JANUARY 2018
Indeed, nothing is to be preferred to the Work of God. (RB 43)

1 White* Mon. SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD (OCTAVE DAY OF CHRISTMAS) OA. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 18 (Nm 6: 22-27; Ps 67: 2-3,5,6,8; Gal 4: 4-7; Lk 2:16-21), Cr, Pref of BVM I (on the Solemnity of the Motherhood), in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion... – 2d Vesp

Votive Masses, Masses “for various needs and occasions,” and “daily” Masses for the dead are forbidden from 2 to 6 January, except as provided in nos. 374, 376 and 381 of the General Instruction (GIRM).
The First Week of the Psalter begins tomorrow in the Liturgy of the Hours.
As regards the selection of Prefaces on Memorials, see the directions in the introduction, supra, page xvii.

2 White † Tue. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops, Doctors of the Church. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 205 (1Jn 2: 22-28; Ps 98: 1, 2-3, 3-4; Jn 1: 19-28), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

3 White ‡ Wed after Octave of Christmas. Proper Mass, readings no. 206 (1Jn 2: 29 to 3: 6; Ps 98: 1, 3-4, 5-6; Jn 1: 29-34), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord – Vesp of weekday

Or white ‡ Holy Name of Jesus, Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 206 (as supra), Pref of Holy Name (cf., Votive Mass) – Vesp of Memorial

In Puerto Rico: As supra, or white or blue ‡ Our Lady of Bethlehem. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM – Vesp of Memorial

Nameday of Bishop Roger (An) tomorrow.

4 White ‡ Thu after Octave of Christmas. Proper Mass, readings no. 207 (1Jn 3: 7-10; Ps 98: 1, 7-8, 9; Jn 1: 35-42), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord – Vesp of Weekday

U.S.A.: As supra or white ‡ Elizabeth Ann Seton, Married Woman, Religious Founder, Educator. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 207 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

5 White ‡ Fri after Octave of Christmas. Proper Mass, readings no. 208 (1Jn 3: 11-21; Ps 100: 1-2,3,4,5; Jn 1: 43-51), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord – Vesp of Weekday

U.S.A.: As supra or white ‡ John Neumann, Bishop, Religious, Missionary, Educator. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 208 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

Where Epiphany is not transferred to Sunday: 1st Vesp of following OA

Dioc Tulsa: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

Nameday of Abbot Warren tomorrow.

6 White ‡ Sat after Octave of Christmas. At the Office of Readings the Second Reading is that assigned to 30 December (S. Cong. for Divine Worship, 21 Oct. 1978). Proper Mass, readings no. 209 (1Jn 5: 5-13; Ps 147: 12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Mk 1: 7-11), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord – 1st Vesp of following OA

U.S.A.: As supra or white ‡ André Bessette, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 209 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – 1st Vesp of following OA

Where Epiphany is not transferred to Sunday: * White * Sat. EPIPHANY. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 20 (Is 60: 1-6: Ps 72: 1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Eph 3: 2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2: 1-12), Cr, Pref of Epiphany, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion... – 2d Vesp

7 * White * Sun. EPIPHANY. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 20 (Is 60: 1-6; Ps 72: 1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Eph 3: 2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2: 1-12), Cr, Pref of Epiphany, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion... – 2d Vesp

Where Epiphany is not transferred to Sunday: * White Sun. BAPTISM OF THE LORD. Feast. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 21 (Is 42: 1-4, 6-7 or Is 55: 1-11; Ps 29: 1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 or Is 12: 2-3, 4bdc, 5-6; Acts 10: 34-38 or 1Jn 5: 1-9; Mk 1: 7-11), Cr, Pref of the Baptism – 2d Vesp, with which Christmas Time ends

On 7 October 1977, the Sacred Congregation for the Sacraments and Divine Worship decreed that when the Epiphany falls on 7 or 8 January, the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord is to be transferred to the following Monday. Only two readings are read and the Creed is omitted.

8 White Mon. BAPTISM OF THE LORD. Feast. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 21 (Is 42: 1-4, 6-7 or Is 55: 1-11 or Acts 10: 34-38 or 1Jn 5:1-9; Ps 29: 1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 or Is 12: 2-3, 4bdc, 5-6; Mk 1:7-11), Pref of the Baptism – 2d Vesp, with which Christmas Time ends
ORDINARY TIME

The First Week of the Psalter is resumed tomorrow.
The First Reading at Mass in the weekday Lectionary is that for Year II in 2018.
On the weekdays of Ordinary Time any of the 34 Masses for the Sundays and Weekdays of this season may be chosen for pastoral reasons. In regard to the choice of the Collect at Mass on a weekday of Ordinary Time, see the General Instruction, no. 363.

9 Green ♦ Tue of 1st Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 306 (1Sm 1: 9-20; 1Sm 2: 1, 4-5, 6-7, 8; Mk 1: 21b-28), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

10 Green ♦ Wed of 1st Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 307 (1Sm 3: 1-10, 19-20; Ps 40: 2-5, 7-8, 9-9, 10; Mk 1: 29-39), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white ♦ Gregory of Nyssa, Bishop. Opt Mem. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 11) readings no. 307 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

11 Green ♦ Thu of 1st Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 308 (1Sm 4: 1-11; Ps 44: 10-11, 14-15, 25-26; Mk 1: 40-45), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

12 Green ♦ Fri of 1st Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 309 (1Sm 8: 4-7, 10-22a; Ps 89: 16-17, 18-19; Mk 2: 1-12), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

13 Green ♦ Sat of 1st Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 310 (1Sm 9: 1-4, 17-19 and 10: 1a; Ps 21: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 2: 13-17), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   Or white ♦ Hilary, Bishop, Doctor of the Church. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 310 (as supra), Pref of Pastors
   Or white ♦ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II
   On the Sundays and certain solemnities and feasts of 2018 the Mass Readings are those of Cycle B.

14 ♠ Green SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In MassGl, readings no. 65 (1Sm 3: 3b-10, 19; Ps 40: 2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10; 1Cor 6: 13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1: 35-42), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp of Memorial.

15 White ♦ Mon. Maur and Placid, Disciples of Benedict. Memorial. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 12) readings no. 311 (1Sm 15: 16-23; Ps 50: 8-9, 16-17, 21,23; Mk 2: 18-22), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

16 Green ♦ Tue of 2d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 312 (1Sm 16: 1-13; Ps 89: 20, 21-22, 27-28; Mk 2: 23-28), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Abadía de San Antonio Abad: 1st Vesp of following

17 White ♦ Wed. Anthony, Abbot. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 313 (1Sm 17: 32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144: 1,2, 9-10; Mk 3: 1-6), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
   Abadía de San Antonio Abad: White ANTHONY, ABBOT, TITULAR. Solemnity. In MassGl, 3 readings no. 737ff. or 513 (Ps 16: 1-2, 5, 7-8, 11; Eph 6: 10-13, 18; Mt 19: 16-26), Cr, Pref of Virgins and Religious - 2d Vesp of Week of Prayer for Christian Unity from 18 to 25 January.

18 Green ♦ Thu of 2d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 314 (1Sm 18: 6-9 and 19: 1-7; Ps 56: 2-3, 9-10, 10-12, 13-14; Mk 3: 7-12), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

19 Green ♦ Fri of 2d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 315 (1Sm 24: 3-21; Ps 57: 2, 3-4, 6,11; Mk 3: 13-19), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

20 Green ♦ Sat of 2d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 316 (2Sm 1: 1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80: 2-3, 5-7; Mk 3: 20-21), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
21 * **Green THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.** In Mass Gl, readings no. 68 (Jon 3: 1-5, 10; Ps 25: 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1Cor 7: 29-31; Mk 1: 14-20), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

22 **Green** Mon of 3d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 317 (2Sm 5: 1-7, 10; Ps 89: 20, 21-22, 25-26; Mk 3: 22-30), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

- **Or red** Vincent, Deacon, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 317 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
- **U.S.A.:** Or Violet or White Day of prayer for the legal protection of unborn children. In Mass “For Peace and Justice” (readings no. 887-891); or Mass “For Giving Thanks to God for the Gift of Human Life,” readings no. 947A-947E (from Lectionary for Mass Supplement)

23 **Green** Tue of 3d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 318 (2Sm 6: 12-15; 17-19; Ps 24: 7,8,9,10; Mk 3: 31-35), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

- **U.S.A.:** As supra or red **Vincent, Deacon, Martyr** (22 Jan.). Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 318 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
- **U.S.A.:** As supra or white **Marianne Cope, Virgin**. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 318 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial

24 **White** Wed. Francis de Sales, Bishop, Religious Founder, Doctor of the Church. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 319 (2Sm 7: 4-17; Ps 89: 4-5, 27-28, 29-30; Mk 4: 1-20), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

- **Dioc Wilmington:** White **FRANCIS DE SALES, PATRON OF DIOCESE.** Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 719ff. or 725ff., Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Feast

25 **White** Thu. CONVERSION OF PAUL, * APOSTLE. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 519 (Acts 22: 3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117: 1,2; Mk 16: 15-18), Pref of Apostles I – Vesp of Feast

- Close of Week of Prayer for Christian Unity.
- **Dioc Birmingham:** Patron of Dioc. Feast (as supra).
- **Dioc of St Petersburg:** Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow

26 **Green** Fri of 3d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 321 (2Sm 11: 1-4, 5-10, 13-17; Ps 51: 3-4, 5-6, 6-7, 10-11; Mk 4: 26-34), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

- **Or white** Robert, Alberic and Stephen, Abbots of Citeaux. Opt Mem. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 13) readings no. 321 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

27 **Green** Sat of 3d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 322 (2Sm 12: 1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51: 12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Mk 4: 35-41), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

- **Or white** Timothy and Titus, Bishops (26 Jan.). Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 520 (2Tm 1: 1-8 or Ti 1: 1-5; Ps 96: 1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 10; Lk 10: 1-9), Pref of Pastors
- **Or white** Angela Merici, Virgin, Religious Founder, Educator. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 322 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious

- **Or white** Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II

28 * **Green FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.** In Mass Gl, readings no. 71 (Dt 18: 15-20; Ps 95: 1-2, 6-7, 7-9; 1Cor 7: 32-35; Mk 1: 21-28), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

- St. Leo Abbey: 1st Vesp of following

29 **Green** Mon of 4th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 323 (2Sm 15: 13-14, 30 and 16: 5-13a; Ps 3: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 5: 1-20), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

- **St. Leo Abbey:** WHITE ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp
- **Dioc Colorado Springs:** Anniv of Bishop’s installation tomorrow.

30 **Green** Tue of 4th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 324 (2Sm 18: 9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30 to 19:3; Ps 86: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mk 5: 21-43), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
31 White Wed. John Bosco, Priest, Religious Founder, Educator. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 325 (2Sm 24: 2, 9-17; Ps 32: 1-2, 5,6,7; Mk 6: 1-6), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
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1 Green □ Thu of 4th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 326 (1Kgs 2: 1-4, 10-12; 1Chr 29: 10,11, 11-12, 12; Mk 6: 7-13), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

2 White Fri. PRESENTATION OF THE LORD. Feast. Before the Conventual or Principal Mass blessing of candles in a suitable place, procession or solemn entrance during Entrance Antiphon, altar is kissed and incensed, but salutation, Penitential Act, and “Lord, have mercy” are omitted, and Mass begins with Gl, readings no. 524 (Mal 3: 1-4 or Heb 2: 14-18; Ps 24: 7,8,9,10; Lk 2: 22-40), Pref of Presentation – Vesp of Feast
   Tomorrow all voices are used, and Mass begins with Gl, readings no. 524 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors
   Nominated by Abbot-archbishop Rembert tomorrow.

3 Green □ Sat of 4th Week in Ordinary Times. In Mass readings no. 328 (1Kgs 3: 4-13; Ps 119: 9,10,11,12,13,14; Mk 6: 30-34), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   Or white □ Ansgar, Bishop, Religious, Missionary. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 328 (as supra), Pref of Pastors
   Or red □ Blaise, Bishop, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 328 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors
   Or white □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II
   Nominated by Abbot-archbishop Rembert tomorrow.

4 *Green FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 74 (Jb 7: 1-4, 6-7; Ps 147: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; 1Cor 9: 16-19, 22-23; Mk 1: 29-39), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

5 Red □ Mon. Agatha, * Virgin, Martyr. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 329 (1Kgs 8: 1-7, 9-13; Ps 132: 6-7, 8-10; Mk 6: 53-56), Pref of Martyrs or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
   Dioc Cuautitlán: Red PHILIP OF JESUS, MARTYR. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 713ff. or 737ff., Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Feast
   In Japan: Red PAUL MIKI, RELIGIOUS, MISSIONARY, MARTYR, AND HIS COMPANIONS, MARTYRS (6 Feb.). Feast. In Mass (Comm of Martyrs) Gl, readings no. 713ff. or 528 (Gal 2: 19-20; Ps 126: 1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6; Mt 28: 16-20), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Feast

6 Red □ Tue. Paul Miki, Religious, Missionary, Martyr, and his Companions, Martyrs. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 330 (1Kgs 8: 22-23, 27-30; Ps 84: 3,4,5,10,11; Mk 7: 1-13), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
   In Japan: Red □ Agatha, * Virgin, Martyr (5 Feb.). Memorial. In Mass readings no. 330 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

7 Green □ Wed of 5th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 331 (1Kgs 10: 1-10; Ps 37: 5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mk 7: 14-23), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

8 Green □ Thu of 5th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 332 (1Kgs 11: 4-13; Ps 106: 3-4, 35-36, 37,40; Mk 7: 24-30), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white □ Jerome Emiliani, Priest, Religious Founder. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 332 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
   Or white □ Josephine Bakhita, Virgin. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 332 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

9 Green □ Fri of 5th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 333 (1Kgs 11: 29-32 and 12:19; Ps 81: 10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Mk 7: 31-37), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   For Sisters: 1st Vesp of following

10 White Sat. SCHOLASTICA, VIRGIN, RELIGIOUS FOUNDER. Feast. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 14) Gl, readings no. 731ff. or 530 (Sg 8: 6-7; Ps 148: 1-2, 11-13, 13-14; Lk 10: 38-42), Pref of Virgins and Religious – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   For Sisters: White SCHOLASTICA, VIRGIN, RELIGIOUS FOUNDER. Solemnity. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 14) Gl, 3 readings no. 731ff. or 530 (as supra), Cr, Pref of Scholastic - 2d Vesp
   Tomorrow announce Ash Wednesday and the beginning of Lent.
11 ★ Green SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 77 (Lv 13: 1-2, 44-46; Ps 32: 1-2, 5,11; 1Cor 10: 31 to 11: 1; Mk 1: 40-45), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

12 Green □ Mon of 6th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 335 (Jas 1: 1-11; Ps 119: 67,68,71,72,75,76; Mk 8: 11-13), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

13 Green □ Tue of 6th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 336 (Jas 1: 12-18; Ps 94: 12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8: 14-21), Common Preface, Vesp of Weekday

**LENT**

“Alleneula” is never said in Lent. Before and after the Verse before the Gospel “alleluia” is replaced by one of the acclamations provided in the Lectionary.

Votive Masses, Masses “for various needs and occasions,” and “daily” Masses for the dead are forbidden in Lent, except as provided in nos. 374, 376 and 381 of the General Instruction (GIRM).

When a memorial occurs on a weekday of Lent, excluding Ash Wednesday and Holy Week, an optional commemoration may be made at Lauds and Vespers, adding, after the prayer of the Lenten weekday, the antiphon (at the Benedictus or Magnificat respectively) and prayer of the saint, all under one conclusion; the Collect (only) of the saint may be substituted for that of the Lenten weekday at the Mass.

In churches having only one Mass tomorrow, a funeral Mass is forbidden if the blessing of ashes takes place.

In Lent the playing of the organ and other musical instruments is allowed only to support the singing. Exceptions are Laetare Sunday (Fourth Sunday of Lent), solemnities and feasts; cf. GIRM no. 315.

Flowers may not be used for decorating the altar.

On Ash Wednesday and the three following days, the psalms and canticles are those of the Fourth Week of the Psalter.

14 Violet ASH WEDNESDAY (EF). In the Conventual or Principal Mass the Penitential Act is omitted, 3 readings no. 219 (Jl 2: 12-18; Ps 51: 3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14,17; 2Cor 5: 20 to 6: 2; Mt 6: 1-6, 16-18), Blessing and imposition of ashes after the homily, Pref of Lent III-IV – Vesp of Weekday

15 Violet ‡ Thu after Ash Wednesday. Proper Mass, readings no. 220 (Dt 30: 15-20; Ps 1: 1-2, 3,4,6; Lk 9: 22-25), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

16 Violet ‡ Fri after Ash Wednesday. Proper Mass, readings no. 221 (Is 58: 1-9a; Ps 51: 3-4, 5-6, 18-19; Mt 9: 14-15), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

17 Violet ‡ Sat after Ash Wednesday. Proper Mass, readings no. 222 (Is 58: 9b-14; Ps 86: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 5: 27-32), Pref of Lent I-IV – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

At Lauds optional commemoration of the Seven Founders of the Order of Servites, Religious. At Mass optional Collect of the Seven Founders.

The First Week of the Psalter is resumed at Vespers today.

18 ★ Violet ★ FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT. In Mass readings no. 23 (Gn 9: 8-15; Ps 25: 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1Pt 3: 18-22; Mk 1: 12-15), Cr, Proper Pref of this Sunday – 2d Vesp

19 Violet ‡ Mon of 1st Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 224 (Lv 19: 1-2, 11-18; Ps 19: 8,9,10,15; Mt 25: 31-46), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

20 Violet ‡ Tue of 1st Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 225 (Is 55: 10-11; Ps 34: 4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Mt 6: 7-15), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

21 Violet ‡ Wed of 1st Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 226 ( Jon 3: 1-10; Ps 51: 3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11: 29-32), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

At Lauds and Vespers optional commemoration of Peter Damian, Bishop, Religious, Doctor of the Church. At Mass optional Collect of Peter Damian.

22 White Thu. CHAIR OF PETER ★ APOSTLE. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 535 (1Pt 5: 1-4; Ps 23: 1-3, 4,5,6; Mt 16: 13-19), Pref of Apostles – Vesp of Feast
23 *Violet † Fri of 1st Week of Lent.* Proper Mass, readings no. 228 (Ez 18: 21-28; Ps 130: 1-2, 3-4, 4-6, 7-8; Mt 5: 20-26), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday
   At Lauds and Vespers optional commemoration of Polycarp, Bishop, Martyr. At Mass optional Collect of Polycarp.

24 *Violet † Sat of 1st Week of Lent.* Proper Mass, readings no. 229 (Dt 26: 16-19; Ps 119: 1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5: 43-48), Pref of Lent I-IV – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

25 *Violet * SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT. In Mass readings no. 26 (Gn 22: 1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 116: 10,15, 16-17, 18-19; Rom 8: 31b-34; Mk 9: 2-10), Cr, Proper Pref of this Sunday – 2d Vesp

26 *Violet † Mon of 2d Week of Lent.* Proper Mass, readings no. 230 (Dn 9: 4b-10; Ps 79: 8,9,11,13; Lk 6: 36-38), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday
   Abbey of St. Walburga; St. Walburga Monastery, Elizabeth; St. Walburg Monastery, Covington: White WALBURGA, ABBESS, TITULAR (25 Feb.). Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 731ff., Cr, Pref of Virgins and Religious – 2d Vesp

27 *Violet † Tue of 2d Week of Lent.* Proper Mass, readings no. 231 (Is 1: 10, 16-20; Ps 50: 8-9,16-17, 21,23; Mt 23: 1-12), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday
   Dioc Paterson: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

28 *Violet † Wed of 2d Week of Lent.* Proper Mass, readings no. 232 (Jer 18: 18-20; Ps 31: 5-6, 14, 15-16; Mt 20: 17-28), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday
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1  *Violet* † Thu of 2d Week of Lent.  Proper Mass, readings no. 233 (Jer 17: 5-10; Ps 1: 1-2, 3,4,6; Lk 16: 19-31), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

2  *Violet* † Fri of 2d Week of Lent.  Proper Mass, readings no. 234 (Gn 37: 3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28; Ps 105: 16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Mt 21: 33-43, 45-46), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

3  *Violet* † Sat of 2d Week of Lent.  Proper Mass, readings no. 235 (Mi 7: 14-15, 18-20; Ps 103: 1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Lk 15: 1-3, 11-32), Pref of Lent I-IV – 1st Vesp of following Sunday


4  *Violet* † THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT.  In Mass readings no. 29 (Ex 20: 1-17; Ps 19: 8,9,10,11; 1Cor 1: 22-25; Jn 2: 13-25), Cr, Pref of Lent I or II, Communion Antiphon for Year B – 2d Vesp

   Today it is permitted to use the readings of Year A (no. 28: Ex 17: 3-7; Ps 95: 1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rom 5: 1-2, 5-8; Jn 4: 5-42) with the Proper Preface of this Sunday, primarily and “especially when candidates for baptism are present” (*Introduction to the Lectionary for Mass*, no. 13:1).  If they are not used, the optional Mass (no. 236: Ex 17: 1-7; Ps 95: 1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Jn 4: 5-42) may be celebrated on any feria of this week.

5  *Violet* † Mon of 3d Week of Lent.  Proper Mass, readings no. 237 (2Kgs 5: 1-15a; Ps 42: 2,3 and 43: 3,4; Lk 4: 24-30), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

6  *Violet* † Tue of 3d Week of Lent.  Proper Mass, readings no. 238 (Dn 3: 25, 34-43; Ps 25: 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 18: 21-35), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

7  *Violet* † Wed of 3d Week of Lent.  Proper Mass, readings no. 239 (Dt 4: 1, 5-9; Ps 147: 12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5: 17-19), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

   At Lauds and Vespers optional commemoration of Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs.  At Mass optional Collect of Perpetua and Felicity.

8  *Violet* † Thu of 3d Week of Lent.  Proper Mass, readings no. 240 (Jer 7: 23-28; Ps 95: 1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 11: 14-23), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday


9  *Violet* † Fri of 3d Week of Lent.  Proper Mass, readings no. 241 (Hos 14: 2-10; Ps 81: 6-8, 8-9, 10-11, 14,17; Mk 12: 28b-34), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

   At Lauds and Vespers optional commemoration of Frances of Rome, Married Woman, Religious Founder, Co-patron of Benedictine Oblates.  At Mass optional Collect of Frances of Rome.

10 *Violet* † Sat of 3d Week of Lent.  Proper Mass, readings no. 242 (Hos 6: 1-6; Ps 51: 3-4, 18-19, 20-21; Lk 18: 9-14), Pref of Lent I-IV – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

   The altar may be decorated with flowers on the Fourth Sunday of Lent.

11  *Rose* or *Violet* *FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT.  In Mass readings no. 32 (2Chr 36: 14-16, 19-23; Ps 137: 1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Eph 2: 4-10; Jn 3: 14-21), Cr, Pref of Lent I or II, Communion Antiphon for Year B – 2d Vesp

   Today it is permitted to use the readings of Year A (no. 31: 1Sm 16: 1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23: 1-3, 3-4, 5,6; Eph 5: 8-14; Jn 9: 1-41) with the Proper Preface of this Sunday, primarily and “especially when candidates for baptism are present” (*Introduction to the Lectionary for Mass*, no. 13:1).  If they are not used, the optional Mass (no. 243: Mt 7: 7-9; Ps 27: 1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14; Jn 9: 1-41) may be celebrated on any feria of this week.

   Novena in honour of our holy father Benedict begins tomorrow.

12  *Violet* † Mon of 4th Week of Lent.  Proper Mass, readings no. 244 (Is 65: 17-21; Ps 30: 2,4, 5-6, 11-13; Jn 4: 43-54), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

   Tomorrow is the fifth Anniversary of the Election of Pope Francis. In the intercessions there should be a special petition for the Holy Father.
13 Violet † Tue of 4th Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 245 (Ez 47: 1-9, 12; Ps 46: 2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5: 1-16), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

14 Violet † Wed of 4th Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 246 (Is 49: 8-15; Ps 145: 8-9, 13-14, 17-18; Jn 5: 17-30), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

15 Violet † Thu of 4th Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 247 (Ex 32: 7-14; Ps 106: 19-20, 21-22, 23; Jn 5: 31-47), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

16 Violet † Fri of 4th Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 248 (Wis 2: 1a, 12-22; Ps 34: 17-18, 19-20, 21, 23; Jn 7: 1-2, 10, 25-30), Pref of Lent I-IV – Vesp of Weekday

17 Violet † Sat of 4th Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 249 (Jer 11: 18-20; Ps 7: 2-3, 9-10, 11-12; Jn 7: 40-53), Pref of Lent I-IV – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

At Lauds optional commemoration of Patrick, Bishop, Missionary. At Mass optional Collect of Patrick.

Archdiocese Los Angeles, San Francisco, Diocese of: WHITE PATRICK, BISHOP, MISSIONARY, PATRON OF DIOCESE.

Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 719ff. or 541 (1Pt 4: 7b-11; Ps 96: 1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 10; Lk 5: 1-11), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Feast

“Crosses and images may be unveiled before the beginning of the Easter Vigil.” (USCCB Committee on the Liturgy Newsletter, March 2006).

18 * Violet * FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT. In Mass readings no. 35 (Jer 31: 31-34; Ps 51: 3-4, 12-13, 14-15; Heb 5: 7-9; Jn 12: 20-33), Cr, Pref of Lent I or II, Communion Antiphon for Year B – 2d Vesp

Today it is permitted to use the readings of Year A (no. 34: Ez 37: 12-14; Ps 130: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Rom 8: 8-11; Jn 11: 1-45) with the Proper Preface of this Sunday, primarily and “especially when candidates for baptism are present” (Introduction to the Lectionary for Mass, no. 13:1). If they are not used, the optional Mass (no. 250: 2Kgs 4: 18-21, 32-37; Ps 17: 1, 6-7, 8-15; Jn 11: 1-45) may be celebrated on any feria of this week.

Preface of Passion I is used on the weekdays of the Fifth Week of Lent.

Nameday of Bishop Joseph tomorrow.

19 White Mon. JOSEPH * SPOUSE OF THE VIRGIN MARY. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 543 (Sm 7: 4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89: 2-3, 4-5, 27, 29; Rom 4: 13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1: 16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2: 41, 51a), Cr, Pref of Joseph – 2d Vesp

20 Violet † Tue of 5th Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 252 (Nm 21: 4-9; Ps 102: 2-3, 16-18, 19-21; Jn 8: 21-30), Pref of Passion I – 1st Vesp of following OA

On 29 August 1972 the Sacred Congregation for Divine Worship acceded to the petition of the Abbot President that the celebration of our holy father Benedict on 21 March be observed as a solemnity in the American Cassinese Congregation. Its rank was reaffirmed by the General Chapter of the Congregation in June 1989.

Nameday of Abbot Benedict tomorrow.

21 White Wed. PASSING OF OUR HOLY FATHER BENEDICT, ABBOT. OA, Solemnity. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 17) Gl, 3 readings (Ps 2: 1-9; Ps 16: 1-2, 5, 7-8, 11; Eph 6: 10-13, 18; Mt 19: 27-29), Cr, Pref of Benedict – 2d Vesp

22 Violet † Thu of 5th Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 254 (Gn 17: 3-9; Ps 105: 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Jn 8: 51-59), Pref of Passion I – Vesp of Weekday

23 Violet † Fri of 5th Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 255 (Jer 20: 10-13; Ps 18: 2-3, 3-4, 5-6, 7; Jn 10: 31-42), Pref of Passion I – Vesp of Weekday

At Lauds and Vespers optional commemoration of Toribio de Mogrovejo, Bishop. At Mass optional Collect of Toribio.

24 Violet † Sat of 5th Week of Lent. Proper Mass, readings no. 256 (Ez 37: 21-28; Jer 31: 10, 11-12, 13; Jn 11: 45-57), Pref of Passion I – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

Nameday of Abbot Dismas tomorrow.

25 * Red * PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD. Procession before Conventual or Principal Mass, Solemn Entrance before other well attended masses: Gospel no. 37 (Mk 11: 1-10 or Jn 12: 12-16), altar is kissed and incensed, but the greeting, Penitential Act, and “Lord, have mercy” are omitted and Mass begins with the Collect (but after Simple Entrance during entrance antiphon before
other masses, Mass begins as usual), readings no. 38 (Is 50: 4-7; Ps 22: 8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24; Phil 2: 6-11; Mk 14: 1 to 15: 47), Cr, Pref of this Sunday – 2d Vesp
Preface of Passion II is used on the next three days.

26 Violet MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK. Proper Mass, readings no. 257 (Is 42: 1-7; Ps 27: 1,2,3, 13-14; Jn 12: 1-11), Pref of Passion II – Vesp of Weekday

27 Violet TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK. Proper Mass, readings no. 258 (Is 49: 1-6; Ps 71: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15,17; Jn 13: 21-33, 36-38), Pref of Passion II – Vesp of Weekday

28 Violet WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK. Proper Mass, readings no. 259 (Is 50: 4-9a; Ps 69: 8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34; Mt 26: 14-25), Pref of Passion II – Vesp of Weekday

29 Violet * THURSDAY OF HOLY WEEK. Ordinary office of Lent up to the Evening Mass exclusive.

Communion may be brought to the sick at any hour today. Other persons may receive only at the Chrism Mass and the Evening Mass.

Where some pastoral reason demands, the local Ordinary may permit that, in addition to the principal Mass of the Lord’s Supper, a second Mass may be celebrated in the evening in churches or public and semipublic oratories. In case of true necessity, he may permit this Mass to be celebrated even in the morning but then only for the faithful who are in no way able to participate in an Evening Mass. Care should be taken that celebrations of this kind should not be permitted for private advantage and they should not prejudice the principal Evening Mass.

Priests who have already concelebrated the Chrism Mass or another Mass for the benefit of the faithful may concelebrate again at the Evening Mass.

Funeral Masses are forbidden on Holy Thursday and during the Easter Triduum. The burial rites may be carried out in the church at a suitable hour.

For the Evening Mass the tabernacle must be empty; the hosts required for communion at that Mass and on Good Friday must be consecrated at the Evening Mass.

From the end of the Gloria in excelsis of the evening Mass on Holy Thursday until the Gloria of the Easter Vigil, the organ and other musical instruments may only be used to support the singing; cf. Missale Romanum (2002), p. 299, no. 7.

EASTER TRIDUUM

The Easter Triduum of the Lord’s Passion and Resurrection begins with the Evening Mass of the Lord’s Supper (white), OA, Gl, 3 readings no. 39 (Ex 12: 1-8, 11-14; Ps 116: 12-13, 15-16, 17-18; 1Cor 11: 23-26; Jn 13: 1-15), Pref of Eucharist I, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion.... Therefore, Lord, we pray: graciously accept.... and On the day before he was to suffer...; the concluding rite is omitted and the Blessed Sacrament is carried in procession to the place of repose – Vespers is said only by those who did not participate in the Evening Mass.

“At an opportune time the altar is stripped and, if it is possible, crosses are removed from the church. It is fitting that crosses which remain in the church be veiled.” (Paschale Solemnitas, 1988, cited in USCCB Committee on the Liturgy Newsletter, March 2006.

30 Red * THE PASSION OF THE LORD (GOOD FRIDAY) (EF) OA. Proper Office. Afternoon Liturgy of the Lord’s Passion, 3 readings no. 40 (Is 52: 13 to 53: 12; Ps 31: 2,6, 12-13, 15-16, 17,25; Heb 4: 14-16 and 5: 7-9; Jn 18: 1 to 19: 42) – Vespers is said only by those who did not participate in the Afternoon Liturgy

The third degree of humility (Rule of Benedict, Ch 7) is read today and tomorrow.

The liturgy must be celebrated in the afternoon, if possible around 3:00 p.m.

Communion may be given only during the Afternoon Liturgy, but Communion may be carried to the sick at any hour.

At a suitable time the Blessed Sacrament is carried privately to a place of repose, where a light is kept burning. The altar is stripped privately, but the cross and candles remain on it.

After the unveiling of the cross today, all genuflect to the cross until the beginning of the Easter Vigil.

31 Violet * HOLY SATURDAY. OA. Proper Office – Vesp at usual hour; Compline is said only by those who do not participate in the Easter Vigil.

Before the Vigil, Communion may be given only to the sick who are in danger of death.

Priests who celebrate or concelebrate the Easter Vigil may celebrate or concelebrate the Mass of Easter Day also, with an indult they may even binate or trinate.

The entire Easter Vigil must take place at night; it must begin after nightfall and end before dawn.
1 * White * THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD, EASTER SUNDAY, OA. Sollemnity with an Octave:

Easter Vigil: readings no. 41 (at least three from the Old Testament, always including Reading III), Gl, New Testament readings (Rom 6: 3-11; Ps 118: 16,17, 22-23; Mk 16: 1-7), baptismal liturgy after homily, Pref of Easter I (on this night), in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred night...in communion..., and Therefore, Lord, we pray: graciously accept..., and double alleluia in dismissal and response.

Those who do not participate in the Easter Vigil say the Office of Readings; “Alleluia” is again said after “God, come...”;” Lauds of Easter. In Mass of Easter Day Gl, readings no. 42 (Acts 10: 34a, 37-43; Ps 118: 1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3: 1-4 or 1Cor 5: 6b-8; Jn 20: 1-9 or the gospel from the Easter Vigil, as supra, may be read; at an afternoon Mass, gospel from no. 46, Lk 24: 13-35 may be read), Sequence after 2d Reading, renewal of baptismal promises replaces Cr, Pref of Easter I (on this day), in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion..., and Therefore, Lord, we pray: graciously accept..., double alleluia in dismissal and response – Vesp of the solemnity, with which the Triduum ends.

The paschal candle is lit for Mass, and Lauds and Vespers, of the more solemn liturgical celebrations of Easter Time (cf., Caeremoniale Episcoporum, no. 372 (1995). It may also be the local practice that it is lit for other liturgical celebrations during Easter Time according to the custom of the community.

“Regina Caeli” is sung after Compline throughout Easter Time.

“Alleluia” is added to the versicle and response of Benediction and at the giving of Communion outside Mass throughout Easter Time.

“The first eight days of Easter Time make up the octave of Easter and are celebrated as solemnities of the Lord” (General Norms for the Liturgical Year and the Calendar, no. 24).

2 White MONDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER. Sollemnity. In Mass Gl, readings no. 261 (Acts 2: 14, 22-33; Ps 16: 1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Mt 28: 8-15), optional Sequence, Pref of Easter I, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion..., and Therefore, Lord, we pray: graciously accept..., double alleluia in dismissal and response – Vesp of Octave

3 White TUESDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER. Sollemnity. In Mass Gl, readings no. 262 (Acts 2: 36-41; Ps 33: 4-5, 18-19, 20,22; Jn 20: 11-18), optional Sequence, Pref of Easter I, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion..., and Therefore, Lord, we pray: graciously accept..., double alleluia in dismissal and response – Vesp of Octave

4 White WEDNESDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER. Sollemnity. In Mass Gl, readings no. 263 (Acts 3: 1-10; Ps 105: 1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24: 13-35), optional Sequence, Pref of Easter I, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion..., and Therefore, Lord, we pray: graciously accept..., double alleluia in dismissal and response – Vesp of Octave

5 White THURSDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER. Sollemnity. In Mass Gl, readings no. 264 (Acts 3: 11-26; Ps 8: 2,5, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24: 35-48), optional Sequence, Pref of Easter I, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion..., and Therefore, Lord, we pray: graciously accept..., double alleluia in dismissal and response – Vesp of Octave

6 White FRIDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER. Sollemnity. In Mass Gl, readings no. 265 (Acts 4: 1-12; Ps 118: 1-2, 4, 22-24, 25-27; Jn 21: 1-14), optional Sequence, Pref of Easter I, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion..., and Therefore, Lord, we pray: graciously accept..., double alleluia in dismissal and response – Vesp of Octave

7 White SATURDAY IN THE OCTAVE OF EASTER. Sollemnity. In Mass Gl, readings no. 266 (Acts 4: 13-21; Ps 118: 1, 14-15, 16-18, 19-21; Mk 16: 9-15), optional Sequence, Pref of Easter I, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion..., and Therefore, Lord, we pray: graciously accept..., double alleluia in dismissal and response – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

8 * White * SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (Divine Mercy), In Mass Gl, readings no. 44 (Acts 4: 32-35; Ps 118: 2-4, 13-15, 22-24; 1Jn 5: 1-6; Jn 20: 19-31), optional Sequence after 2d Reading, Cr, Pref of
Easter I, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion..., and Therefore, Lord, we pray: graciously accept..., double alleluia in dismissal and response – 2d Vesp

Throughout Easter Time one “alleluia” is added to the entrance and communion antiphons, unless it is already there or is inappropriate to the sense of the words.

Votive Masses, Masses “for various needs and occasions,” and “daily” Masses for the dead are forbidden during Easter Time, except as provided in nos. 374, 376 and 381 of the General Instruction (GIRM).

The Second Week of the Psalter begins tomorrow.

As regards the selection of Prefaces on Memorials, see the directions in the introduction, supra, page

9 White Mon. ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD (25 Mar.). Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 545 (Is 7: 10-14 and 8: 10; Ps 40: 7-8, 8-9, 10,11; Heb 10: 4-10; Lk 1: 26-38), Cr (all genuflect at and by the Holy Spirit...became man), Pref of Annunciation – 2d Vesp

10 White Tue of 2d Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 268 (Acts 4: 32-37; Ps 93: 1, 1-2, 5; Jn 3: 7b-15), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday

Belmont Abbey: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH (28 Mar.). Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

11 Red Wed. Stanislaus, Bishop, Martyr. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 269 (Acts 5: 17-26; Ps 34: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Jn 3: 16-21), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

12 White Thu of 2d Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 270 (Acts 5: 27-33; Ps 34: 2,9, 17-18, 19-20; Jn 3: 31-36), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday

St. Martin’s Abbey: 1st Vesp of following


Or red Martin I, Pope, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 271 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

St. Martin’s Abbey: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 702ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

14 White Sat of 2d Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 272 (Acts 6: 1-7; Ps 33: 1-2, 4-5, 18-19; Jn 6: 16-21), Pref of Easter – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

15 * White Third Sunday of Easter. In Mass Gl, readings no. 47 (Acts 3: 13-15, 17-19; Ps 4: 2,4, 7-8, 9; 1Jn 2: 1-5a; Lk 24: 35-48), Cr, Pref of Easter, Communion Antiphon for Year B – 2d Vesp


17 White Tue of 3d Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 274 (Acts 7: 51 to 8: 1a; Ps 31: 3-4, 6,7,8,17,21; Jn 6: 30-35), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday

Canada: As supra or white Q Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 274 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

Dioc Savannah: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

18 White Wed of 3d Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 275 (Acts 8: 1b-8; Ps 66: 1-3, 4-5, 6-7; Jn 6: 35-40), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday

19 White Thu of 3d Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 276 (Acts 8: 26-40; Ps 66: 8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6: 44-51), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday

Archdioc Oklahoma City: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

20 White Fri of 3d Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 277 (Acts 9: 1-20; Ps 117: 1,2; Jn 6: 52-59), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday

St. Anselm Abbey: 1st Vesp of following
St. Anselm Abbey: White ANSELM, BISHOP, RELIGIOUS, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH, TITULAR. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 720ff., 726ff., or 552 (Ps 34: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11; Eph 3: 14-19; Mt 7: 21-29), Cr, Pref of Pastors – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

22 ★ White * FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, In Mass Gl, readings no. 50 (Acts 4: 8-12; Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23), 26,28,29; 1Jn 3: 1-2; Jn 10: 11-18), Cr, Pref of Easter – 2d Vesp

23 White □ Mon of 4th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 279 (Acts 11: 1-18; Ps 42: 2-3, and 43: 3,4; Jn 10: 1-10), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday
Or red □ Adalbert, Bishop, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 20) readings no. 279 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
Or red □ George, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 279 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial

24 White □ Tue of 4th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 280 (Acts 11: 19-26; Ps 87: 1-3, 4-5, 6-7, Jn 10: 22-30), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday
Or red □ Fidelis of Sigmaringen, Priest, Religious, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 280 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
Nominated of Abbot Mark tomorrow.

25 Red Wed. MARK, EVANGELIST. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 555 (1Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89: 2-3, 6-7, 16-17; Mk 16: 15-20), Pref of Apostles II – Vesp of Feast
Nominated of Abbot Cletus tomorrow.


27 White □ Fri of 4th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 283 (Acts 13: 26-33; Ps 2: 6-7, 8-9, 10-11; Jn 14: 1-6), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday
Dioc Manchester: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 702ff., Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast

28 White □ Sat of 4th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 284 (Acts 13: 44-52; Ps 98: 1, 2-3, 3-4; Jn 14: 7-14), Pref of Easter – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
Or red □ Peter Chanel, Priest, Religious, Missionary, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 284 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors
Or white □ Louis de Montfort, Priest, Religious Founder. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 284 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious


30 White □ Mon of 5th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 285 (Acts 14: 5-18; Ps 115: 1-2, 3-4, 15-16; Jn 14: 21-26), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday
Or white □ Pius V, Pope, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 285 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
St. Benedict’s Abbey: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH (29 Apr.), Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 702ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp
Archdioc Los Angeles: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 702ff., Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast
Mosteiro de São Bento: 1st Vesp of following
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1 White □ Tue of 5th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 286 (Acts 14: 19-28; Ps 145: 10-11, 12-13, 21; Jn 14: 27-31a), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white □ Joseph the Worker. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 559 (Gn 1: 26 to 2: 3 or Col 3: 14-15, 17, 23-24; Ps 90: 2, 3-4, 12-13, 14, 16; Mt 13: 54-58), Pref of Joseph – Vesp of Memorial
   Mosteiro de São Bento: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 702ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp


3 Red Thu. PHILIP AND JAMES, ** APOSTLES. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 561 (1Cor 15: 1-8; Ps 19: 2-3, 4-5; Jn 14: 6-14), Pref of Apostles – Vesp of Feast
   In Mexico: Red PHILIP AND JAMES, ** APOSTLES (3 May). Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 561 (vide supra), Pref of Apostles – Vesp of Feast
   In Puerto Rico: White BL CARLOS MANUEL RODRÍGUEZ. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 737ff., Pref of Saints – Vesp of Feast

4 White □ Fri of 5th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 289 (Acts 15: 22-31; Ps 57: 8-9, 10-12; Jn 15: 12-17), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday
   In Mexico: Red PHILIP AND JAMES, ** APOSTLES (3 May). Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 561 (vide supra), Pref of Apostles – Vesp of Feast

5 White □ Sat of 5th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 290 (Acts 16: 1-10; Ps 100: 1-2, 3,5; Jn 15: 18-21), Pref of Easter – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   Tomorrow announce the Solemnity of the Ascension.

6 * White * SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER. In Mass Gl, readings no. 56 (Acts 10: 25-26, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98: 1, 2-3, 3-4; Jn 4: 7-10; Jn 15: 9-17), Cr, Pref of Easter – 2d Vesp

7 White □ Mon of 6th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 291 (Acts 16: 11-15; Ps 149: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 9; Jn 15: 26 to 16: 4a), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday

8 White □ Tue of 6th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 292 (Acts 16: 22-34; Ps 138: 1-2, 2-3, 7-8; Jn 16: 5-11), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday
   Dioc Paterson: As supra or white □ Bl Miriam Teresa Demjanovich, Virgin, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 292 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

9 White □ Wed of 6th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 293 (Acts 17: 15, 22 to 18: 1; Ps 148: 1-2, 11-12, 12-14, 14; Jn 16: 12-15), Pref of Easter – 1st Vesp of following OA
   Where Ascension is transferred to Sunday: Vesp of Weekday

10 * White * Thu. ASCENSION OF THE LORD. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 58 (Acts 1: 1-11; Ps 47: 2-3, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 1: 17-23 or Eph 4: 1-13; Mk 16: 15-20), Cr, Pref of Ascension, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion – 2d Vesp
   The Paschal Candle remains at the altar or ambo until Pentecost.
   A Preface of the Ascension or of Easter may be used on the days between the Ascension and Pentecost.
   Where Ascension is transferred to Sunday: White □ Thu of 6th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 294 (Acts 18: 1-8; Ps 98: 1, 2-3, 3-4; Jn 16: 16-20), Pref of Easter – Vesp of Weekday
   U.S.A.: As supra or white □ Damien de Veuster, Priest. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 294 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
   Novena in honour of the Holy Spirit begins tomorrow.
   Nameday of Abbot Hugh tomorrow.
11 White □ Fri. Odo, Maiolus, Odilo, Hugh and Peter the Venerable, Abbots of Cluny. Memorial. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 21) readings no. 295 (Acts 18: 9-18; Ps 47: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Jn 16: 20-23a), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

Where Ascension is transferred to Sunday: As supr, but without Pref of Ascension

12 White □ Sat of 6th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 296 (Acts 18: 23-28; Ps 47: 2-3, 8-9, 10; Jn 16: 23b-28), Pref Ascension or of Easter – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

Or red □ Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 296 (as supr), Pref of Martyrs

Or red □ Pancras, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 296 (as supr), Pref of Martyrs

Dioc Tulsa: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 702ff., Pref of Dedication II

Taiwan: White OUR LADY OF CHINA. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 708ff., Pref of BVM – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

Where Ascension is transferred to Sunday: As supr, but without Pref of Ascension – 1st Vesp of following OA

Dioc Birmingham: Anniv of Bishop’s installation tomorrow.

13 * White * SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER. In Mass Gl, readings no. 60 (Acts 1: 15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Ps 103: 1-2, 11-12, 19-20; Jn 4: 11-16; Jn 17: 11b-19), Cr, Pref of Ascension or of Easter – 2d Vesp of Memorial

Where Ascension is transferred to Sunday: * White * Sun. ASCENSION. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 58 (see Thu. above), Cr, Pref of Ascension, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion... – 2d Vesp

14 Red Mon. MATTHIAS, * APOSTLE. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 564 (Acts 1: 15-17, 20-26; Ps 113: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Jn 15: 9-17), Pref of Apostles – Vesp of Feast

Mary Mother of the Church Abbey: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH (13 May). Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 702ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

Annunciation Monastery: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH (13 May). Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 702ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp


Dioc Peoria: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 702ff., Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast


17 White □ Thu of 7th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 300 (Acts 22: 30, and 23: 6-11; Ps 16: 1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Jn 17: 20-26), Pref of Ascension or of Easter – Vesp of Weekday

Dioc Erie: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 702ff., Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast

18 White □ Fri of 7th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 301 (Acts 25: 13b-21; Ps 103: 1-2, 11-12, 19-20; Jn 21: 15-19), Pref of Ascension or of Easter – Vesp of Weekday

Or red □ John I, Pope, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 301 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

19 White □ Sat of 7th Week of Easter. Proper Mass, readings no. 302 (Acts 28: 16-20, 30-31; Ps 11: 4,5,7; Jn 21: 20-25), Pref of Ascension or of Easter – 1st Vesp of following OA

Or white □ Celestine V, Pope, Hermit. Opt Mem. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 23) readings no. 302 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious

Refer to the Lectionary for Mass Supplement (Liturgical Press 2017) for the complete readings and psalms for the Vigil Mass of Pentecost. May celebrate with 3 readings (cf., Vol. I) or as follows:

Vigil Mass (on the evening either before or after Vespers): Red Gl, readings no. 62 (Gn 11: 1-9; Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Ex 19: 3-8a, 16-20b; Dn 3:52,53,54,55,56 or Ps 19:8,9,10,11; Ez 37: 1-14; Ps 107: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, Jl 3: 1-5; Ps 104: 1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30; Rom 8: 22-27; Jn 7: 37-39), Cr, Pref of Pentecost, in Euch Pr I Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion...

20 * Red * PENTECOST SUNDAY. Solemnity. In Mass “during the day” Gl, readings no. 63 (Acts 2: 1-11; Ps 104: 1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34; 1Cor 12: 3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5: 16-25; Jn 20: 19-23 or Jn 15: 26-27 and 16: 12-15), Sequence after 2d Reading, Cr, Pref of Pentecost, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day...in communion... double alleluia in dismissal and response – 2d Vesp, with which Easter Time ends
The Paschal Candle should be kept in a place of honor in the baptistery so that it can be lighted during baptism and the candles of the baptized can be lighted from it.

ORDINARY TIME

The Third Week of the Psalter begins tomorrow.
The First Reading at Mass in the Weekday Lectionary is that for Year II in 2018.

21 Green □ Mon of 7th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 341 (Jas 3: 13-18; Ps 19: 8,9,10,15; Mk 9: 14-29), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Or red □ Christopher Magallanes, Priest, Martyr, and Companions, Martyrs. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 341 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial

22 Green □ Tue of 7th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 342 (Jas 4: 1-10; Ps 55: 7-8, 9-10, 10-11, 23; Mk 9: 30-37), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Or white □ Rita of Cascia, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 342 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

23 Green □ Wed of 7th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 343 (Jas 4: 13-17; Ps 49: 2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11; Mk 9: 38-40), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Belmont Abbey: 1st Vesp of following


Belmont Abbey: White MARY, HELP OF CHRISTIANS, TITULAR AND PATRON. Solemnity. In Mass (Comm of BVM) Gl, 3 readings no. 707ff., Cr, Pref of BVM – 2d Vesp

Mexico and Puerto Rico: White JESUS CHRIST, ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST. Feast. In Mass Gl, 3 readings (Is 52: 13 to 53: 12; Ps 39: 6, 8b-9, 10,11; Heb 10: 12-23; Lk 22: 14-20), Proper Pref – Vesp of Feast

St. Bede Abbey: 1st Vesp of following

25 White □ Fri. Bede the Venerable, Priest, Religious, Doctor of the Church. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 345 (Jas 5: 9-12; Ps 103: 1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12; Mk 10: 1-12), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

St. Bede Abbey: White BEDE THE VENERABLE TITULAR. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 719ff., 725ff., or 567 (Ps 119: 9,10,11,12,13,14; 1Cor 2: 10b-16; Mt 7: 21-29), Cr, Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – 2d Vesp

Dioc Superior: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

26 Green □ Sat of 7th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 346 (Jas 5: 13-20; Ps 141: 1-2, 3,8; Mk 10: 13-16), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

Or white □ Gregory VII, Pope, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 346 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious

Or white □ Mary Magdalene de’ Pazzi, Virgin, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 346 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious

Or white □ Philip Neri, Priest, Religious Founder. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 346 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious

Or white □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff.,Pref of BVM I or II

27 White * TRINITY SUNDAY. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, readings no. 165 (Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33: 4-5, 6,9, 18-19, 20,22; Rom 8: 14-17; Mt 28: 16-20), Cr, Pref of Trinity – 2d Vesp

28 Green □ Mon of 8th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 347 (1Pt 1: 3-9; Ps 111: 1-2, 5,6, 9,10; Mk 10: 17-27), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

29 Green □ Tue of 8th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 348 (1Pt 1: 10-16; Ps 98: 1, 2,3, 3-4; Mk 10: 28-31), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
30 Green □ Wed of 8th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 349 (1Pt 1: 18-25; Ps 147: 12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Mk 10: 32-45), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Where The Body and Blood of Christ is not transferred to Sunday: 1st Vesp of following OA

31 White Thu. THE VISITATION OF THE VIRGIN MARY TO ELIZABETH. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 572 (Zep 3: 14-18 or Rom 12: 9-16; Is 12: 2-3, 4, 5-6; Lk 1: 39-56), Pref of BVM II – Vesp of Feast
   Where The Body and Blood of Christ is not transferred to Sunday: * White * Thu. THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST, Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 168 (see under Sunday below), optional Sequence after 2d Reading, Cr, Pref of Eucharist I or II; the concluding rite is omitted if the procession follows – 2d Vesp
   Dioc Fajardo-Humacao: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.
JUNE 2018

1 Red □ Fri. Justin, Martyr. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 351 (1Pt 4: 7-13; Ps 96: 10, 11-12, 13; Mk 11: 11-26), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
   Archdiocese Kansas City, KS: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast

2 Green □ Sat of 8th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 352 (Jude 17: 20b-25; Ps 63: 2, 3-4, 5-6; Mk 11: 27-33), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following OA
   Or red □ Marcellinus,* Priest, Martyr, and Peter,* Exorcist, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 352 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs
   Or white □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II
   From after Vespers and throughout tomorrow “alleluia” is added to “You have given them bread” and its response.
   Where The Body and Blood of Christ is not transferred to Sunday: 1st Vesp of following Sunday

3 * White * Sun. THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 168 (Ex 24: 3-8; Ps 116: 12-13, 15-16, 17-18; Heb 9: 11-15; Mk 14: 12-16, 22-26), optional Sequence after 2d Reading, Cr, Pref of Eucharist I or II, the concluding rite is omitted if the procession follows Mass – 2d Vesp
   Where The Body and Blood of Christ is not transferred to Sunday: * Green NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 86 (Dt 5: 12-15; Ps 81: 3-4, 5-6, 6-8, 10-11; 2Cor 4: 6-11; Mk 2: 23 to 3: 6), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

4 Green □ Mon of 9th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 353 (2Pt 1: 2-7; Ps 91: 1-2, 14-15, 15-16; Mk 12: 1-12), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

5 Red □ Tue. Boniface, Bishop, Religious, Missionary, Martyr. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 354 (2Pt 3: 12-15a, 17-18; Ps 90: 2, 3-4, 10,14,16; Mk 12: 13-17), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious or of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial

6 Green □ Wed of 9th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 355 (2Tm 1: 1-3, 6-12; Ps 123: 1-2; 2; Mk 12: 18-27), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white □ Norbert, Bishop, Religious Founder. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 355 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

7 Green □ Thu of 9th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 356 (2Tm 2: 8-15; Ps 25: 4-5, 8-9, 10,14; Mk 12: 28b-34), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday – 1st Vesp of following

8 White Fri. THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 171 (Hos 11: 1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12: 2-3, 4, 5-6; Eph 3: 8-12, 14-19; Jn 19: 31-37), Cr, Pref of Sacred Heart – 2d Vesp

9 White □ Sat. The Immaculate Heart of Mary. Memorial. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., (gospel: no. 573: Lk 2: 41-51), Pref of BVM – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   St. Gregory’s Abbey: Blue THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings as supra, Pref of BVM – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   Mary Mother of the Church Abbey: White MARY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH, TITULAR AND PATRON (8 May), Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 707ff., Cr, Pref of Mary Mother of the Church – 2d Vesp
   Sacred Heart Monastery Ramondon: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp
   On Sundays the Mass readings are those of Cycle B in 2018.

10 *Green TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 89 (Gen 3: 9-15; Ps 130: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; 2Cor 4: 13 to 5: 1; Mk 3: 20-35), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

   Abadia Tepeyac: 1st Vesp of following
12 **Green** □ **Tue of 10th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 360 (1Kgs 17: 7-16; Ps 4: 2-3, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5: 13-16), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   *Abadía del Tepeyac: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH.** Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

13 **White** □ **Wed. Anthony of Padua, Priest, Religious, Doctor of the Church.** Memorial. In Mass readings no. 361 (1Kgs 18: 20-39; Ps 16: 1-2, 4,5,8,11; Mt 5: 17-19), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

14 **Green** □ **Thu of 10th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 362 (1Kgs 18: 41-46; Ps 65: 10, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 5: 20-26), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

15 **Green** □ **Fri of 10th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 363 (1Kgs 19: 9, 11-16; Ps 27: 7-8, 8-9, 13-14; Mt 5: 27-32), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

16 **Green** □ **Sat of 10th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 364 (1Kgs 19: 19-21; Ps 16: 1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10; Mt 5: 33-37), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   *Or white* □ **Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary.** Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II

17 **Green** **Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time.** In Mass Gl, readings no. 92 (Ez 17: 22-24; Ps 92: 2-3, 13-14, 15-16; 2Cor 5: 6-10; Mk 4: 26-34), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

18 **Green** □ **Mon of 11th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 365 (1Kgs 21: 1-16; Ps 5: 2-3, 5-6, 7; Mt 5: 38-42), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

19 **White** □ **Tue. Romuald, Abbot, Religious Founder.** Memorial. In Mass readings no. 366 (1Kgs 21: 17-29; Ps 51: 3-4, 5-6, 11,16; Mt 5: 43-48), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

20 **Green** □ **Wed of 11th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 367 (2Kgs 2: 1, 6-14; Ps 31: 20,21,24; Mt 6: 1-6, 16-18), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

21 **White** □ **Thu. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious.** Memorial. In Mass readings no. 368 (Sir 48: 1-14; Ps 97: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7; Mt 6: 7-15), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

22 **Green** □ **Fri of 11th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 369 (2Kgs 11: 1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps Ps 132: 11,12, 13-14, 17-18; Mt 6: 19-23), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   *Or white* □ **Paulinus of Nola, Bishop.** Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 369 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
   *Or red* □ **John Fisher, Bishop, Martyr, and Thomas More, Married Man, Martyr.** Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 369 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial

23 **Green** □ **Sat of 11th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 370 (2Chr 24: 17-25; Ps 89: 4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34; Mt 6: 24-34), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following
   *Or white* □ **Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary.** Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II
   *Vigil Mass (on the evening either before or after Vespers): White Gl, 3 readings no. 586 (Jer 1: 4-10; Ps 71: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15, 17; 1Pt 1: 8-12; Lk 1: 5-17), Cr, Pref of John the Baptist
   *Naymeday of Abbot John tomorrow.

24 **White** **Sun. NATIVITY OF JOHN THE BAPTIST.** Solemnity. In Mass “during the Day” Gl, 3 readings no. 587 (Is 49: 1-6; Ps 139: 1-3, 13-14, 14-15; Acts 13: 22-26; Lk 1: 57-66, 80), Cr, Pref of John the Baptist – 2d Vesp

25 **Green** □ **Mon of 12th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 371 (2Kgs 17: 5-8, 13-15a, 18; Ps 60: 3, 4-5, 12-13; Mt 7: 1-5), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   *Dioc Savannah: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL.** Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast
26 **Green** □ **Tue of 12th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 372 (2Kgs 19: 9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Ps 48: 2-3, 3-4, 10-11; Mt 7: 6, 12-14), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

27 **Green** □ **Wed of 12th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 373 (2Kgs 22: 8-13 and 23: 1-3; Ps 119: 33,34,35,36,37,40; Mt 7: 15-20), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Or **white** □ Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop, Doctor of the Church. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 373 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

Dioc Savannah: **White OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP, PATRON OF DIOCESE.** Feast. In Mass (Comm of BVM) Gl, readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM – Vesp of Feast

28 **Red** □ **Thu. Irenaeus, Bishop, Martyr.** Memorial. In Mass readings no. 374 (2Kgs 24: 8-17; Ps 79: 1-2, 3-5, 8,9; Mt 7: 21-29), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – **1st Vesp of following**

Vigil Mass (on the evening either before or after Vespers): **Red Gl**, 3 readings no. 590 (Acts 3: 1-10; Ps 19: 2-3, 4-5; Gal 1: 11-20; Jn 21: 15-19), Cr, Pref of Peter and Paul

Where Peter and Paul is transferred to Sunday: **Vesp of Memorial**

29 **Red** □ **Fri. PETER AND PAUL,** **APOSTLES.** Solemnity. In Mass “during the Day” Gl, 3 readings no. 591 (Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 2Tm 4: 6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19), Cr, Pref of Peter and Paul – 2d Vesp

Where Peter and Paul is transferred to Sunday: **Green** □ **Fri of 12th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 375 (2Kgs 25: 1-12; Ps 137: 1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Mt 8: 1-4), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Dioc Cleveland: Anniv of Bishop’s appointment tomorrow.

Dioc Greensburg: Anniv of Bishop’s installation tomorrow.

30 **Green** □ **Sat of 12th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 376 (Lam 2: 2, 10-14, 18-19; Ps 74: 1-2, 3-5, 5-7, 20-21; Mt 8: 5-17), Common Preface – **1st Vesp of following Sunday**

Or **red** □ The First Martyrs of Rome. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 376 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs

Or **white** □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II

Where Peter and Paul is transferred to Sunday: **1st Vesp of following. Either before or after Vespers Proper Evening Mass of Vigil** (see under June 28 above).
1 **Green** THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 98 (Wis 1: 13-15 and 2: 23-24; Ps 30: 2,4,5-6, 11,12,13; 2Cor 8: 7, 9, 13-15; Mk 5: 21-43), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

In Canada: CANADA DAY. Unless a solemnity occurs, either of the following may be celebrated: white Mass for the Preservation of Peace and Justice, Gl, readings no. 831ff., or an ecumenical service of the word; cf., also Sunday Mass Book, pp. 1227ff. and A Book of Blessings, pp. 237ff.

Where Peter and Paul is transferred to Sunday: * Red * Sun. PETER AND PAUL, ** APOSTLES (29 June.). Solemnity. In Mass “during the day” Gl, 3 readings no 591 (see June 29 above), Cr, Pref of Peter and Paul – 2d Vesp

2 **Green** Mon of 13th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 377 (Am 2: 6-10, 13-16; Ps 50: 16-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23; Mt 8: 18-22), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

3 Red Tue. THOMAS,* APOSTLE. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 593 (Eph 2: 19-22; Ps 117: 1,2; Jn 20: 24-29), Pref of Apostles – Vesp of Feast

St. Procopius Abbey: 1st Vesp of following OA

4 **Green** Wed of 13th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 379 (Am 5: 14-15, 21-24; Ps 50: 7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 16-17; Mt 8: 28-34), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Or white * Elizabeth of Portugal, Queen, Married Woman. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 379 (as supra), Pref of Saints – Vesp of Memorial

U.S.A.: INDEPENDENCE DAY. Proper Mass (white), Gl, 3 readings no. 882ff. (for Public Needs) or 887ff. (for Peace and Justice), Pref for Independence Day: may be celebrated as Conventional or Principal Mass unless a solemnity occurs.


5 **Green** Thu of 13th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 380 (Am 7: 10-17; Ps 19: 8,9,10,11; Mt 9: 1-8), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Or white * Anthony Mary Zaccaria, Priest, Religious Founder. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 380 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

U.S.A.: As supra or white * Elizabeth of Portugal, Queen, Married Woman (4 Jul.). Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 380 (as supra), Pref of Saints – Vesp of Memorial

In Puerto Rico: White (Rogation at the beginning of hurricane season; cf., Misale Romano, pp. 956-957). Vesp of Weekday

Assumption Abbey: 1st Vesp of following

6 **Green** Fri of 13th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 381 (Am 8: 4-6, 9-12; Ps 119: 2,10,20,30,40,131; Mt 9: 9-13), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Or red * Maria Goretti, Virgin, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 381 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

Assumption Abbey: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

Nameday of Abbot Ralph tomorrow.

7 **Green** Sat of 13th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 382 (Am 9: 11-15; Ps 85: 9, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 9: 14-17), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

Or white * Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II

8 **Green** FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 101 (Ez 2: 2-5; Ps 123: 1-2, 2, 3-4; 2Cor 12: 7-10; Mk 6: 1-6), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

9 **Green** Mon of 14th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 383 (Hos 2: 16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps 145: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 9: 18-26), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Or red * Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, Martyr, and Companions, Martyrs. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 383 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial

10 **Green** Tue of 14th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 384 (Hos 8: 4-7, 11-13; Ps 115: 3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 9-10; Mt 9: 32-38), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

In 1981 the Council of the Abbot President decreed that 11 July should henceforth be celebrated as the Feast of Benedict, Patriarch of Western Monasticism. In June 1989, the General Chapter of the Congregation reaffirmed its rank of feast in the American Cassinese Congregation. Note: in this Mass there are only two Scripture readings (from the Common of Holy Men and Women,
for Religious); the first reading is taken from either the Old Testament (no. 737 or the New Testament (no. 740), and the second is from the gospel (no. 742); the Creed is not said.

11 White Wed. BENEDICT, PATRIARCH OF WESTERN MONASTICISM. Feast. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 24) Gl, two readings no. 737ff. or 597 (Prv 2: 1-9; Ps 34: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11; Mt 19: 27-29), Pref of Benedict (as on 21 March) – Vesp of Feast

12 Green Thu of 14th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 386 (Hos 11: 1-4, 8c-9; Ps 80: 2,3, 15-16; Mt 10: 7-15), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

13 Green Fri of 14th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 387 (Hos 14: 2-10; Ps 51: 3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14,17; Mt 10: 16-23), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

14 Green Sat of 14th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 388 (Is 6: 1-8; Ps 93: 1, 1-2, 5; Mt 10: 24-33), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

15 * Green FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 104 (Am 7: 12-15; Ps 85: 9-10, 11-12, 13-14; Eph 1: 3-14; Mk 6: 7-13), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

16 Green Mon of 15th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 389 (Is 1: 10-17; Ps 50: 8-9, 16-17, 21-23; Mt 10: 34 to 11:1), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

17 Green Tue of 15th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 390 (Is 7: 1-9; Ps 48: 2-3, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 11: 20-24), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

18 Green Wed of 15th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 391 (Is 10: 5-7, 13-16; Ps 94: 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15; Mt 11: 25-27), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

19 Green Thu of 15th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 392 (Is 26: 7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102: 13-14, 15, 16-18, 19-21; Mt 11: 28-30), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Nameday of Abbot President Elias tomorrow.
20 Green □ Fri of 15th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 393 (Is 38: 1-6, 21-22, 7,8; Ps 38: 10,11,12,16; Mt 12: 1-8), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or red □ Apollinaris, Bishop, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 393 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

21 Green □ Sat of 15th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 394 (Mi 2: 1-5; Ps 10: 1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12: 14-21), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   Or white □ Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest, Religious, Doctor of the Church. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 394 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious
   Or white □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II
   Archdioc Taipei: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

22 *Green SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 107 (Jer 23: 1-6; Ps 23: 1-3, 3-4, 5,6; Eph 2: 13-18; Mk 6: 30-34), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp
   Abadía de San Antonio Abad: 1st Vesp of following

23 Green □ Mon of 16th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 395 (Mi 6: 1-4, 6-8; Ps 50: 5-6, 8-9, 16-17, 21,23; Mt 12: 38-42), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white □ Bridget of Sweden, Married Woman, Religious Founder. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 395 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
   Abadía de San Antonio Abad: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

24 Green □ Tue of 16th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 396 (Mi 7: 14-15, 18-20; Ps 85: 2-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 12: 46-50), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white □ Sharbel Makhluf, Priest. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 396 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
   Archdioc San Francisco: As supra or white □ Francis Solano, Priest. Opt Mem. In Mass (Comm of Pastors) readings no. 396 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
   Dioc Fajardo-Humacao: 1st Vesp of following
   Archdioc Newark: Anniv of Bishop’s installation tomorrow.
   Nameday of Abbot James tomorrow.

25 Red Wed. JAMES,* APOSTLE. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 605 (2Cor 4: 7-15; Ps 126: 1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6; Mt 20: 20-28), Pref of Apostles – Vesp of Feast
   Dioc Fajardo-Humacao: Red JAMES,* APOSTLE, PATRON OF DIOCESE. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 605, Cr, Pref of Apostles – 2d Vesp
   Vinhedo: 1st Vesp of following

26 White □ Thu. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Virgin Mary. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 398 (Jer 2: 1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Ps 36: 6-7, 8-9, 10-11; Mt 13: 10-17), Pref of Saints – Vesp of Memorial
   In Canada: White JOACHIM AND ANNE. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 606 (Sir 44: 1, 10-15; Ps 132: 11, 13-14, 17-18; Mt 13: 16-17), Pref of Saints – Vesp of Feast
   Vinhedo: White ANNE, PATRON OF CITY OF VINHEDO. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 606, Cr, Pref of Saints – 2d Vesp

27 Green □ Fri of 16th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 399 (Jer 3: 14-17; Jer 31: 10, 11-12, 13; Mt 13: 18-23), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Nameday of Abbot Victor tomorrow.

28 Green □ Sat of 16th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 400 (Jer 7: 1-11; Ps 84: 3,4, 5-6, 8,11; Mt 13: 24-30), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   Or white □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II
   Archdioc Oklahoma City: As supra or red □ Bl Stanley Rother, Priest, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass (Comm of Martyrs or of Pastors), readings no. 400 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors

29 *Green SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 110 (2Kgs 4: 42-44; Ps 145: 10-11, 15-16, 17-18; Eph 4: 1-6; Jn 6: 1-15), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp
  Or white □ Peter Chrysologus, Bishop, Doctor of the Church. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 401 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

31 White □ Tue. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest, Religious Founder. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 402 (Jer 14: 17-22; Ps 79: 8,9,11,13; Ps 103: 6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 13: 36-43), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
  Archdioc Baltimore: White IGNATIUS LOYOLA, PATRON OF DIOCESE. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 719ff., 737ff., or 609 (1Cor 10:31 to 11:1; Ps 34: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11; Lk 14: 25-33), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Feast
  Archdioc Campinas: Anniv of Bishop’s installation tomorrow.
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1 White Wed. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop, Religious Founder, Doctor of the Church. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 403 (Jer 15: 10, 16-21; Ps 59: 2-3, 4, 10-11, 17,18; Mt 13: 44-46), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

2 Green Thu of 17th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 404 (Jer 18: 1-6; Ps 146: 1-2, 2-4, 5-6; Mt 13: 47-53), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 404 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
   Or white Peter Julian Eymard, Priest, Religious Founder. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 404 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

3 Green Fri of 17th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 405 (Jer 26: 1-9; Ps 69: 5, 8-10, 14; Mt 13: 54-58), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

4 White Sat. John Mary Vianney, Priest. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 406 (Jer 26: 11-16, 24; Ps 69: 15-16, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 14: 1-12), Pref of Pastors – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

5 EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 113 (Ex 16: 2-4, 12-15; Ps 76: 3-4, 23-24, 25,54; Eph 4: 17, 20-24; Jn 6: 24-35), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp
   Mount Saviour Monastery: 1st Vesp of following
   Dioc Cuautitlan: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.
   Dioc Joliet: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

6 White Mon. THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 614 (Dn 7: 9-10, 13-14 or 2Pt 1: 16-19; Ps 97: 1-2, 5-6, 9; Mk 9: 2-10), Pref of Transfiguration – Vesp of Feast
   Mount Saviour Monastery: White TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD, TITULAR. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 614 (supra), Cr, Pref of Transfiguration – 2d Vesp

7 Green Tue of 18th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 408 (Jer 30: 1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102: 16-18, 19-21, 29, 22-23; Mt 14: 22-36), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or red Sixtus II, Pope, Martyr, and his Companions, Martyrs. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 408 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
   Or white Cajetan, Priest, Religious Founder. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 408 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

8 White Wed. Dominic, Priest, Religious Founder. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 409 (Jer 31: 1-7; Jer 31: 10, 11-12, 13; Mt 15: 21-28), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

9 Green Thu of 18th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 410 (Jer 31: 31-34; Ps 51: 12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 16: 13-23), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or red Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 410 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
   Nameday of Abbots Lawrence (R and O) tomorrow.

10 Red Fri. LAWRENCE,† DEACON, MARTYR. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 618 (2Cor 9: 6-10; Ps 112: 1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9; Jn 12: 24-26), Pref of Martyrs or of Holy Men and Women – Vesp of Feast

11 White Sat. Clare, Virgin, Religious Founder. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 412 (Hb 1:12 to 2:4; Ps 9: 8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 17: 14-20), Pref of Virgins and Religious – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   Tomorrow announce the Solemnity of the Assumption.

12 Green NINTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 116 (1Kgs 19: 4-8; Ps 34: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 4: 30 to 5: 2; Jn 6: 41-51), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

13 Green Mon of 19th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 413 (Ez 1: 2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148: 1-2, 11-12, 12-14, 14; Mt 17: 22-27), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
Or red □ Pontian, Pope, Martyr, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 413 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

Archdioc Los Angeles: Red □ Eunydius, Bishop and Martyr, Secondary Patron of Diocese. Memorial. In Mass (Comm of Martyrs 6-7 or Comm of Pastors) readings no. 413 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

14 Red □ Tue. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 414 (Ez 2:8 to 3:4; Ps 119: 14,24,72,103,111,131; Mt 18: 1-5, 10, 12-14), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – 1st Vesp of following OA

Vigil Mass (on the evening either before or after Vespers): White Gl, 3 readings no 621 (1Chr 15: 3-4, 15, 16, and 16: 1-2; Ps 132: 6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1Cor 15: 54b-57; Lk 11: 27-28), Cr, Pref of Assumption

Where Assumption is transferred to Sunday: Vesp of Memorial

15 White * Wed. THE ASSUMPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY. Solemnity. In Mass “during the Day” Gl, 3 readings no. 622 (Rv 11: 19a, and 12: 1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45: 10, 11, 12, 16; 1Cor 15: 20-27; Lk 1: 39-56), Cr, Pref of Assumption – 2d Vesp

Where Assumption is transferred to Sunday: Green □ Wed of 19th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 415 (Ez 9: 1-7 and 10: 18-22; Ps 113: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 18: 15-20), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

16 Green □ Thu of 19th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 416 (Ez 12: 1-12; Ps 78: 56-57, 58-59, 61-62; Mt 18:21 to 19:1), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Or white □ Stephen of Hungary, King, Married Man. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 416 (as supra), Pref of Saints – Vesp of Memorial

Woodside Priory: White STEPHEN OF HUNGARY, TITULAR. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 737ff. or 623 (Ps 112: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8, 9; Dt 6: 3-9; Mt 25: 14-30), Cr, Pref of Saints – 2d Vesp

Newark Abbey: 1st Vesp of following

17 Green □ Fri of 19th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 417 (Ez 16: 1-15, 60,63; Is 12: 2-3, 4, 5-6; Mt 19: 3-12), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Newark Abbey: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

18 Green □ Sat of 19th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 418 (Ez 18: 1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51: 12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 19: 13-15), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

Or white □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II [under Saturday Aug. 18]

Where Assumption is transferred to Sunday: 1st Vesp of following OA. Vigil Mass on the evening either before or after Vespers (see under August 14 above).

St. Andrew Abbey: 1st Vesp of following

19 *Green TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 119 (Prv 9: 1-6; Ps 34: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Eph 5: 15-20; Jn 6: 51-58), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

Where Assumption is transferred to Sunday: * White * Sun. ASSUMPTION (15 Aug.). Solemnity. In Mass “during the Day” Gl, 3 readings no 622 (see August 15 above), Cr, Pref of Assumption – 2d Vesp

St. Andrew Abbey: * White *Sun. ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

St. Bernard Abbey: 1st Vesp of following

nameday of Abbot Brian (Mo) tomorrow.

20 White □ Mon. Bernard, Abbot, Doctor of the Church. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 419 (Ez 24: 15-24; Dt 32: 18-19, 20,21; Mt 19: 16-22), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

St. Bernard Abbey: White BERNARD, TITULAR. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 725ff., 737ff., or 625 (Ps 119: 9,10,11,12,13,14; Sir 15: 1-6; Jn 17: 20-26), Cr, Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – 2d Vesp


Dioc Izcalli: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

22 White □ Wed. The Queenship of the Virgin Mary. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 421 (Ez 34: 1-11; Ps 23: 1-3, 3-4, 5,6; Mt 20: 1-16a), Pref of BVM I or II – Vesp of Memorial

Dioc Izcalli: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast
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**Green □ Thu of 20th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 422 (Ez 36: 23-28; Ps 51: 12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 22: 1-14), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

*Or white □ Rose of Lima, Virgin.* Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 422 (as *supra*), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp Memorial

*In Latin America (except Mexico and Puerto Rico):* White ROSE OF LIMA, PATRON OF LATIN AMERICA. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 731ff., 737ff., or 628 (2Cor 10:17 to 11:2; Ps 148: 1-2, 11-13, 13-14; Mt 13: 44-46), for Religious, Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Feast

St. Vincent Archabbey: 1st Vesp of following

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**Red Fri.** **BARTHOLOMEW,* APOSTLE.** Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 629 (Rv 21: 9b-14; Ps 145: 10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Jn 1: 45-51), Pref of Apostles – Vesp of Feast

St. Vincent Archabbey: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

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**Green □ Sat of 20th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 424 (Ez 43: 1-7a; Ps 85: 9-10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 23: 1-12), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

*Or white □ Louis of France, King, Married Man.* Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 424 (as *supra*), Pref of Saints

*Or white □ Joseph Calasanz, Priest, Religious Founder, Educator.* Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 424 (as *supra*), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious

*Or white □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary.* Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II

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**Special Days**

**Green TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.** In Mass Gl, readings no. 122 (Jos 24: 1-2a, 15-17, 18b; Ps 34: 2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Eph 5: 21-32; Jn 6: 60-69), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

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**White □ Mon. Monica, Married Woman.** Memorial. In Mass readings no. 425 (2Thes 1: 1-5, 11b-12; Ps 96: 1-2, 2-3, 4-5; Mt 23: 13-22), Pref of Saints – Vesp of Memorial

Nameday of Abbot Austin tomorrow.

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**White □ Tue. Augustine, Bishop, Doctor of the Church.** Memorial. In Mass readings no. 426 (2Thes 2: 1-3a, 14-17; Ps 96: 10, 11-12, 13; Mt 23: 23-26), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

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**Red □ Wed. The Passion of John the Baptist,* APOSTLE.** Memorial. In Mass proper readings no. 634 (Jer 1: 17-19; Ps 71: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15,17; Mt 6: 17-29), Pref of John the Baptist – Vesp of Memorial

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**Green □ Thu of 21st Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 428 (1Cor 1: 1-9; Ps 145: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 24: 42-51), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

*In Mexico and Puerto Rico: ROSE OF LIMA, VIRGIN, PATRON (23 Aug.). Feast.* In Mass Gl, readings no. 731ff., 737ff., or 628 (see 23 Aug. above), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Feast

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**Green □ Fri of 21st Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 429 (1Cor 1: 17-25; Ps 33: 1-2, 4-5, 10,11; Mt 25: 1-13), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Archdiocese Mexico City: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation is observed tomorrow.

Nameday of Abbot Giles tomorrow.
SEPTEMBER 2018

1 Green  Sat of 21st Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass Gl, readings no. 430 (1Cor 1: 26-31; Ps 33: 12-13, 18-19, 20-21; Mt 25: 14-30), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   or white Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II
   Archdioc Los Angeles: Red VIBIANA, VIRGIN, MARTYR, PATRON OF DIOCESE. Feast. In Mass (Comm of Virgins or of Martyrs) Gl, readings no. 731ff. or 713ff., Pref of Martyrs or of Virgin and Religious – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

2 *Green  TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 125 (Dt 4: 1-2, 6-8; Ps 15: 2-3, 3-4, 4-5; Jas 1: 17-18, 21b-22, 27; Mk 7: 1-8, 14-15, 21-23), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp
   St. Gregory’s Abbey: 1st Vesp of following
   Dioc Peoria: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow

3 White  Mon. GREGORY THE GREAT, POPE, RELIGIOUS, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH. Feast.
   In Mass Gl, readings no. 719ff., 725ff., or 635 (2Cor 4: 1-2, 5-7; Ps 96: 1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 10; Lk 22: 24-30),
   Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Feast
   St. Gregory’s Abbey: White GREGORY THE GREAT, TITULAR. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 719ff., 725ff., or
   635 (as supra), Cr, Pref of Pastors – 2d Vesp
   U.S.A.: LABOR DAY. Unless a solemnity occurs, the following may be celebrated as the Conventual or Principal Mass: White
   Mass for the Sanctification of Human Labor, Gl, readings no. 907ff., Pref for Sundays V

4 Green  Tue of 22d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 432 (1Cor 2: 10b-16; Ps 145: 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 13-14; Lk 4: 31-37), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Dioc Charlotte: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff.,
   Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast

5 Green  Wed of 22d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 433 (1Cor 3: 1-9; Ps 33: 12-13, 14-15, 20-21; Lk 4: 38-44), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

6 Green  Thu of 22d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 434 (1Cor 3: 18-23; Ps 24: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 5: 1-11), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Dioc Cleveland: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff.,
   Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast

7 Green  Fri of 22d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 435 (1Cor 4: 1-5; Ps 37: 3-4, 5-6, 27-28, 29-40; Lk 5: 33-39), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Dioc St. Cloud: White CLOUD, PRIEST, PATRON OF DIOCESE. Feast. In Mass (Comm of Pastors or of Holy Men and Women) Gl, readings no. 719ff., or 731ff., Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Feast
   Mosteiro de São Bento: 1st Vesp of following
   Nameaday of Abbot Melvin tomorrow.

8 White  Sat. NATIVITY OF THE VIRGIN MARY. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 636 (Mi 5:1-4a or
   Rom 8: 28-30; Ps 13: 6; Mt 1: 1-16, 18-23), Pref of BVM I (on the Nativity) or II – 1st Vesp of following
   Sunday
   Mosteiro de São Bento: White OUR LADY IN EXILE, PATRON OF MONASTERY CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3
   readings no. 707ff., Cr, Pref of BVM – 2d Vesp
   Nameaday of Archabbot Douglas tomorrow.

9 *Green  TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 128 (Is 35: 4-7a; Ps 146: 7, 8-9, 9-10; Jas 2: 1-5; Mk 7: 31-37), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp
   Dioc Puebl: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

10 Green  Mon of 23d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 437 (1Cor 5: 1-8; Ps 5: 5-6, 7,12; Lk 6: 6-11), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   In Japan: As supra or red 205 Japanese Martyrs. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 437 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
   In Puerto Rico: As supra or red Bl Carlos Spinola and Jerónimo de Angelis, Priests and Martyrs. Opt Mem. In Mass
   readings no. 437 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
11 Green □ Tue of 23d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 438 (1Cor 6: 1-11; Ps 149: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 9; Lk 6: 12-19), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

12 Green □ Wed of 23d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 439 (1Cor 7: 25-31; Ps 45: 11-12, 14-15, 16-17; Lk 6: 20-26), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white □ Holy Name of Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 439 (as supra), Pref of BVM I or II – Vesp of Memorial

   Holy Cross Abbey: 1st Vesp of following

14 Red Fri. EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 638 (Nm 21: 4b-9 or Phil 2: 6-11; Ps 78: 1-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38; Jn 3: 13-17), Pref of Cross or of Passion I – Vesp of Feast
   Holy Cross Abbey: Red THE HOLY CROSS, TITULAR. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 638 (as supra), Cr, Pref of Cross or of Passion I – 2d Vesp
   In Mexico: Green □ Fri of 23d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 441 (1Cor 9: 16-19, 22b-27; Ps 84: 3,4, 5-6, 8,12; Lk 6: 39-42), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

15 White □ Sat. Our Lady of Sorrows. Memorial. In Mass proper readings no. 639 (Heb 5: 7-9; Ps 31: 2-3, 3-4, 5-6, 15-16, 20; Jn 19: 25-27 or Lk 2: 33-35), optional Sequence, Pref of BVM I or II – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   Nameday of Abbot Neal tomorrow.

16 ★Green □ Fourteenth SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 131 (Is 50: 4c-9a; Ps 116: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jas 2: 14-18; Mk 8: 27-35), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

17 Green □ Mon of 24th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 443 (1Cor 11: 17-26, 33; Ps 40: 7-8, 8-9, 10,17; Lk 7: 1-10), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white □ Hildegard, Virgin, Doctor of the Church. Opt Mem. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 28) readings no. 443 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
   Or white □ Robert Bellarmin, Bishop, Religious, Doctor of the Church. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 443 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

18 Green □ Tue of 24th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 444 (1Cor 12: 12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100: 1-2, 3,4,5; Lk 7: 11-17), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

19 Green □ Wed of 24th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 445 (1Cor 12:31 to 13:13; Ps 33: 2-3, 4-5, 12,22; Lk 7: 31-35), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or red □ Januarius, Bishop, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 445 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
   In Mexico: As supra or white □ José María de Yermo y Parres, Priest. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 445 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

20 Red □ Thu. Andrew Kim Taegon, Priest, Martyr, Paul Chong Hasang, Catechist, Martyr, and Companions, Martyrs. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 446 (1Cor 15: 1-11; Ps 118: 1-2, 16-17, 28; Lk 7: 36-50), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
   Archdioc Chicago: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.
   Nameday of Abbot Matthew tomorrow.

21 Red Fri. MATTHEW,* APOSTLE, EVANGELIST. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 643 (Eph 4: 1-7, 11-13; Ps 19: 2-3, 4-5; Mt 9: 9-13), Pref of Apostles – Vesp of Feast
   Dioc Manchester: Anniv of Bishop’s installation tomorrow.

22 Green □ Sat of 24th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 448 (1Cor 15: 35-37, 42-49; Ps 56: 10-12, 13-14; Lk 8: 4-15), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   Or white □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II
23 *Green TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings 134 (Wis 2: 12, 17-20; Ps 54: 3-4, 5-6; Jas 3: 16 to 4: 3; Mk 9: 30-37), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp
   Nameday of Abbot Gerard tomorrow.

24 Green ⚫ Mon of 25th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 449 (Prv 3: 27-34; Ps 15: 2-3, 3-4, 5; Lk 8: 16-18), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

25 Green ⚫ Tue of 25th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 450 (Prv 30: 5-9; Ps 119: 1,27,30,34,35,44; Lk 8: 19-21), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

26 Green ⚫ Wed of 25th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 451 (Prv 30: 5-9; Ps 119: 29, 72, 89,101,104,163; Lk 9: 1-6), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or red ☩ Cosmas and Damian,** Martyrs. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 451 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
   In Canada: Red JOHN DE BRÉBEUF AND ISAAC JOGUES, PRIESTS, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS,
   SECONDARY PATRONS OF CANADA. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 713ff., 719ff., or 662 (2Cor 4: 7-15; Ps 126: 1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6; Mt 28:16-20), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Feast
   St. Vincent Archabbey: 1st Vesp of following

27 White ⚫ Thu. Vincent de Paul, Priest, Religious Founder. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 452 (Eccl 1: 2-11; Ps 90: 3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14,17; Lk 9: 7-9), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
   St. Vincent Archabbey: White VINCENT DE PAUL, TITULAR. Solennity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 719ff., 737ff., or 645 (Ps 112: 1-2, 3-4, 5-7, 7-8, 9; 1Cor 1: 26-31; Mt 9: 35-38), Cr, Pref of Pastors – 2d Vesp
   Dioc Richmond: White VINCENT DE PAUL, PATRON OF DIOCESE. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 719ff., 737ff., or 645 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Feast

28 Green ⚫ Fri of 25th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 453 (Eccl 3: 1-11; Ps 144: 1-2, 3-4; Lk 9: 18-22), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
   Or red ☩ Wenceslaus, Duke, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 453 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
   Or red ☩ Lawrence Ruiz, Married Man, Martyr, and his Companions, Martyrs. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 453 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
   In Japan: As supra or red ☩ Thomas Nishi, Priest, Martyr, and 15 Martyrs. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 453 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial

29 White Sat MICHAEL, GABRIEL, AND RAPHAEL ARCHANGELS. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 647 (Dn 7: 9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12: 7-12; Ps 138: 1-2, 2-3, 4-5; Jn 1: 47-51), Pref of Angels – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

30 *Green TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 137 (Nm 11: 25-29; Ps 19: 8,10, 12-13, 14; Jas 5: 1-6; Mk 9: 38-43, 45, 47-48), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp
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1 White Mon. Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin, Religious, Doctor of the Church. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 455 (Jb 1: 6-22; Ps 17: 1, 2-3, 6-7; Lk 9:46-50), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

Dioc Pueblo: White THÉRÈSE OF THE CHILD JESUS, PATRON OF DIOCESE. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 731ff. or 649 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Feast

2 White Tue. GUARDIAN ANGELS, PATRON OF CONGREGATION. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 650 (Ex 23: 20-23; Ps 91: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 10-11; Mt 18: 1-5, 10), Pref of Angels – Vesp of Feast

For Sisters: Green Tue of 26th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 456 (Jb 3: 1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Ps 88: 2-3, 4-5, 6, 7-8; Lk 9: 51-56), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday; or white Tue Guardian Angels. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 650 (as supra), Pref of Angels – Vesp of Memorial

3 Green Wed of 26th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 457 (Jb 9: 1-12, 14-16; Ps 88: 10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Lk 9: 57-62), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Or white Bl Columba Marmion, Abbot. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 457 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial


Archdioc San Francisco: White FRANCIS OF ASSISI, PATRON OF DIOCESE. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 737ff. or 651 (Gal 6: 14-18; Ps 16: 1-2, 5, 7-8, 11; Mt 11: 25-30), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Feast

5 Green Fri of 26th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 459 (Jb 38: 1, 12-21 and 40: 3-5; Ps 139: 1-3, 7-8, 9-10, 13-14; Lk 10: 13-16), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

U.S.A.: As supra or white Fri Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 459 (as supra), Pref of Pastors Vesp of Memorial

St. Bede Abbey: 1st Vesp of following
St. Peter’s Abbey: 1st Vesp of following

6 White Sat. Bruno, Priest, Hermit, Religious Founder. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 460 (Jb 42: 1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Ps 119: 66,71,75,91,125,130; Lk 10: 17-24), Pref of Virgins and Religious – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

St. Bede Abbey: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

St. Peter’s Abbey: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

7 *Green TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 140 (Gn 2: 18-24; Ps 128: 1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Heb 2: 9-11; Mk 10: 2-16), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

8 Green Mon of 27th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 461 (Gal 1: 6-12; Ps 111: 1-2, 7-8, 9,10; Lk 10: 25-37), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

In Canada: THANKSGIVING DAY. White Mass 332A in A Supplement to the Sacramentary or 550-551 may be celebrated as Conventual or Principal Mass unless a solemnity occurs. In Mass readings no. 648A.


Or red Denis, Bishop, Martyr, and his Companions, Martyrs. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 462 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial

Or white John Leonardi, Priest, Religious Founder. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 462 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

10 Green Wed of 27th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 463 (Gal 2: 1-2, 7-14; Ps 117: 1,2; Lk 11: 1-4), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Mount Saviour Monastery: 1st Vesp of following
Sacred Heart Monastery, Cullman: 1st Vesp of following
Name day of Abbot Kenneth tomorrow.
11 Green □ Thu of 27th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 464 (Gal 3: 1-5; Lk 1: 69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Lk 11: 5-13), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
Or white □ John XXIII, Pope. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 464 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
In Puerto Rico: As supra or white □ Soledad Torres de Acosta, Virgin. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 464 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
Mount Saviour Monastery: White ANNUIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp
Sacred Heart Monastery, Cullman: White ANNUIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp
Archdioc San Francisco: As supra or red □ Emydius, Bishop, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass (Comm of Martyrs 6-7 or of Pastors), readings no. 464 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
St. Scholastica Monastery, Duluth: 1st Vesp of following
In Brazil: 1st Vesp of following

12 Green □ Fri of 27th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 465 (Gal 3: 7-14; Ps 111: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 11: 15-26), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
St. Scholastica Monastery, Duluth: White ANNUIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp
In Brazil: White OUR LADY OF APARECIDA, PATRON OF NATION. Solemnity. In Mass (Comm of BVM) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr. Pref of BVM – 2d Vesp

13 Green □ Sat of 27th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 466 (Gal 3: 22-29; Ps 105: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 11: 27-28), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
Or white □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II
Archdioc Baltimore: White ANNUIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

14 *Green TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 143 (Wis 7: 7-11; Ps 90: 12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Heb 4: 12-13; Mk 10: 17-30), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

15 White □ Mon. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin, Religious, Doctor of the Church. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 467 (Gal 4: 22-24, 26-27, 31 to 5:1; Ps 113: 1-2, 3-4, 5, 6-7; Lk 11: 29-32), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
Archdioc Oklahoma City: White ANNUIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II – 1st Vesp of following Feast

16 Green □ Tue of 28th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 468 (Gal 5: 1-6; Ps 119: 41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 48; Lk 11: 37-41), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
Or white □ Hedwig, Married Woman, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 468 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
Or white □ Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 468 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
In Canada: As supra or white □ Marguerite D’Youville, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 468 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
Assumption Abbey: White □ Gall, Monk. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 468 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

17 Red □ Wed. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 469 (Gal 5: 18-25; Ps 1: 1-2, 3,4,6; Lk 11: 42-46), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

18 Red Thu. LUKE, EVANGELIST. Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 661 (2Tm 4: 10-17b; Ps 145: 10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Lk 10: 1-9), Pref of Apostles II – Vesp of Feast

19 Green □ Fri of 28th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 471 (Eph 1: 11-14; Ps 33: 1-2, 4-5, 12-13; Lk 12: 1-7), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday
Or red □ Isaac Jogues and John de Brébeuf, Priests, Religious, Missionaries, Martyrs and their Companions, Martyrs. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 471 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs – Vesp of Memorial
Or white □ Paul of the Cross, Priest, Religious Founder. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 471 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
Archdioc Newark: White ANNUIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast
20 **Green**  □ **Sat of 28th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 472 (Eph 1: 15-23; Ps 8: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 12: 8-12), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following **Sunday**

*Or white* □ **Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary.** Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II

**In Puerto Rico:** *As supra or white* □ Junipero Serra, Priest, Religious, Missionary (1 Jul.). Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 472 (as *supra*), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious

**U.S.A.: As supra or white** □ **Paul of the Cross, Priest, Religious Founder** (19 Oct.). Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 472 (as *supra*), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious

*Since World Mission Sunday is assigned to tomorrow, the Mass For the Evangelization of Peoples may be celebrated, as is indicated in the Missal under “Masses and Prayers for Various Needs and Occasions.”* Readings no. 872ff.

21 **Sw Green**  □ **TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.** In Mass Gl, readings no. 146 (Is 53: 10-11; Ps 33: 4-5, 18-19, 20,22; Heb 4: 14-16; Mk 10: 35-45), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

**Archdiocese Baltimore:** 1st Vesp of following **Sunday**

22 **Green**  □ **Mon of 29th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 473 (Eph 2: 1-10; Ps 100: 2,3,4,5; Lk 12: 13-21), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

*Or white* □ **John Paul II, Pope.** Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 473 (as *supra*), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

**Archdiocese Baltimore:** White **ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF ALL CONSECRATED CHURCHES.** Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

23 **Green**  □ **Tue of 29th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 474 (Eph 2: 12-22; Ps 85: 9-10, 11-12, 13-14; Lk 12: 35-38), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

*Or white* □ **John of Capistrano, Priest, Religious, Missionary.** Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 474 (as *supra*), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

**Archdiocese Chicago, Diocese Peoria:** 1st Vesp of following

**St. John’s Abbey; St. Benedict’s Monastery, St. Joseph: 1st Vesp of following**

**Diocese Charlotte:** Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

24 **Green**  □ **Wed of 29th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 475 (Eph 3: 2-12; Is 12: 2-3, 4, 5-6; Lk 12: 39-48), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

*Or white* □ **Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop, Religious Founder.** Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 475 (as *supra*), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

**In Mexico:** White **RAFAEL GUIZAR Y VALENcia, BISHOP.** Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 719ff., Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Feast

**Archdiocese Chicago, Diocese Peoria:** White **ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF ALL CONSECRATED CHURCHES.** Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

**St. John’s Abbey; St. Benedict’s Monastery, St. Joseph:** White **ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH.** Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

**Diocese Pittsburgh:** White **ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL.** Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast

**Archdiocese Kansas City, KS:** 1st Vesp of following

25 **Green**  □ **Thu of 29th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 476 (Eph 3: 14-21; Ps 33: 1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12: 49-53), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

**Archdiocese Kansas City, KS:** White **ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF ALL CONSECRATED CHURCHES.** Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

**St. Gregory’s Abbey:** 1st Vesp of following

26 **Green**  □ **Fri of 29th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 477 (Eph 4: 1-6; Ps 24: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 12: 54-59), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

**St. Gregory’s Abbey:** White **ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH.** Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

27 **Green**  □ **Sat of 29th Week in Ordinary Time.** In Mass readings no. 478 (Eph 4: 7-16; Ps 122: 1-2, 3-4, 4-5; Lk 13: 1-9), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following **Sunday**

*Or white* □ **Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary.** Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II

**Archdiocese Denver:** White **ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL.** Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II – 1st Vesp of following **Sunday**

**Archdiocese Campinas:** White **ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL.** Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II – 1st Vesp of following **Sunday**

Tomorrow announce the Solemnity of All Saints.
28 *Green THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 149 (Jer 31: 7-9; Ps 126: 1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6; Heb 5: 1-6; Mk 10: 46-52), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

29 Green Mon of 30th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 479 (Eph 4:32 to 5:8; Ps 1: 1-2, 3,4,6; Lk 13: 10-17), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

30 Green Tue of 30th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 480 (Eph 5: 21-33; Ps 128: 1-2, 3, 4-5; Lk 13: 18-21), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

31 Green Wed of 30th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 481 (Eph 6: 1-9; Ps 145: 10-11, 12-13, 13-14; Lk 13: 22-30), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following OA
Where All Saints is transferred to Sunday: Vesp of Weekday
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1  * White * Thu. ALL SAINTS. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 667 (Rv 7: 2-4, 9-14; Ps 24: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Jn 3: 1-3; Mt 5: 1-12a), Cr, Pref of All Saints – 2d Vesp

   Where All Saints is transferred to Sunday: * Green * Thu of 30th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 482 (Eph 6: 10-20; Ps 144: 1-2, 9-10; Lk 13: 31-35), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

2  White, Violet or Black Fri. COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED. In Proper Masses, 3 readings no. 1011ff. or 668ff., Pref For the Dead I-V – Vesp of Dead

   “Within eight days after All Saints, the Office of the day and the Conventual Mass are to be offered in each monastery for the deceased members of that community” (The Directory, D 71.5

3  Green □ Sat of 30th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 484 (Phil 1: 18b-26; Ps 42: 2,3,5; Lk 14: 1, 7-11), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

   Or white □ Martin de Porres, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 484 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious

   Or white □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II

   Where All Saints is transferred to Sunday: * White * Sun. ALL SAINTS (1 Nov.). Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no 667 (see November 1 above), Cr, Pref of All Saints – 2d Vesp

   Archdiocese Los Angeles: 1st Vesp of following

4  *Green THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 152 (Dt 6: 2-6; Ps 18: 2-3, 4-7, 47,51; Heb 7: 23-28; Mk 12: 28b-34), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

   Where All Saints is transferred to Sunday: * White * Sun. ALL SAINTS (1 Nov.). Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no 667 (see November 1 above), Cr, Pref of All Saints – 2d Vesp

   Archdiocese Los Angeles: 1st Vesp of following

5  Green □ Mon of 31st Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 485 (Phil 2: 1-4; Ps 131: 1,2,3; Lk 14: 12-14), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

   Archdiocese Los Angeles: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF ALL CONSECRATED CHURCHES. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp


   Dioc St. Cloud: Anniv of Bishop’s installation tomorrow.

7  Green □ Wed of 31st Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 487 (Phil 2: 12-18; Ps 27: 1-4, 13-14; Lk 14: 25-33), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

   Or white □ Willibrord, Bishop. Opt Mem. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 29) readings no. 487 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

8  Green □ Thu of 31st Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 488 (Phil 3: 3-8; Ps 105: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 15: 1-10), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

9  White Fri. DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA IN ROME. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff. or 671 (Ez 47: 1-2, 8-9, 12 or 1 Cor 3: 9-11, 16-17; Ps 46: 2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 2: 13-22), Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast

   St Leo Abbey: 1st Vesp of following

10 White □ Sat. Leo the Great, Pope, Doctor of the Church. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 490 (Phil 4: 10-19; Ps 112: 1-2, 5-6, 8,9; Lk 16: 9-15), Pref of Pastors – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

   St Leo Abbey: White LEO THE GREAT, TITULAR. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 719ff., 725ff., or 672 (Sir 39: 6-11; Ps 37: 3-4, 5-6, 30-31; Mt 16: 13-19), Cr, Pref of Pastors – 2d Vesp

   St Martin’s Abbey: 1st Vesp of following

   Nameday of Abbot Martin (O) tomorrow.

11 *Green THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 155 (1Kgs 17: 10-16; Ps 146: 7, 8-9, 9-10; Heb 9: 24-28; Mk 12: 38-44), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp

   St Martin’s Abbey: * White * Sun. MARTIN OF TOURS, TITULAR. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 719ff. or 673 (as supra), Cr, Pref of Pastors – 2d Vesp
12 Green ☐ Mon of 32d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 491 (Ti 1: 1-9; Ps 24: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 17: 1-6), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday  
Or white ☐ Theodore of Studiis, Abbot. Opt Mem. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 30) readings no. 491 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial  
Or red ☐ Josaphat, Bishop, Religious, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 491 (as supra), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

13 Green ☐ Tue of 32d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 492 (Ti 2: 1-8, 11-14; Ps 37: 3-4, 18,23,27,29; Lk 17: 7-10), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday  
U.S.A.: As supra or white ☐ Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin, Religious Founder, Missionary. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 492 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

14 Green ☐ Wed of 32d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 493 (Ti 3: 1-7; Ps 23: 1-3, 3-4, 5,6; Lk 17: 11-19), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday  
Nameday of Abbot Roger (Bed) tomorrow.

15 Green ☐ Thu of 32d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 494 (Phlm 7-20; Ps 146: 7, 8-9, 9-10; Lk 17: 20-25), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday  
Or white ☐ Albert the Great, Bishop, Religious, Doctor of the Church. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 494 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial  
Federation of St. Gertrude: 1st Vesp of following  
St. Gertrude Monastery, Ridgely: 1st Vesp of following  
St. Gertrude Monastery, Ridgely: 1st Vesp of following Sunday

16 White ☐ Fri. Gertrude the Great, Virgin, Religious. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 495 (2Jn 4-9; Ps 119: 1,2,10,11,17,18; Lk 17: 26-37), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial  
Federation of St. Gertrude: White GERTRUDE THE GREAT. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 731ff., 737ff., or 677 (as supra), Cr, Pref of Virgins and Religious – 2d Vesp  
St. Gertrude Monastery, Ridgely: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication 1 – 2d Vesp

17 Green ☐ Sat of 32d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 496 (3Jn 5-8; Ps 112: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 18: 1-8), Common Preface – 1st Vesp of following Sunday  
Or white ☐ Margaret of Scotland, Queen, Married Woman. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 496 (as supra), Pref of Holy Men and Women  
Or white ☐ Elizabeth of Hungary, Married Woman, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 496 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious  
Or white ☐ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II

18 ★Green THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. In Mass Gl, readings no. 158 (Dn 12: 1-3; Ps 16: 5,8, 9-10, 11; Heb 10: 11-14, 18; Mk 13: 24-32), Cr, Pref for Sundays – 2d Vesp  
In Puerto Rico: 1st Vesp of following

19 Green ☐ Mon of 33d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 497 (Rv 1: 1-4 and 2: 1-5a; Ps 1: 1-2, 3,4,6; Lk 18: 35-43), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday  
Or white ☐ Mechthild, Virgin, Religious. Opt Mem. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 31) readings no. 497 (as supra), Pref of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial  
In Puerto Rico: White or blue OUR LADY OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE, PATRON OF PUERTO RICO. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 707ff., Cr, Pref of BVM – 2d Vesp  
St. Walburga Monastery, Elizabeth: 1st Vesp of following

20 Green ☐ Tue of 33d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 498 (Rv 3: 1-6, 14-22; Ps 15: 2-3, 3-4, 5; Lk 19: 1-10), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday  
St. Walburga Monastery, Elizabeth: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication 1 – 2d Vesp

21 White ☐ Wed. Presentation of the Virgin Mary. Memorial. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff. or 680 (Zec 2: 14-17; Lk 1: 46-47, 48-49, 50-51, 52-53, 54-55; Mt 12: 46-50), Pref of BVM I or II – Vesp of Memorial
Dioc Altoona-Johnstown: 1st Vesp of following

22 **Red** □ Thu. **Cecilia,** *Virgin, Martyr.* Memorial. In Mass readings no. 500 (Rv 5: 1-10; Ps 149: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 9; Lk 19: 41-44), Pref of Martyrs or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

U.S.A.: **THANKSGIVING DAY.** Proper Mass (*white*) Gl, 3 readings no. 943ff. (In Thanksgiving to God), Pref of Thanksgiving Day, may be celebrated as Conventual or Principal Mass unless a solemnity occurs.

Dioc Altoona-Johnstown: **White** ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF ALL CONSECRATED CHURCHES. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

Nameday of Abbot Clement tomorrow.

23 **Green** □ Fri of 33d Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 501 (Rv 10: 8-11; Ps 119: 14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19: 45-48), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Or **red** □ **Clement I,** *Pope, Martyr.* Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 501 (as *supra*), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

Or **white** □ **Columban,** Abbot, Missionary. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 501 (as *supra*), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

U.S.A.: As *supra* or **red** □ **Bl Miguel Agustín Pro,** Priest, Religious, Martyr. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 501 (as *supra*), Pref of Martyrs or of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

24 **Red** □ Sat. **Andrew Dung-Lac,** Priest, Martyr, and his Companions, Martyrs. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 502 (Rv 11: 4-12; Ps 144: 1,2, 9-10; Lk 20: 27-40), Pref of Martyrs – 1st Vesp of following

25 **White** □ Sun. **JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE.** Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 161 (Dn 7: 13-14; Ps 93: 1, 1-2, 5; Rv 1: 5-8; Jn 18: 33b-37), Cr, Pref of Christ, King… – 2d Vesp

Dioc Guaymas: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

26 **Green** □ Mon of 34th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 503 (Rv 14: 1-3, 4b-5; Ps 24: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 21: 1-4), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Or **white** □ **Silvester,** Abbot. Opt Mem. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 32) readings no. 503 (as *supra*), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

27 **Green** □ Tue of 34th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 504 (Rv 14: 14-19; Ps 96: 10, 11-12, 13; Lk 21: 5-11), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

In Puerto Rico: As *supra,* or **white** or **blue** □ **Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal.** Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM – Vesp of Memorial

28 **Green** □ Wed of 34th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 505 (Rv 15: 1-4; Ps 98: 1, 2-3, 7-8, 9; Lk 21: 12-19), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Novena in honor of Immaculate Conception begins tomorrow.

29 **Green** □ Thu of 34th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 506 (Rv 18: 1-2, 21-23 and 19: 1-3, 9; Ps 100: 2,3,4,5; Lk 21: 20-28), Common Preface – Vesp of Weekday

Dioc Richmond: **White** ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II – Vesp of Feast

30 **Red** Fri. **ANDREW,** *APOSTLE.* Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 684 (Rom 10: 9-18; Ps 19: 8,9,10,11; Mt 4: 18-22), Pref of Apostles – Vesp of Feast

Nameday of Abbot Richard tomorrow.

Dioc Richmond: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

Archdioc Seattle: Anniv of Bishop’s installation tomorrow.
DECEMBER 2018

1 Green □ Sat of 34th Week in Ordinary Time. In Mass readings no. 508 (Rv 22: 1-7; Ps 95: 1-2, 3-5, 6-7; Lk 21: 34-36), Common Preface
   Or white □ Saturday Office of Blessed Virgin Mary. Opt Mem. In Mass proper readings no. 707ff., Pref of BVM I or II
Dioc Birmingham: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL. Feast. In Mass (B) Gl, readings no. 701ff., Pref of Dedication II

ADVENT

1st Vesp of following Sunday
The First Week of the Psalter is resumed at Vespers today.
On Sundays from tomorrow and until Advent of 2019 the Mass readings are those of Cycle C.
Pref of Advent I is used until 16 December inclusive.
Tomorrow announce the Solemnity the Immaculate Conception.

2 * Violet * FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT. In Mass readings no. 3 (Jer 33: 14-16; Ps 25: 4-5, 8-9, 10,14; 1Thes 3: 12 to 4: 2; Lk 21: 25-28, 34-36), Cr, Pref of Advent I – 2d Vesp
   Votive Masses, Masses “for various needs and occasions,” and “daily” Masses for the dead are forbidden in Advent, except as provided in nos. 374, 376, 381 of the General Instruction.

3 White □ Mon. Francis Xavier, Priest, Religious, Missionary. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 175 (Is 2: 1-5; Ps 122: 1-2, 3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 8: 5-11), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial
   Archdioc Indianapolis, Dioc Joliet and in Japan: White FRANCIS XAVIER, PATRON OF DIOCESE (AND OF MISSIONS). Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 685 (1Cor 9: 16-19, 22-23; Ps 117: 1, 2; Mk 16: 15-20), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Feast

4 Violet □ Tue of 1st Week of Advent. Proper Mass, readings no. 176 (Is 11: 1-10; Ps 72: 1, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lk 10: 21-24), Pref of Advent I – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white □ John of Damascus, Priest, Religious, Doctor of the Church. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 176 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial

5 Violet □ Wed of 1st Week of Advent. Proper Mass, readings no. 177 (Is 25: 6-10a; Ps 23: 1-3, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 15: 29-37), Pref of Advent I – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white □ Saba, Abbot. Opt Mem. In Mass (Ben Suppl, p. 33), readings no. 177 (as supra), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

6 Violet □ Thu of 1st Week of Advent. Proper Mass, readings no. 178 (Is 26: 1-6; Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27; Mt 7: 21, 24-27), Pref of Advent I – Vesp of Weekday
   Or white □ Nicholas, Bishop. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 178 (as supra), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial
Dioc Covington: 1st Vesp of following

7 White □ Fri. Ambrose, Bishop, Doctor of the Church. Memorial. In Mass readings no. 179 (Is 29: 17-24; Ps 27: 1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9: 27-31), Pref of Pastors – 1st Vesp of following OA
   Dioc Covington: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF ALL CONSECRATED CHURCHES. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 1st Vesp of following OA
   Where Immaculate Conception is transferred to Sunday: Vesp of Memorial

8 * White * Sat. IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY. Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 689 (Gn 3: 9-15, 20; Ps 98: 1, 2-3, 3-4; Eph 1: 3-6, 11-12; Lk 1: 26-38), Cr, Pref of Immaculate Conception – 1st Vesp of following Sunday
   Where Immaculate Conception is transferred to Sunday: Violet □ Sat of 1st Week of Advent. Proper Mass, readings no. 180 (Is 30: 19-21, 23-26; Ps 147: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 9:35 to 10:1, 6-8), Pref of Advent I – 1st Vesp of following OA

9 * Violet * SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT. In Mass readings no. 6 (Bar 5: 1-9; Ps 126: 1-2, 2-3, 4-5,6; Phil 1: 4-6, 8-11; Lk 3: 1-6), Cr, Pref of Advent I – 2d Vesp
   Where Immaculate Conception is transferred to Sunday: * White * Sun. IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (8 Dec.). Solemnity. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 689 (see Dec. 8 above), Cr, Pref of Immaculate Conception – 2d Vesp
10 **Violet** □ **Mon of 2d Week of Advent.** Proper Mass, readings no. 181 (Is 35: 1-10; Ps 85: 9-10, 11-12, 13-14; Lk 5: 17-26), Pref of Advent I – Vesp of Weekday  
Archdiocese Kansas City, KS: Anniv of Bishop’s ordination tomorrow.

11 **Violet** □ **Tue of 2d Week of Advent.** Proper Mass, readings no. 182 (Is 40: 1-11; Ps 96: 1-2, 3, 10, 11-12, 13; Mt 18: 12-14), Pref of Advent I – Vesp of Weekday  
Or **white** □ Damasus I, Pope. Opt Mem. In Mass readings no. 182 (as *supra*), Pref of Pastors – Vesp of Memorial  
Abadia del Tepeyac: 1st Vesp of following

12 **White** **Wed. OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE.** Feast. In Mass (Comm of BVM 4) Gl, readings no. 707ff. or 690A (Zec 2: 14-17 or Rv 11:19a and 12:1-6a, 10ab; Jdt 13: 18,19; Lk 1: 26-38 or Lk 1: 39-47), Pref of BVM I or II – Vesp of Feast  
St. Gregory’s Abbey: Blue OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE. Feast (as *supra*).  
Abadia del Tepeyac: White OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE, TITULAR. Solemnity. In Mass (Comm of BVM 4) Gl, 3 readings no. 707ff. or 690A (as *supra*), Cr, Pref of BVM I or II – 2d Vesp  
Outside of the Americas: **Violet** □ **Wed of 2d Week of Advent.** Proper Mass, readings no. 183 (Is 40: 25-31; Ps 103: 1-2, 3-4, 8, 10; Mt 11: 28-30), Pref of Advent I – Vesp of Weekday

13 **Red** □ **Thu. Lucy,* Virgin, Martyr.** Memorial. In Mass readings no. 184 (Is 41: 13-20; Ps 145: 1, 9, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 11: 11-15), Pref of Martyrs or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

14 **White** □ **Fri. John of the Cross, Priest, Religious, Doctor of the Church.** Memorial. In Mass readings no. 185 (Is 48: 17-19; Ps 1: 1-2, 3,4,6; Mt 11: 16-19), Pref of Pastors or of Virgins and Religious – Vesp of Memorial

15 **Violet** □ **Sat of 2d Week of Advent.** Proper Mass, readings no. 186 (Sir 48: 1-4, 9-11; Ps 80: 2-3, 15-16, 18-19; Mt 17: 10-13), Pref of Advent I – 1st Vesp of following Sunday

16 **Rose or Violet** *THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT*. In Mass readings no. 9 (Zep 3: 14-18a; Is 12: 2-3, 4, 5-6; Phil 4: 4-7; Lk 3: 10-18), Cr, Pref of Advent I – 2d Vesp  
Mass readings no. 187-191 are omitted in 2018, Pref of Advent II is used 17-24 December.

17 **Violet** † **Mon of 3d Week of Advent.** Proper Mass of 17 Dec., readings no. 193 (Gn 49: 2, 8-10; Ps 72: 3-4, 7-8, 17; Mt 1: 1-17), Pref of Advent II – Vesp of Weekday  
Sacred Heart Monastery, Lisle: 1st Vesp of following

18 **Violet** † **Tue of 3d Week of Advent.** Proper Mass of 18 Dec., readings no. 194 (Jer 23: 5-8; Ps 72: 1, 12-13, 18-24; Mt 1: 18-24), Pref of Advent II – Vesp of Weekday  
Sacred Heart Monastery, Lisle: White ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION OF CHURCH. Solemnity. In Mass (A) Gl, 3 readings no. 701ff., Cr, Pref of Dedication I – 2d Vesp

19 **Violet** † **Wed of 3d Week of Advent.** Proper Mass of 19 Dec., readings no. 195 (Jgs 13: 2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71: 3-4, 5-6, 16-17; Lk 1: 5-25), Pref of Advent II – Vesp of Weekday

20 **Violet** † **Thu of 3d Week of Advent.** Proper Mass of 20 Dec., readings no. 196 (Is 7: 10-14; Ps 24: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 1: 26-38), Pref of Advent II – Vesp of Weekday  
Nameday of Abbot Peter (C) tomorrow.

21 **Violet** † **Fri of 3d Week of Advent.** Proper Mass of 21 Dec., readings no. 197 (Sg 2: 8-14 or Zep 3: 14-18a; Ps 33: 2-3, 11-12, 20-21), gospel from no. 199 (Lk 1: 57-66), Pref of Advent II – Vesp of Weekday  
At Lauds and Vespers optional commemoration of Peter Canisius, Priest, Religious, Doctor of the Church. At Mass optional Collect of Peter.

22 **Violet** † **Sat of 3d Week of Advent.** Proper Mass of 22 Dec., reading no. 198 (1Sm 1:24-28; 1Sm 2: 1, 4-5, 6-7, 8; Lk 1: 46-56), Pref of Advent II – 1st Vesp of following Sunday  
Tomorrow announce the Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord.
23 * Violet * **FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT.** In Mass readings no. 12 (Mi 5: 1-4a; Ps 80: 2-3, 15-16, 18-19; Heb 10: 5-10; Lk 1: 39-45), Cr, Pref of Advent II – 2d Vesp

24 **Violet † Mon of 4th Week of Advent.** Proper Mass of 24 Dec. “in the morning,” readings no. 200 (2Sm 7: 1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Ps 89: 2-3, 4-5, 27, 29; Lk 1: 67-79), Pref of Advent II

**CHRISTMAS**

1st Vesp of following OA

Vigil Mass (on the evening either before or after Vespers): **White** Gl, 3 readings no. 13 (Is 62: 1-5; Ps 89: 4-5, 16-17, 27, 29; Acts 13: 16-17, 22-25; Mt 1: 1-25), Cr (all kneel at and by the Holy Spirit... became man), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred night... in communion...

Compline is omitted tonight by those who participate in the Night Vigil. Immediately following the Night Vigil, Mass begins with the “Gloria.”

On Christmas two conventual masses may be celebrated in choir: one during the night and one during the day.

On Christmas all priests may celebrate or concelebrate three masses, provided the masses are celebrated at their proper times.

25 * White * Tue. **THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD** Solemnity with an Octave:

**Mass during the Night,** Gl, 3 readings no. 14 (Is 9: 1-6; Ps 96: 1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13; Ti 2: 11-14; Lk 2: 1-14), Cr (all kneel at and by the Holy Spirit... became man), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred night... in communion...;

**Mass at Dawn,** Gl, 3 readings no. 15 (Is 62: 11-12; Ps 97: 1, 6, 11-12; Ti 3: 4-7; Lk 2: 15-20), Cr (all kneel at and by the Holy Spirit... became man), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day... in communion...;

**Mass during the Day,** Gl, 3 readings no. 16 (Is 52: 7-10; Ps 98: 1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6; Heb 1: 1-6; Jn 1: 1-18), Cr (all kneel at and by the Holy Spirit... became man), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day... in communion... – 2d Vesp

26 **Red Wed. STEPHEN,* FIRST MARTYR.** Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 696 (Acts 6: 8-10 and 7:54-59; Ps 31: 3-4, 6, 8, 16, 17; Mt 10: 17-22), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day... in communion... – **Vesp of Octave** (not of Stephen)

27 **White Thu. JOHN,* APOSTLE, EVANGELIST.** Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 697 (1Jn 1: 1-4; Ps 97: 1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Jn 20: 1-8), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day... in communion... – **Vesp of Octave** (not of John)

28 **Red Fri. THE HOLY INNOCENTS, MARTYRS.** Feast. In Mass Gl, readings no. 698 (1Jn 1: 5 to 2: 2; Ps 124: 2-3, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 2: 13-18), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day... in communion... – **Vesp of Octave** (not of Innocents)

29 **White † Sat. FIFTH DAY IN THE OCTAVE OF CHRISTMAS.** Proper Mass of 29 Dec., Gl, readings no. 202 (1Jn 2: 3-11; Ps 96: 1-2, 2-3, 5-6; Lk 2: 22-35), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day... in communion... – **1st Vesp of following**

At Lauds optional commemoration of Thomas Becket, Bishop, Martyr. At Mass optional Collect of Thomas.

Tomorrow announce the Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God.

30 * White Sun. **HOLY FAMILY.** Feast. In Mass Gl, 3 readings no. 17 (Sir 3: 2-6, 12-14 or 1Sm 1: 20-22, 24-28; Ps 128: 1-2, 3, 4-5 or Ps 84: 2-3, 5-6, 9-10; Col 3: 12-21 or 1Jn 3: 1-2, 21-24; Lk 2: 41-52), Cr, Pref of the Nativity of the Lord, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day... in communion... – 2d Vesp

31 White † Mon. **SEVENTH DAY IN THE OCTAVE OF CHRISTMAS.** Proper Mass of 31 Dec., Gl, readings no. 204 (1Jn 2: 18-21; Ps 96: 1-2, 11-12, 13; Jn 1: 1-18), Pref of the Nativity of the Lord, in Euch Pr I proper Celebrating the most sacred day... in communion... – **1st Vesp of following OA**

At Lauds optional commemoration of Sylvester I, Pope. At Mass optional Collect of Sylvester.