

2025–2026 Church Year Calendar

Three-Year Series A

Nov. 30, 2025—Nov. 26, 2026

Season	Date	Festival	First Reading	Psalms	Epistle	Gospel
ADVENT 2025	Nov. 30 2025	First S. in Advent	Isaiah 2:1–5	Psalms 122	Rom. 13:(8–10) 11–14	Matt. 21:1–11 or Matt. 24:36–44
	Dec. 7	Second S. in Advent	Isaiah 11:1–10	Psalms 72:1–7	Rom. 15:4–13	Matt. 3:1–12
	Dec. 14	Third S. in Advent	Isaiah 35:1–10	Psalms 146	James 5:7–11	Matt. 11:2–15
	Dec. 21	Fourth S. in Advent	Isaiah 7:10–17	Psalms 24	Rom. 1:1–7	Matt. 1:18–25
	Dec. 24 ↓	The Nativity of Our Lord (Christmas Eve)	Isaiah 7:10–14	Psalms 110:1–4	1 John 4:7–16	Matt. 1:18–25
CHRISTMAS 2025	Dec. 25	The Nativity of Our Lord (Midnight)	Isaiah 9:2–7	Psalms 96	Titus 2:11–14	Luke 2:1–14 (15–20)
		The Nativity of Our Lord (Dawn)	Isaiah 62:10– 12	Psalms 98	Titus 3:4–7	Luke 2:(1–14) 15–20
		The Nativity of Our Lord (Day)	Isaiah 52:7–10	Psalms 2	Heb. 1:1–6 (7–12)	John 1:1–14 (15–18)
	Dec. 28	The Holy Innocents	Jer. 31:15–17	Psalms 54	Rev. 14:1–5	Matt. 2:13–18
	or	First S. after Christmas	Isaiah 63:7–14	Psalms 111	Gal. 4:4–7	Matt. 2:13–23
	Dec. 31	Eve of the Circ. and Name of Jesus (New Year's Eve)	Isaiah 30:(8– 14) 15–17	Psalms 90:1–12	Rom. 8:31b–39	Luke 12:35–40
A.D. 2026	Jan. 1	Circumcision and Name of Jesus (New Year's Day)	Num. 6:22–27	Psalms 8	Gal. 3:23–29	Luke 2:21
	Jan. 4	Second S. after Christmas	1 Kings 3:4–15	Psalms 119:97– 104	Eph. 1:3–14	Luke 2:40–52
EPIPHANY	Jan. 6	The Epiphany of Our Lord	Isaiah 60:1–6	Psalms 72:1–11 (12–15)	Eph. 3:1–12	Matt. 2:1–12
	Jan. 11	The Baptism of Our Lord	Isaiah 42:1–9	Psalms 29	Rom. 6:1–11	Matt. 3:13–17
	Jan. 18	Second S. after the Epiphany	Isaiah 49:1–7	Psalms 40:1–11	1 Cor. 1:1–9	John 1:29–42a
	or	The Confession of St. Peter	Acts 4:8–13	Psalms 118:19– 29	2 Peter 1:1–15	Mark 8:27–35 (36–9:1)
	Jan. 25	Third S. after the Epiphany	Isaiah 9:1–4	Psalms 27:1–9 (10–14)	1 Cor. 1:10–18	Matt. 4:12–25
	or	The Conversion of St. Paul	Acts 9:1–22	Psalms 67	Gal. 1:11–24	Matt. 19:27– 30
	Feb. 1	Fourth S. after the Epiphany	Micah 6:1–8	Psalms 15	1 Cor. 1:18–31	Matt. 5:1–12
	Feb. 8	Fifth S. after the Epiphany	Isaiah 58:3–9a	Psalms 112:1–9	1 Cor. 2:1–12 (13–16)	Matt. 5:13–20
	Feb. 15	The Transfiguration of Our Lord	Ex. 24:8–18	Psalms 2:6–12	2 Peter 1:16–21	Matt. 17:1–9

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ASH WEDNESDAY	Feb. 18	Ash Wednesday	Joel 2:12–19	Psalm 51:1–13 (14–19)	2 Cor. 5:20b–6:10	Matt. 6:1–6, 16–21
LENT	Feb. 22	First S. in Lent	Gen. 3:1–21	Psalm 32:1–7	Rom. 5:12–19	Matt. 4:1–11
	March 1	Second S. in Lent	Gen. 12:1–9	Psalm 121	Rom. 4:1–8, 13–17	John 3:1–17
	March 8	Third S. in Lent	Ex. 17:1–7	Psalm 95:1–9	Rom. 5:1–8	John 4:5–26 (27–30, 39–42)
	March 15	Fourth S. in Lent	Isaiah 42:14–21	Psalm 142	Eph. 5:8–14	John 9:1–41 or John 9:1–7, 13–17, 34–39
	March 22	Fifth S. in Lent	Ezek. 37:1–14	Psalm 130	Rom. 8:1–11	John 11:1–45 (46–53) or John 11:17–27, 38–53
HOLY WEEK	March 29	Palm Sunday (Palmarum)	Isaiah 50:4–9a	Psalm 118:19–29 or Psalm 31:9–16	Phil. 2:5–11	John 12:12–19 procession ----- Matt. 26:1–27:66 or Matt. 27:11–66 or John 12:20–43
	April 2	Holy (Maundy) Thursday	Ex. 24:3–11	Psalm 116:12–19	Heb. 9:11–22	Matt. 26:17–30
	April 3	Good Friday	Isaiah 52:13–53:12	Psalm 22 or Psalm 31	Heb. 4:14–16; 5:7–9	John 18:1–19:42 or John 19:17–30
EASTER	April 5	The Resurrection of Our Lord (Sunrise)	Ex. 14:10–15:1	Psalm 118:15–29 or The Song of Moses and Israel	1 Cor. 15:1–11	John 20:1–18
		The Resurrection of Our Lord	Acts 10:34–43 or Jer. 31:1–6	Psalm 16	Col. 3:1–4	Matt. 28:1–10
	April 12	Second S. of Easter	Acts 5:29–42	Psalm 148	1 Peter 1:3–9	John 20:19–31
	April 19	Third S. of Easter	Acts 2:14a, 36–41	Psalm 116:1–14	1 Peter 1:17–25	Luke 24:13–35
	April 26	Fourth S. of Easter	Acts 2:42–47	Psalm 23	1 Peter 2:19–25	John 10:1–10
	May 3	Fifth S. of Easter	Acts 6:1–9; 7:2a, 51–60	Psalm 146	1 Peter 2:2–10	John 14:1–14
	May 10	Sixth S. of Easter	Acts 17:16–31	Psalm 66:8–20	1 Peter 3:13–22	John 14:15–21
	May 14	The Ascension of Our Lord	Acts 1:1–11	Psalm 47	Eph. 1:15–23	Luke 24:44–53
	May 17	Seventh S. of Easter	Acts 1:12–26	Psalm 68:1–10	1 Peter 4:12–19; 5:6–11	John 17:1–11
PENTECOST	May 24	The Day of Pentecost	Num. 11:24–30	Psalm 25:1–15	Acts 2:1–21	John 7:37–39
TRINITY	May 31	The Holy Trinity	Gen. 1:1–2:4a	Psalm 8	Acts 2:14a, 22–36	Matt. 28:16–20
	June 7 (Prop. 5)	Second S. after Pentecost	Hosea 5:15–6:6	Psalm 119:65–72	Rom. 4:13–25	Matt. 9:9–13
	June 14 (Prop. 6)	Third S. after Pentecost	Ex. 19:2–8	Psalm 100	Rom. 5:6–15	Matt. 9:35–10:8 (9–20)
	June 21 (Prop. 7)	Fourth S. after Pentecost	Jer. 20:7–13	Psalm 91:1–10 (11–16)	Rom. 6:12–23	Matt. 10:5a, 21–33
	June 28 (Prop. 8)	Fifth S. after Pentecost	Jer. 28:5–9	Psalm 119:153–160	Rom. 7:1–13	Matt. 10:34–42
	July 5 (Prop. 9)	Sixth S. after Pentecost	Zech. 9:9–12	Psalm 145:1–14	Rom. 7:14–25a	Matt. 11:25–30

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	July 12 (Prop. 10)	Seventh S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 55:10– 13	Psalms 65:(1–8) 9–13	Rom. 8:12–17	Matt. 13:1–9, 18–23
	July 19 (Prop. 11)	Eighth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 44:6–8	Psalms 119:57– 64	Rom. 8:18–27	Matt. 13:24– 30, 36–43
	July 26 (Prop. 12)	Ninth S. after Pentecost	Deut. 7:6–9	Psalms 125	Rom. 8:28–39	Matt. 13:44– 52
	Aug. 2 (Prop. 13)	Tenth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 55:1–5	Psalms 136:1–9 (23–26)	Rom. 9:1–5 (6– 13)	Matt. 14:13– 21
	Aug. 9 (Prop. 14)	Eleventh S. after Pentecost	Job 38:4–18	Psalms 18:1–6 (7–16)	Rom. 10:5–17	Matt. 14:22– 33
	Aug. 16 (Prop. 15)	Twelfth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 56:1, 6–8	Psalms 67	Rom. 11:1–2a, 13–15, 28–32	Matt. 15:21– 28
	Aug. 23 (Prop. 16)	Thirteenth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 51:1–6	Psalms 138	Rom. 11:33– 12:8	Matt. 16:13– 20
	Aug. 30 (Prop. 17)	Fourteenth S. after Pentecost	Jer. 15:15–21	Psalms 26	Rom. 12:9–21	Matt. 16:21– 28
	Sept. 6 (Prop. 18)	Fifteenth S. after Pentecost	Ezek. 33:7–9	Psalms 32:1–7	Rom. 13:1–10	Matt. 18:1–20
	Sept. 13 (Prop. 19)	Sixteenth S. after Pentecost	Gen. 50:15–21	Psalms 103:1– 12	Rom. 14:1–12	Matt. 18:21– 35
	Sept. 20 (Prop. 20)	Seventeenth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 55:6–9	Psalms 27:1–9	Phil. 1:12–14, 19–30	Matt. 20:1–16
	Sept. 27 (Prop. 21)	Eighteenth S. after Pentecost	Ezek. 18:1–4, 25–32	Psalms 25:1–10	Phil. 2:1–4 (5– 13) 14–18	Matt. 21:23– 27 (28–32)
	Sept. 29	St. Michael and All Angels	Daniel 10:10– 14; 12:1–3	Psalms 91	Rev. 12:7–12	Matt. 18:1–11 or Luke 10:17– 20
	Oct. 4 (Prop. 22)	Nineteenth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 5:1–7	Psalms 80:7–19	Phil. 3:4b–14	Matt. 21:33– 46
	Oct. 11 (Prop. 23)	Twentieth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 25:6–9	Psalms 23	Phil. 4:4–13	Matt. 22:1–14
	Oct. 18 (Prop. 24)	Twenty-first S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 45:1–7	Psalms 96:1–9 (10–13)	1 Thess. 1:1–10	Matt. 22:15– 22
	or	St. Luke	Isaiah 35:5–8	Psalms 147:1– 11	2 Tim. 4:5–18	Luke 10:1–9
REFORMATION	Oct. 25 (Observed)	Reformation Day (Oct. 31)	Rev. 14:6–7	Psalms 46	Rom. 3:19–28	Matt. 11:12– 19 or John 8:31–36
	or (Prop. 25)	Twenty-second S. after Pentecost	Lev. 19:1–2, 15–18	Psalms 1	1 Thess. 2:1–13	Matt. 22:34– 46
ALL SAINTS' DAY	Nov. 1	All Saints' Day	Rev. 7:(2–8) 9–17	Psalms 149	1 John 3:1–3	Matt. 5:1–12
	Nov. 8 (Prop. 27)	Twenty-fourth S. after Pentecost	Amos 5:18–24	Psalms 70	1 Thess. 4:13– 18	Matt. 25:1–13
	Nov. 15 (Prop. 28)	Twenty-fifth S. after Pentecost	Zeph. 1:7–16	Psalms 90:1–12	1 Thess. 5:1–11	Matt. 25:14– 30
	Nov. 22 (Prop. 29)	Last S. of the Church Year	Ezek. 34:11– 16, 20–24	Psalms 95:1–7a	1 Cor. 15:20–28	Matt. 25:31– 46
THANKSGIVING	Nov. 26	Thanksgiving Day	Deut. 8:1–10	Psalms 67	Phil. 4:6–20 or 1 Tim. 2:1–4	Luke 17:11–19
New Church Year Starts Here (2026–2027) — Series B						
ADVENT 2026	Nov. 29 2026	First S. in Advent	Isaiah 64:1–9	Psalms 80:1–7	1 Cor. 1:3–9	Mark 11:1–10 or Mark 13:24–37
	Dec. 6	Second S. in Advent	Isaiah 40:1–11	Psalms 85	2 Peter 3:8–14	Mark 1:1–8

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	Dec. 13	Third S. in Advent	Isaiah 61:1–4, 8–11	Psalm 126	1 Thess. 5:16– 24	John 1:6–8, 19–28
	Dec. 20	Fourth S. in Advent	2 Sam. 7:1–11, 16	Psalm 89:1–5 (19–29)	Rom. 16:25–27	Luke 1:26–38
	Dec. 24	The Nativity of Our Lord <i>(Christmas Eve)</i>	Isaiah 7:10–14	Psalm 110:1–4	1 John 4:7–16	Matt. 1:18–25
CHRISTMAS 2026	Dec. 25	The Nativity of Our Lord <i>(Midnight)</i>	Isaiah 9:2–7	Psalm 96	Titus 2:11–14	Luke 2:1–14 (15–20)
		The Nativity of Our Lord <i>(Dawn)</i>	Isaiah 62:10– 12	Psalm 98	Titus 3:4–7	Luke 2:(1–14) 15–20
		The Nativity of Our Lord <i>(Day)</i>	Isaiah 52:7–10	Psalm 2	Heb. 1:1–6 (7– 12)	John 1:1–14 (15–18)
	Dec. 27	First S. after Christmas	Isaiah 61:10– 62:3	Psalm 111	Gal. 4:4–7	Luke 2:22–40
	<i>or</i>	St. John	Rev. 1:1–6	Psalm 11	1 John 1:1–2:2	John 21:20–25
	Dec. 31	Eve of the Circ. and Name of Jesus <i>(New Year's Eve)</i>	Isaiah 30:(8– 14) 15–17	Psalm 90:1–12	Rom. 8:31b–39	Luke 12:35–40