

# YEAR B 2018 CHURCH YEAR CALENDAR



SUNDAYS AND PRINCIPAL FESTIVALS	FIRST READING	PSALM	SECOND READING	GOSPEL	HYMN OF THE DAY		
Dec 3, '17	1 Advent	Isa 64:1-9	Ps 80:1-7, 17-19	1 Cor 1:3-9	Mark 13:24-37	Lo! He comes with clouds descending	435
Dec 10	2 Advent	Isa 40:1-11	Ps 85:1-2, 8-13	2 Peter 3:8-15a	Mark 1:1-8	Comfort, comfort now my people	256
Dec 17	3 Advent	Isa 61:1-4, 8-11	Ps 126 <i>or Luke 1:46b-55</i>	1 Thess 5:16-24	John 1:6-8, 19-28	Hark! A thrilling voice is sounding!	246
Dec 24	4 Advent	2 Sam 7:1-11, 16	Luke 1:46b-55 <i>or Ps 89:1-4, 19-26</i>	Rom 16:25-27	Luke 1:26-38	Savior of the nations, come	263
Dec 24	Christmas Eve	Isa 9:2-7	Ps 96	Titus 2:11-14	Luke 2:1-14 [15-20]	From heaven above	268
Dec 25	Christmas Day I	Isa 62:6-12	Ps 97	Titus 3:4-7	Luke 2:[1-7] 8-20	Go tell it on the mountain	290
	Christmas Day II	Isa 52:7-10	Ps 98	Heb 1:1-4 [5-12]	John 1:1-14	Of the Father's love begotten	295
Dec 31	1 Christmas	Isa 61:10-62:3	Ps 148	Gal 4:4-7	Luke 2:22-40	What child is this	296
Jan 6, '18	Epiphany of Our Lord	Isa 60:1-6	Ps 72:1-7, 10-14	Eph 3:1-12	Matt 2:1-12	O Morning Star, how fair and bright!	308
Jan 7	Baptism of Our Lord	Gen 1:1-5	Ps 29	Acts 19:1-7	Mark 1:4-11	When Jesus came to Jordan	305
Jan 14	2 Epiphany	1 Sam 3:1-10 [11-20]	Ps 139:1-6, 13-18	1 Cor 6:12-20	John 1:43-51	Here I Am, Lord	574
Jan 21	3 Epiphany	Jonah 3:1-5, 10	Ps 62:5-12	1 Cor 7:29-31	Mark 1:14-20	Jesus calls us, o'er the tumult	696
Jan 28	4 Epiphany	Deut 18:15-20	Ps 111	1 Cor 8:1-13	Mark 1:21-28	Rise, shine, you people!	665
Feb 4	5 Epiphany	Isa 40:21-31	Ps 147:1-11, 20c	1 Cor 9:16-23	Mark 1:29-39	Praise the One who breaks the darkness	843
Feb 11	Transfiguration of Our Lord	2 Kings 2:1-12	Ps 50:1-6	2 Cor 4:3-6	Mark 9:2-9	Jesus on the mountain peak	317
Feb 14	Ash Wednesday	Joel 2:1-2, 12-17 <i>or Isa 58:1-12</i>	Ps 51:1-17	2 Cor 5:20b-6:10	Matt 6:1-6, 16-21	Out of the depths I cry to you	600
Feb 18	1 Lent	Gen 22:1-17	Ps 25:1-10	1 Peter 3:18-22	Mark 1:9-15	Jesus, still lead on	624
Feb 25	2 Lent	Gen 17:1-7, 15-16	Ps 22:23-31	Rom 4:13-25	Mark 3:31-35	Lord, thee I love with all my heart	750
Mar 4	3 Lent	Exod 20:1-17	Ps 19	1 Cor 1:18-25	John 2:13-22	All my hope on God is founded	757
Mar 11	4 Lent	Num 21:4-9	Ps 107:1-3, 17-22	Eph 2:1-10	John 3:14-21	God loved the world	323
Mar 18	5 Lent	Jer 31:31-34	Ps 51:1-12 <i>or Ps 119:9-16</i>	Heb 5:5-10	John 12:29-35	Said that in earth is dying	330
Mar 25	Passion/Palm Sunday Color: Scarlet or Purple	Isa 50:4-9a	Ps 31:9-16	Phil 2:5-11	Mark 14:1-15:47 <i>or Mark 15:1-39 [40-47]</i>	My song is love unknown	343
Mar 29	Maundy Thursday Color: Scarlet or White	Exod 12:1-4 [5-10] 11-14	Ps 116:1-2, 12-19	1 Cor 11:23-26	John 13:1-17, 31b-35	Where charity and love prevail	359
Mar 30	Good Friday Color: None, altar is stripped	Isa 52:13-53:12	Ps 22	Heb 10:16-25 <i>or Heb 4:14-16, 5:7-9</i>	John 18:1-19:42	Christ, the life of all the living	339
Mar 31	Easter Vigil*			Rom 6:3-11	John 20:1-18	We know that Christ is raised	449
Apr 1	Easter Day	Acts 10:34-43 <i>or Isa 25:6-9</i>	Ps 118:1-2, 14-24	1 Cor 15:1-11 <i>or Acts 10:34-43</i>	Mark 16:1-8 <i>or John 20:1-18</i>	Christ is risen! Shout hosanna!	383
Apr 8	2 Easter	Acts 4:32-35	Ps 133	1 John 1:1-2:2	John 20:19-31	We walk by faith	635
Apr 15	3 Easter	Acts 3:12-19	Ps 4	1 John 3:1-7	Luke 24:36b-48	With high delight let us unite	368
Apr 22	4 Easter	Acts 4:5-12	Ps 23	1 John 3:16-24	John 10:11-18	The King of love my shepherd is	502
Apr 29	5 Easter	Acts 8:26-40	Ps 22:25-31	1 John 4:7-21	John 15:1-8	O blessed spring	447
May 6	6 Easter	Acts 10:44-48	Ps 98	1 John 5:1-6	John 15:9-17	Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love	708
May 10	Ascension of Our Lord	Acts 1:1-11	Ps 47 <i>or Ps 93</i>	Eph 1:15-23	Luke 24:44-53	A hymn of glory let us sing!	393

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May 13	7 Easter	Acts 1:15-17, 21-26	Ps 1	1 John 5:9-13	John 17:6-19	Alleluia! Sing to Jesus 392
May 20	Day of Pentecost	Acts 2:1-21 or Ezek 37:1-14	Ps 104:24-34, 35b	Rom 8:22-27 or Acts 2:1-21	John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15	Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord 395
May 27	The Holy Trinity	Isa 6:1-8	Ps 29	Rom 8:12-17	John 3:1-17	Mothering God, you gave me birth 735
Jun 3	Lectionary 9 (Pent 2)	Deut 5:12-15	Ps 81:1-10	2 Cor 4:5-12	Mark 2:23--3:6	O day of rest and gladness 521
Jun 10	Lectionary 10 (Pent 3)	Gen 3:8-15	Ps 130	2 Cor 4:13--5:1	Mark 3:20-35	God, my Lord, my strength 795
Jun 17	Lectionary 11 (Pent 4)	Ezek 17:22-24	Ps 92:1-4, 12-15	2 Cor 5:6-10 [11-13] 14-17	Mark 4:26-34	We raise our hands to you, O Lord 690
Jun 24	John the Baptist or Lectionary 12 (Pent 5)	Mal 3:1-4	Ps 141	Acts 13:13-26	Luke 1:57-67 [68-80]	By all your saints 421, st. 14
Jul 1	Lectionary 13 (Pent 6)	Job 38:1-11 Lam 3:22-33 or Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24	Ps 107:1-3, 23-32 Ps 30	2 Cor 6:1-13 2 Cor 8:7-15	Mark 4:35-41 Mark 5:21-43	Praise, praise! You are my rock 862 O Christ, the healer, we have come 610
Jul 8	Lectionary 14 (Pent 7)	Ezek 2:1-5	Ps 123	2 Cor 12:2-10	Mark 6:1-13	Lord, you give the great commission 579
Jul 15	Lectionary 15 (Pent 8)	Amos 7:7-15	Ps 85:8-13	Eph 1:3-14	Mark 6:14-29	Let justice flow like streams 717
Jul 22	Lectionary 16 (Pent 9)	Jer 23:1-6	Ps 23	Eph 2:11-22	Mark 6:30-34, 53-56	My Shepherd, you supply my need 782
Jul 29	Lectionary 17 (Pent 10)	2 Kings 4:42-44	Ps 145:10-18	Eph 3:14-21	John 6:1-21	We come to the hungry feast 479
Aug 5	Lectionary 18 (Pent 11)	Exod 16:2-4, 9-15	Ps 78:23-29	Eph 4:1-16	John 6:24-35	O bread of life from heaven 480
Aug 12	Lectionary 19 (Pent 12)	1 Kings 19:4-8	Ps 34:1-8	Eph 4:25--5:2	John 6:35, 41-51	O Jesus, joy of loving hearts 658
Aug 19	Lectionary 20 (Pent 13)	Prov 9:1-6	Ps 34:9-14	Eph 5:15-20	John 6:51-58	We eat the bread of teaching 518
Aug 26	Lectionary 21 (Pent 14)	Josh 24:1-2a, 14-18	Ps 34:15-22	Eph 6:10-20	John 6:56-69	O Jesus, I have promised 810
Sep 2	Lectionary 22 (Pent 15)	Deut 4:1-2, 6-9	Ps 15	James 1:17-27	Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23	O God, my faithful God 806
Sep 9	Lectionary 23 (Pent 16)	Isa 35:4-7a	Ps 146	James 2:1-10 [11-13] 14-17	Mark 7:24-37	Light dawns on a weary world 726
Sep 16	Lectionary 24 (Pent 17)	Isa 50:4-9a	Ps 116:1-9	James 3:1-12	Mark 8:27-38	Lift high the cross 660
Sep 23	Lectionary 25 (Pent 18)	Jer 11:18-20 or Wis 1:16--2:1, 12-22	Ps 54	James 3:13--4:3, 7-8a	Mark 9:30-37	I want to walk as a child of the light 815
Sep 30	Lectionary 26 (Pent 19)	Num 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29	Ps 19:7-14	James 5:13-20	Mark 9:38-50	Where cross the crowded ways of life 719
Oct 7	Lectionary 27 (Pent 20)	Gen 2:18-24	Ps 8	Heb 1:1-4, 2:5-12	Mark 10:2-16	God, when human bonds are broken 603
Oct 8	Thanksgiving (Canada)	Joel 2:21-27	Ps 126	1 Tim 2:1-7	Matt 6:25-33	Praise to the Lord, the Almighty 858/859
Oct 14	Lectionary 28 (Pent 21)	Amos 5:6-7, 10-15	Ps 90:12-17	Heb 4:12-16	Mark 10:17-31	Son of God, eternal Savior 655
Oct 21	Lectionary 29 (Pent 22)	Isa 53:4-12	Ps 91:9-16	Heb 5:1-10	Mark 10:35-45	Holy God, holy and glorious 637
Oct 28	Reformation Sunday or Lectionary 30 (Pent 23)	Jer 31:31-34 Jer 31:7-9	Ps 46 Ps 126	Rom 3:19-28 Heb 7:23-28	John 8:31-36 Mark 10:46-52	Listen, God is calling 519 Rise, shine, you people! 665
Nov 4	All Saints Sunday or Lectionary 31 (Pent 24)	Isa 25:6-9 or Wis 3:1-9 Deut 6:1-9	Ps 24 Ps 119:1-8	Rev 21:1-6a Heb 9:11-14	John 11:32-44 Mark 12:28-34	In heaven above 630 Love divine, all loves excelling 631
Nov 11	Lectionary 32 (Pent 25)	1 Kings 17:8-16	Ps 146	Heb 9:24-28	Mark 12:38-44	For the fruit of all creation 679
Nov 18	Lectionary 33 (Pent 26)	Dan 12:1-3	Ps 16	Heb 10:11-14 [15-18] 19-25	Mark 13:1-8	My Lord, what a morning 438
Nov 22	Thanksgiving (U.S.A.)	Joel 2:21-27	Ps 126	1 Tim 2:1-7	Matt 6:25-33	Praise to the Lord, the Almighty 858/859
Nov 25	Christ the King	Dan 7:9-10, 13-14	Ps 93	Rev 1:4b-8	John 18:33-37	At the name of Jesus 416

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