalm 40:1, 2de, 3, 17 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16–20 Luke 6:17, 20–23 |



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| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | FEBRUARY 21 1st Sunday of Lent Temptation and Struggle Leading to Salvation | FEBRUARY 28 2nd Sunday of Lent Listen to Him! | MARCH 7 3rd Sunday of Lent (Year C) Obedience toward Repentance |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Deuteronomy 26:4–10 Psalm 91:1–2, 10–11, 12–13, 14–15 Romans 10:8–13 Luke 4:1–13 | Genesis 15:5–12, 17–18 Psalm 27:1, 7–8, 8–9, 13–14 Philippians 3:17–4:1 Luke 9:28b–36 | Exodus 3:1–8a, 13–15 Psalm 103:1–2, 3–4, 6–7, 8, 11 1 Corinthians 10:1–6, 10–12 Luke 13:1–9 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To enter the desert with Jesus. | To enter the silence so as to listen to the Lord. | To enter into repentance. |
| GOD WITH US | Lent Temptation Journey with Jesus | Transfiguration Listen to Jesus Glimpse of the Resurrection | Good fruit and bad fruit Saying “I’m sorry” Serving God |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Lent Temptation Journey with Jesus | Transfiguration Listen to Jesus Praying with Jesus | Free will Making choices Repentance and change |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Lent Responding to temptation Prayer, fasting, almsgiving | Transfiguration Hearing God’s voice Listening to God in silence | Repentance Conversion Obedience |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Lent Facing temptation Admitting our sins | Transfiguration God’s glory Resurrection | Moses’ obedience Scrutinies Obedience and repentance |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Lent and Baptism Conversion Facing Temptation | Transfiguration Listening to Jesus Prayer and silence | Sin Repentance Sacrament of Penance |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Paschal Mystery Conversion Lenten journey | Transfiguration Self-sacrifice Listening to God’s Wisdom | Sinfulness Forgiveness Repentance |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Purification and Enlightenment Prayer, fasting, almsgiving Journey with Jesus | Transfiguration Listening to Jesus Prayer and silence | Repentance Reconciliation Sacrament of Penance |
| CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Deuteronomy 26:4–10 Psalm 91:1–2, 10–11 Luke 4:1–13 | Philippians 3:20–4:1 Psalm 147:1, 3–4, 5, 7 Luke 9:28–36 | Exodus 3:1–8a, 13–15 Psalm 103:1–2, 6–7, 8, 11 Luke 13:6–9 |



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| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | MARCH 7 3rd Sunday of Lent (Year A) Compelled to Testify | MARCH 14 4th Sunday of Lent (Year C) Right Relationships | MARCH 14 4th Sunday of Lent (Year A) Christ Will Give You Light |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Exodus 17:3–7 Psalm 95:1–2, 6–7, 8–9 Romans 5:1–2, 5–8 John 4:5–42 | Joshua 5:9a, 10–12 Psalm 34:2–3, 4–5, 6–7 2 Corinthians 5:17–21 Luke 15:1–3, 11–32 | 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6–7, 10–13a Psalm 23:1–3a, 3b–4, 5, 6 Ephesians 5:8–14 John 9:1–41 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To bring others to God’s life-giving water. | To enter right relationships with God, family, and neighbor. | To see as God sees. |
| GOD WITH US | | Prodigal Son The Father’s love Reconciliation | |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | | The Father’s love Forgiveness and reconciliation Coming home to God | |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | | God’s mercy Grace Right relationships | |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | | God’s mercy Right relationship with God Rebuilding relationships | |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | | Free will Right relationships Laetare Sunday | |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | First Scrutiny Evangelization Ongoing Conversion | Prodigal Son God the Father’s love Right relationships | Second Scrutiny Loving as God loves Christ’s light |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | First Scrutiny Conversion Apostles’ Creed | Free will Right relationships Original sin | Second Scrutiny Sins of omission Christ’s light |
| CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Exodus 17:3–7 Psalm 95:1 -2, 7e–9c John 4:5–15, 19b–26, 39a, 40–42 | 2 Corinthians 5:17–19 Psalm 85:8, 9, 10 Luke 15:1–3, 11b–32 | 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6–7, 10–13a Psalm 23:1–3a, 3b–4, 5b–6c Ephesians 5:1–2, 8–10 John 9:1, 6–12, 35–38 |



SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | MARCH 21 5th Sunday of Lent (Year C) Doing Something New | MARCH 21 5th Sunday of Lent (Year A) The Spirit Dwelling in Us | MARCH 28 Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion Into Your Hands |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Isaiah 43:16–21 Psalm 126:1–2, 2–3, 4–5, 6 Philippians 3:8–14 John 8:1–11 | Ezekiel 37:12–14 Psalm 130:1–2, 3–4, 5–6, 7–8 Romans 8:8–11 John 11:1–45 | Luke 19:28–40 Isaiah 50:4–7 Psalm 22:8–9, 17–18, 19–20, 23–24 Philippians 2:6–11 Luke 22:14—23:56 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To enter the mystery of forgiveness. | To experience God's life in us. | To enter Jesus' surrender to the Father. |
| GOD WITH US | Forgiveness Reconciliation God's love | | Holy Week—Triduum Carrying the cross Jesus' death is not the end |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | God's mercy Sacrament of Penance Being reconcilers | | Holy Week—Triduum Jesus' death on the cross Jesus' love for us |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | God's love God's forgiveness Forgiving others | | Holy Week—Triduum Jesus' Passion Faith and suffering |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | God's forgiveness Forgiving others Sacrament of Penance | | Holy Week—Triduum Jesus' Passion Faith and suffering |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | God's mercy Forgiving others Our Father | | Holy Week—Triduum Surrender to the Father Faith and suffering |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | God's abundant mercy Forgiveness and beginning anew Servants of reconciliation | Third Scrutiny Christian hope Life in Christ and the Spirit | Holy Week—Triduum Jesus' Passion Faith and suffering |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | God's mercy Forgiveness Forgiving others | Third Scrutiny The Spirit of Life Our Father | Holy Week—Triduum Jesus' Passion Surrender to God's will |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Isaiah 43:18–21 Psalm 126:1–2ab, 2cd–3 Philippians 3:12–14 John 8:1–11 | Ezekiel 37:12–14 Psalm 130:1–2, 5, 7bcd John 11:3–7, 17, 20–27, 31–45 | Isaiah 50:6–7 Psalm 22:7–8, 16c, 17a, 18, 19, 22 Luke 23:1–49 |



SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | APRIL 4 Easter Sunday: Solemnity of the Resurrection of the Lord See and Believe | APRIL 11 2nd Sunday of Easter/ Divine Mercy Sunday Be Well! Be Healed! | APRIL 18 3rd Sunday of Easter Leadership in the Church Community |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Acts 10:34a, 37–43 Psalm 118:1–2, 16–17, 22–23 Colossians 3:1–4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6b–8 John 20:1–9 | Acts 5:12–16 Psalm 118:2–4, 13–15, 22–24 Revelation 1:9–11a, 12–13, 17–19 John 20:19–31 | Acts 5:27–32, 40b–41 Psalm 30:2, 4, 5–6, 11–12, 13 Revelation 5:11–14 John 21:1–19 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To enter the empty tomb and believe he is risen. | To open ourselves to Christ's healing. | To live as Christ's presence in the Church and in the world. |
| GOD WITH US | Easter Jesus' Resurrection New life in Christ | God's healing love Sharing God's healing love The Church cares for the sick | Help others follow Jesus Church leaders Members of the Church |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Easter Jesus' Resurrection Baptismal promises | Apostles heal like Jesus Whole Church offers healing Anointing of the Sick | Jesus' mission Baptism and mission Holy Orders |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Jesus' Resurrection Paschal Mystery New life in Christ | Apostles' heal like Jesus Christ's healing in sacraments Openness to Christ's healing | Leaders in the early church Church leaders today Witnessing to Christ today |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Jesus' Resurrection New life in Christ Easter faith and our life | Christ's healing presence Faith and healing Anointing of the Sick | Leaders in the early church Peter's role Church leaders today |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Faith in the Resurrection Easter and Baptism New life in Christ | Real presence of Christ Sacrament of healing Sharing Christ's healing | Church leaders Witness of the laity Stewardship |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Jesus' Resurrection True discipleship Easter and Baptism | Miracles Healing in Christ Healing the sick | Peter's role Vocation and the laity Distinct leaders: clergy and laity |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Jesus' Resurrection Faith and belief Easter and Baptism | Apostles offer Christ's healing Sacraments of healing Sharing Christ's healing | Baptism and mission Role of bishops and priests Witness of the laity |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Acts 10:34a, 37–43 Psalm 118:1–2, 15c–16ab, 17, 22–23 Colossians 3:1–4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6b–8 John 20:1–9 | Acts 5:12–16 Psalm 118:2, 4, 13–14 John 20:19–29 | Acts 5:27b–32, 40b–41 Psalm 30:1ab, 2, 4, 10–11ab, 12 bcd John 21:1–14 |



SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | APRIL 25 4th Sunday of Easter Universality of Salvation | MAY 2 5th Sunday of Easter Love One Another | MAY 9 6th Sunday of Easter Promise of the Holy Spirit |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Acts 13:14, 43–52 Psalm 100:1–2, 3, 5 Revelation 7:9, 14b–17 John 10:27–30 | Acts 14:21–27 Psalm 145:8–9, 10–11, 112–13 Revelation 21:1–5a John 13:31–33a, 34–35 | Acts 15:1–2, 22–29 Psalm 67:2–3, 5, 6, 8 Revelation 21:10–14, 22–23 John 14:23–29 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To proclaim the Word of God to all the nations. | To live Jesus' new commandment. | To allow the Holy Spirit to remind us of all Jesus taught and did. |
| GOD WITH US | Proclaim the Good News Good News is for all people All are welcome in the kingdom | Jesus' new commandment Jesus showed us how to love Following Jesus' example | God is Love Spirit teaches about Jesus Father sends the Spirit in Jesus' name |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | The Word is for all The Word and salvation Ways of sharing the Word | Jesus' new commandment Known by our love Loving the poor | Promise of the Holy Spirit Holy Spirit reveals Jesus Spirit of Truth |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Evangelization Missionaries Salvation is offered to all | Jesus' new commandment Discipleship and love Love includes the poor | Promise of the Holy Spirit The Spirit as Advocate Spirit teaches about Jesus |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Paul and Barnabas Evangelization Salvation is offered to all | Jesus' new commandment Relationships of communion Loving service and sacrifice | Promise of the Holy Spirit The Spirit as Advocate Holy Spirit and sacraments |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Paul and Barnabas All are welcome to believe Spreading the Good News | Jesus' new commandment Loving the poor Loving service | Promise of the Holy Spirit Holy Spirit as Advocate Christ's peace |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Paul's missionary vocation Growth of the Church Vocations | Jesus' new commandment Love of the poor Practicing Christ-like love | Promise of the Holy Spirit Discerning the Spirit Openness to the Spirit |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | The Good News is for all Growth of the early church Role of bishops and priests | Jesus' new commandment Jesus' love for us Self-sacrifice | God is one and three Promise of the Holy Spirit Christ's peace |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Acts 13:43–44, 47–48 Psalm 100:1–2, 3, 5 John 10:27–30 | Acts 14:21–27 Psalm 145:8–9, 10, 12 Revelation 21:1–4 John 13:31a, 33–35 | Revelation 21:10–14, 22–23 Psalm 67:1–2, 4, 5, 7 John 14:23–26 |



SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | MAY 13/16 Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord Why Do You Stand Looking at the Sky? | MAY 16 7th Sunday of Easter Jesus Prays for His Followers | MAY 23 Solemnity of Pentecost Come, Holy Spirit, Come |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Acts 1:1–11 Psalm 47:2–3, 6–7, 8–9 Hebrews 9:24–28 ; 10:19–23 Luke 24:46–53 | Acts 7:55–60 Psalm 97:1–2, 6–7, 9 Revelation 22:12–14, 16–17, 20 John 17:20–26 | Acts 2:1–11 Psalm 104:1, 24, 29–30, 31, 34 Romans 8:8–17 John 14:15–16, 23b–26 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To announce joyfully the forgiveness of sins. | To continue Jesus' mission united together as members of the one Body of Christ. | To proclaim Good News to the nations through the gift of the Holy Spirit. |
| GOD WITH US | Jesus' Ascension Heaven Jesus will come again | One in Jesus The Church is one Members of the Church | Coming of the Holy Spirit Birth of the Church The Spirit lives in us |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Jesus' Ascension Jesus' Second Coming Witnessing to forgiveness | One in Christ One Body in Christ Martyrs | Coming of the Holy Spirit Gifts of the Spirit Confirmation |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Jesus' Ascension Second Coming of Christ Continuing Jesus' mission | Unity in Christ Unity in the Body of Christ Ecumenism | Coming of the Holy Spirit Birth of the Church The Spirit renews the Church |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Jesus' Ascension Forgiveness of sins Examination of Conscience | Unity in Christ Unity of the three Persons Christian unity | Origins of Pentecost Filled with the Holy Spirit Strength to witness |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Jesus' Ascension Paschal Mystery Mission and forgiveness | Unity of the Church Ecumenism Martyrs | Coming of the Holy Spirit Gifts and Fruits of the Spirit Holy Spirit as Advocate |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Jesus' Ascension Forgiveness and reconciliation Suffering and mission | Communion with God Communion with others Christian unity | Holy Spirit and mission Holy Spirit as Advocate Gifts of the Holy Spirit |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Jesus' Ascension Jesus' Second Coming Forgiveness of sins | Unity of believers Holy Spirit unites us Carrying on Jesus' mission | Coming of the Holy Spirit Titles of the Holy Spirit Holy Spirit and Confirmation |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Acts 1:8–11 Psalm 47:1–2, 5–6, 7–8 Ephesians 1:17–21 Luke 24:50–53 | Acts 7:55–60 Psalm 97:1, 6, 9 John 17:20–21 | Acts 2:1–11 Psalm 104:1abc, 24, 30–31 1 Corinthians 12:4–7, 12–13 John 20:19–23 |



SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | MAY 30 Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity All Praise to the Holy Trinity | JUNE 6 Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Proclaim His Death until He Comes Again in Glory | JUNE 13 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time Forgiveness Nourishes Love |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Proverbs 8:22–31 Psalm 8:4–5, 6–7, 8–9 Romans 5:1–5 John 16:12–15 | Genesis 14:18–20 Psalm 110:1, 2, 3, 4 1 Corinthians 11:23–26 Luke 9:11b–17 | 2 Samuel 12:7–10, 13 Psalm 32:1–2, 5, 7, 11 Galatians 2:16, 19–21 Luke 7:36—8:3 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To praise the one God in three divine Persons: Father, Son (Jesus), and Holy Spirit. | To know that we receive Jesus' body and precious blood in Holy Communion that we might proclaim him until he comes again in glory. | To admit our need for forgiveness. |
| GOD WITH US | God is one God is three Sign of the Cross | Jesus feeds us Jesus' body and blood Eucharist | God's love is forgiving Reconciliation Forgiving others |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Mystery of God Trinity Praise the triune God | Last Supper Jesus' body and blood Holy Communion | God forgives us We need forgiveness Act of Contrition |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Mystery of God Father, Son, and Holy Spirit Praising God | Jesus' body and blood Eucharist nourishes us Feeding others | God's children God's unconditional love Asking God's forgiveness |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Mystery of God Trinity Communion of Persons | Last Supper Eucharist Eucharistic Prayer | Sin Asking for forgiveness Sacrament of Penance |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Triune God Communion with God Communion with others | Eucharist Real presence Sent forth | God's love God's forgiveness Restoring relationships |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Mystery of God Doctrine of the Trinity Trinitarian love | Eucharist Sacrifice Satisfying human longings | God's mercy God's grace Forgiveness |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Belief in the Trinity Baptized in the name of . . . Created in God's image | Last Supper Jesus' sacrifice Holy Communion | Sin Forgiveness and reconciliation Sacrament of Penance |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Proverbs 8:22–31 Psalm 8:3–4, 5–6, 7–8 John 16:12–15 | Genesis 14:18–20 Psalm 110:1, 3, 4 1 Corinthians 11:23–26 Luke 9:11b–17 | 2 Samuel 12:7–10, 13–14 Psalm 32:1, 5ab, 7, 11 Luke 7:36–50 |



SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | JUNE 20 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time Take Up Your Cross Daily | JUNE 27 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time Gospel Freedom | JULY 4 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time The Abundant Harvest |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Zechariah 12:10–11; 13:1 Psalm 63:2, 3–4, 5–6, 8–9 Galatians 3:26–29 Luke 9:18–24 | 1 Kings 19:16b, 19–21 Psalm 16:1–2, 5, 7–8, 9–10, 11 Galatians 5:1, 13–18 Luke 9:51–62 | Isaiah 66:10–14c Psalm 66:1–3, 4–5, 6–7, 16, 20 Galatians 6:14–18 Luke 10:1–12, 17–20 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To risk sacrifice and suffering for Christ. | To be free to be committed to the mission of Christ. | To show that the kingdom of God is at hand. |
| GOD WITH US | Jesus' cross Taking up the cross Sacrifice and love | Free in Jesus Loving God above all Loving as Jesus did | God's messengers Spreading the Good News Abundant harvest |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Jesus' cross Disciples take up the cross Martyrs | Free to follow Jesus Free to do good Freedom through prayer | Disciples and mission Mission of the Church Sharing the Gospel |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Discipleship Taking up the cross Suffering | Freedom in Christ Making choices Prayer and our response to God | Mission Kingdom of God Announce God's kingdom |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Cross of Christ Taking up the cross Suffering and sacrifice | Grace freely given Responding to God's love Christ's mission | Evangelization Sharing the Good News Kingdom of God |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Sacrifice Sharing in Jesus' cross Martyrs | Created free Capacity to do good Potential for God | Sharing our faith Missionary age Missionaries |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Jesus' cross Taking up the cross Martyrs | Created free Capacity to do good Rejecting evil | Spreading the Gospel Mission of Christ Mission of the Church |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Discipleship Sharing in the cross Faith and suffering | Gift of free will Guidance of the Holy Spirit Choose to follow Jesus | Kingdom of God Evangelization Building up the kingdom |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Galatians 3:26–29 Psalm 100:1–2, 3, 5 Luke 9:18–24 | 1 Kings 19:16b, 19–21 Psalm 16:1–2ab, 5, 7–8, 11 Galatians 5:1, 13–15 Luke 9:57–62 | Isaiah 66:10–14c Psalm 66:1–3ab, 6–7a, 16, 20 Luke 10:1–9 |



SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | JULY 11 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time A Heart for the Needy | JULY 18 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Biblical Hospitality | JULY 25 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time Lord, Teach Us to Pray |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Deuteronomy 30:10–14 Psalm 69:14, 17, 30–31, 33–34, 36, 37 Colossians 1:15–20 Luke 10:25–37 | Genesis 18:1–10a Psalm 15:2–3, 3–4, 5 Colossians 1:24–28 Luke 10:38–42 | Genesis 18:20–32 Psalm 138:1–2, 2–3, 6–7, 7–8 Colossians 2:12–14 Luke 11:1–13 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To become a loving neighbor to the poor and needy. | To invite God into our lives. | To seek and to find. |
| GOD WITH US | Good Samaritan Being a loving neighbor Caring for the poor | God welcomes everyone Welcoming God Welcoming others | Prayer Our Father Our Father and the Gospel |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Created in God’s image Love of neighbor The poor are our neighbors | God created us Inviting God in Welcoming others | Our Father Our Father and the Gospel Praying for others |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Good Samaritan Love of neighbor Responding to the needy | God’s presence Christian hospitality Open to God in prayer | Prayer as relationship Seeking God Our Father |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Love of God and neighbor Preferential love of the poor Works of charity | Christian hospitality Prayer Responding to God | Persistence in prayer Our Father Communion Rite |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Good Samaritan Loving our neighbors Caring for the “stranger” | Welcoming God in me Welcoming God in others Prayer and communion with God | Our Father Our Father and the Gospel Communion Rite |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Good Samaritan Created in God’s image Loving the poor | Biblical hospitality Openness to God Hospitality to “strangers” | Our Father Seeking God in prayer Asking God in prayer |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Good Samaritan Love of neighbor Preferential love of the poor | Openness to God Prayer Listening to God | Our Father Prayers of petition Seeking and finding God |
| CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Deuteronomy 30:10–14 Psalm 69:13, 29–30 Colossians 1:18–20 Luke 10:25–37 | Genesis 18:1–10a Psalm 15:1–3a, 3bc, 5ef Colossians 1:27–28 Luke 10:38–42 | Genesis 18:20–32 Psalm 138:1–2a, 2bcdef–3, 7abde–8abc Luke 11:1–10 |



SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | AUGUST 1 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time Teach Us to Number Our Days Aright | AUGUST 8 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time The Living Faith of Our Ancestors | AUGUST 15 Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary The Almighty Has Done Great Things for Me |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21–23 Psalm 90:3–4, 5–6, 12–13 Colossians 3:1–5, 9–11 Luke 12:13–21 | Wisdom 18:6–9 Psalm 33:1, 12, 18–19, 20–22 Hebrews 11:1–2, 8–19 Luke 12:32–48 | Revelation 11:19a; 12:1–6a, 10ab Psalm 45:10, 11, 12, 16 1 Corinthians 15:20–27 Luke 1:39–56 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To live in a manner worthy of the Lord. | To demonstrate our faith by the way we live. | To live in God and be filled with the Holy Spirit. |
| GOD WITH US | Wisdom God is Wisdom Pray for wisdom | Faith in God Trust in God People of faith | Assumption of Mary Mary's song of praise Praising God |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Wisdom Worthy in God's eyes What is of true value | Kingdom of God Ancestors in faith Living our faith | Assumption of Mary Magnificat Hail Mary |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | Life's blessings Living in gratitude Relying on the Holy Spirit | Faith Ancestors in faith Living our faith | Assumption of Mary Magnificat Singing praise to God |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | Treasures of heaven Value of faith Eternal life | Faith is a gift Ancestors in faith Living our faith | Assumption of Mary Magnificat Life's blessings |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | Wisdom Grace of the Holy Spirit Belonging to God | Faith Ancestors in faith Living our faith | Assumption of Mary Magnificat Praising God like Mary |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | Wisdom Holy Spirit True meaning of life | Faith is: God's initiative, human response, divine/human relationship | Assumption of Mary Magnificat Praising God like Mary |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Wisdom Worthy in God's eyes Guides for a life of faith | Gift of faith Faith as relationship Models of faith | Assumption of Mary Magnificat Hail Mary |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Colossians 3:1–4 Psalm 147:1, 3–4, 5, 7 Luke 12:16–21 | Hebrews 11:1–2, 8–12 Psalm 143:1, 8, 10 Luke 12:35–40 | Isaiah 9:2–3a, 6–7a or Zechariah 2:14–15 Acts 1:12–13a, 14 or Ephesians 1:3–6 Psalm 113:1–2, 3–4, 5–6, 7–8 Luke 1:39–56 |



SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

| DATE, SUNDAY/HOLY DAY, AND THEME | AUGUST 22 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time God's Love Is Universal | AUGUST 29 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Practicing Humility |
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| LECTIONARY READINGS | Isaiah 66:18–21 Psalm 117:1, 2 Hebrews 12:5–7, 11–13 Luke 13:22–30 | Sirach 3:17–18, 20, 28–29 Psalm 68:4–5, 6–7, 10–11 Hebrews 12:18–19, 22–24a Luke 14:1, 7–14 |
| FOCUS STATEMENT | To welcome all God invites to the table. | To conduct our affairs with humility. |
| GOD WITH US | God invites all to believe Belief in God Heaven | Dignity of the children of God Humility Living as humble children |
| PRAY AND CELEBRATE | Mission of the Church Catholic means “universal” Share God's love | God loves everyone Humility Pray with humility |
| RIGHTEOUS LIVING | God calls all people “Catholic” means universal Mission | God created us Humility Prayer |
| COVENANT PEOPLE | God loves all people Leading people to Christ Good News of love | Humility Relationship with God Living as humble people |
| SPIRIT ALIVE | God loves all people Jesus' mission to all Mission of the Church | Humility Created by God Dependent on God |
| JUSTICE AND MERCY | God loves all people “Catholic” means universal Mission of the Church | Humility Jesus' example of humility Humble witnesses |
| CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN | Jesus welcomes all Mission of the Church Witness to all | Jesus models humility Acting humble Humility and prayer |
| CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD | Hebrews 12:5a, 6–7, 11 Psalm 119:165, 168, 171 Luke 13:22–30 | Sirach 3:17–18, 20 Psalm 68:3–4acdef, 5–6abcd, 9–10 Luke 14:1, 7–14 |