

2025 Revised Common Lectionary for Sundays and Festivals

These Scripture readings are from the three-year Revised Common Lectionary as provided in the Presbyterian Book of Common Worship (Westminster John Knox Press, 2018). The readings from the two-year daily lectionary are not included in this document.

This list of readings includes both tracks of the Revised Common Lectionary for the time after Pentecost. The semicontinuous track moves sequentially through major stories and themes from the Old Testament. The complementary track provides Old Testament readings related to the Gospel selection for the day.

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January

Sunday, January 5

Second Sunday of Christmas

Jeremiah 31:7–14

Psalm 147:12–20

Ephesians 1:3–14

John 1:(1–9) 10–18

Monday, January 6

Epiphany of the Lord

Isaiah 60:1–6

Psalm 72:1–7, 10–14

Ephesians 3:1–12

Matthew 2:1–12

Sunday, January 12

Baptism of the Lord

Isaiah 43:1–7

Psalm 29

Acts 8:14–17

Luke 3:15–17, 21–22

Sunday, January 19

Isaiah 62:1–5

Psalm 36:5–10

1 Corinthians 12:1–11

John 2:1–11

Sunday, January 26

Nehemiah 8:1–3, 5–6, 8–10

Psalm 19
1 Corinthians 12:12–31a
Luke 4:14–21

February

Sunday, February 2

Jeremiah 1:4–10
Psalm 71:1–6
1 Corinthians 13:1–13
Luke 4:21–30

Sunday, February 9

Isaiah 6:1–8 (9–13)
Psalm 138
1 Corinthians 15:1–11
Luke 5:1–11

Sunday, February 16

Jeremiah 17:5–10
Psalm 1
1 Corinthians 15:12–20
Luke 6:17–26

Sunday, February 23

Genesis 45:3–11, 15
Psalm 37:1–11, 39–40
1 Corinthians 15:35–38, 42–50
Luke 6:27–38

March

Sunday, March 2

Transfiguration of the Lord

Exodus 34:29–35
Psalm 99
2 Corinthians 3:12–4:2
Luke 9:28–36 [37–43]

Wednesday, March 5

Ash Wednesday

Joel 2:1–2, 12–17 *or* Isaiah 58:1–12

Psalm 51:1–17
2 Corinthians 5:20b—6:10
Matthew 6:1–6, 16–21

Sunday, March 9

First Sunday in Lent

Deuteronomy 26:1–11
Psalm 91:1–2, 9–16
Romans 10:8b–13
Luke 4:1–13

Sunday, March 16

Second Sunday in Lent

Genesis 15:1–12, 17–18
Psalm 27
Philippians 3:17—4:1
Luke 13:31–35 *or* Luke 9:28–36

Sunday, March 23

Third Sunday in Lent

Isaiah 55:1–9
Psalm 63:1–8
1 Corinthians 10:1–13
Luke 13:1–9

Sunday, March 30

Fourth Sunday in Lent

Joshua 5:9–12
Psalm 32
2 Corinthians 5:16–21
Luke 15:1–3, 11b–32

April

Sunday, April 6

Fifth Sunday in Lent

Isaiah 43:16–21
Psalm 126
Philippians 3:4b–14
John 12:1–8

Sunday, April 13

Passion/Palm Sunday / Sixth Sunday in Lent

Liturgy of the Palms

Luke 19:28–40

Psalm 118:1–2, 19–29

Liturgy of the Passion

Isaiah 50:4–9a

Psalm 31:9–16

Philippians 2:5–11

Luke 22:14—23:56 *or* Luke 23:1–49

Monday, April 14

Monday of Holy Week

Isaiah 42:1–9

Psalm 36:5–11

Hebrews 9:11–15

John 12:1–11

Tuesday, April 15

Tuesday of Holy Week

Isaiah 49:1–7

Psalm 71:1–14

1 Corinthians 1:18–31

John 12:20–36

Wednesday, April 16

Wednesday of Holy Week

Isaiah 50:4–9a

Psalm 70

Hebrews 12:1–3

John 13:21–32

Thursday, April 17

Maundy Thursday

Exodus 12:1–4 [5–10] 11–14

Psalm 116:1–2, 12–19

1 Corinthians 11:23–26

John 13:1–17, 31b–35

Friday, April 18

Good Friday

Isaiah 52:13—53:12

Psalm 22

Hebrews 10:16–25 *or* Hebrews 4:14–16; 5:7–9

John 18:1—19:42

Saturday, April 19

Great Vigil of Easter

A minimum of three Old Testament readings should be chosen.

The reading from Exodus 14 should always be used.

Genesis 1:1–2:4a

Psalm 136:1–9, 23–26

Genesis 7:1–5, 11–18; 8:6–18; 9:8–13

Psalm 46

Genesis 22:1–18

Psalm 16

Exodus 14:10–31; 15:20–21

Exodus 15:1b–13, 17–18

Proverbs 8:1–8, 19–21; 9:4b–6

Psalm 19

Isaiah 55:1–11

Isaiah 12:2–6

Isaiah 61:1–4, 9–11

Deut. 32:1–4, 7, 36a, 43a

Ezekiel 36:24–28

Psalm 42 and 43

Ezekiel 37:1–14

Psalm 143

Daniel 3:1–29

Song of the Three 35–65

Jonah 1:1–2:1

Jonah 2:2–3 (4–6), 7–9

Zephaniah 3:14–20

Psalm 98

Romans 6:3–11

Psalm 114

John 20:1–18

Sunday, April 20

Resurrection of the Lord / Easter Day

Acts 10:34–43 *or* Isaiah 65:17–25

Psalm 118:1–2, 14–24

1 Corinthians 15:19–26 *or* Acts 10:34–43

John 20:1–18 *or* Luke 24:1–12

Easter Evening

Isaiah 25:6–9

Psalm 114

1 Cor. 5:6b–8

Luke 24:13–49

Sunday, April 27

Second Sunday of Easter

Acts 5:27–32

Psalm 118:14–29 *or* Psalm 150

Revelation 1:4–8

John 20:19–31

May

Sunday, May 4

Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:1–6 [7–20]

Psalm 30

Revelation 5:11–14

John 21:1–19

Sunday, May 11

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:36–43

Psalm 23

Revelation 7:9–17

John 10:22–30

Sunday, May 18

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 11:1–18

Psalm 148

Revelation 21:1–6

John 13:31–35

Sunday, May 25

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 16:9–15

Psalm 67

Revelation 21:10, 22—22:5

John 14:23–29 *or* John 5:1–9

Thursday, May 29

Ascension of the Lord

Acts 1:1–11

Psalm 47 *or* Psalm 93

Ephesians 1:15–23

Luke 24:44–53

June

Sunday, June 1

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Acts 16:16–34

Psalm 97

Revelation 22:12–14, 16–17, 20–21

John 17:20–26

Sunday, June 8

Day of Pentecost

Acts 2:1–21 *or* Genesis 11:1–9

Psalm 104:24–34, 35b

Romans 8:14–17 *or* Acts 2:1–21

John 14:8–17 [25–27]

Sunday, June 15

Trinity Sunday

Proverbs 8:1–4, 22–31

Psalm 8

Romans 5:1–5

John 16:12–15

Sunday, June 22 (Proper 7)

Semicontinuous

1 Kings 19:1–4 [5–7] 8–15a

Psalm 42 and 43

Galatians 3:23–29

Luke 8:26–39

Complementary

Isaiah 65:1–9

Psalm 22:19–28

Galatians 3:23–29

Luke 8:26–39

Sunday, June 29 (Proper 8)

Semicontinuous

2 Kings 2:1–2, 6–14

Psalm 77:1–2, 11–20

Galatians 5:1, 13–25

Luke 9:51–62

Complementary

1 Kings 19:15–16, 19–21

Psalm 16

Galatians 5:1, 13–25

Luke 9:51–62

July

Sunday, July 6 (Proper 9)

Semicontinuous

2 Kings 5:1–14
Psalm 30
Galatians 6:[1–6] 7–16
Luke 10:1–11, 16–20

Complementary

Isaiah 66:10–14
Psalm 66:1–9
Galatians 6:[1–6] 7–16
Luke 10:1–11, 16–20

Sunday, July 13 (Proper 10)

Semicontinuous

Amos 7:7–17
Psalm 82
Colossians 1:1–14
Luke 10:25–37

Complementary

Deuteronomy 30:9–14
Psalm 25:1–10
Colossians 1:1–14
Luke 10:25–37

Sunday, July 20 (Proper 11)

Semicontinuous

Amos 8:1–12
Psalm 52
Colossians 1:15–28
Luke 10:38–42

Complementary

Genesis 18:1–10a
Psalm 15
Colossians 1:15–28
Luke 10:38–42

Sunday, July 27 (Proper 12)

Semicontinuous

Hosea 1:2–10
Psalm 85
Colossians 2:6–15 [16–19]
Luke 11:1–13

Complementary

Genesis 18:20–32
Psalm 138
Colossians 2:6–15 [16–19]
Luke 11:1–13

August

Sunday, August 3 (Proper 13)

Semicontinuous

Hosea 11:1–11
Psalm 107:1–9, 43
Colossians 3:1–11
Luke 12:13–21

Complementary

Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12–14; 2:18–23
Psalm 49:1–12
Colossians 3:1–11
Luke 12:13–21

Sunday, August 10 (Proper 14)

Semicontinuous

Isaiah 1:1, 10–20
Psalm 50:1–8, 22–23
Hebrews 11:1–3, 8–16
Luke 12:32–40

Complementary

Genesis 15:1–6
Psalm 33:12–22
Hebrews 11:1–3, 8–16
Luke 12:32–40

Sunday, August 17 (Proper 15)

Semicontinuous

Isaiah 5:1–7
Psalm 80:1–2, 8–19
Hebrews 11:29–12:2
Luke 12:49–56

Complementary

Jeremiah 23:23–29
Psalm 82
Hebrews 11:29–12:2
Luke 12:49–56

Sunday, August 24 (Proper 16)

Semicontinuous

Jeremiah 1:4–10
Psalm 71:1–6
Hebrews 12:18–29
Luke 13:10–17

Complementary

Isaiah 58:9b–14
Psalm 103:1–8
Hebrews 12:18–29
Luke 13:10–17

Sunday, August 31 (Proper 17)

Semicontinuous

Jeremiah 2:4–13
Psalm 81:1, 10–16
Hebrews 13:1–8, 15–16
Luke 14:1, 7–14

Complementary

Proverbs 25:6–7
Psalm 112
Hebrews 13:1–8, 15–16
Luke 14:1, 7–14

September

Sunday, September 7 (Proper 18)

Semicontinuous

Jeremiah 18:1–11
Psalm 139:1–6, 13–18
Philemon 1–21
Luke 14:25–33

Complementary

Deuteronomy 30:15–20
Psalm 1
Philemon 1–21
Luke 14:25–33

Sunday, September 14 (Proper 19)

Semicontinuous

Jeremiah 4:11–12, 22–28
Psalm 14
1 Timothy 1:12–17
Luke 15:1–10

Complementary

Exodus 32:7–14
Psalm 51:1–10
1 Timothy 1:12–17
Luke 15:1–10

Sunday, September 21 (Proper 20)

Semicontinuous

Jeremiah 8:18–9:1
Psalm 79:1–9
1 Timothy 2:1–7
Luke 16:1–13

Complementary

Amos 8:4–7
Psalm 113
1 Timothy 2:1–7
Luke 16:1–13

Sunday, September 28 (Proper 21)

Semicontinuous

Jeremiah 32:1–3a, 6–15
Psalm 91:1–6, 14–16
1 Timothy 6:6–19
Luke 16:19–31

Complementary

Amos 6:1a, 4–7
Psalm 146
1 Timothy 6:6–19
Luke 16:19–31

October

Sunday, October 5 (Proper 22)

Semicontinuous

Lamentations 1:1–6
Lamentations 3:19–26 *or* Psalm 137
2 Timothy 1:1–14
Luke 17:5–10

Complementary

Habakkuk 1:1–4; 2:1–4
Psalm 37:1–9
2 Timothy 1:1–14
Luke 17:5–10

Sunday, October 12 (Proper 23)

Semicontinuous

Jeremiah 29:1, 4–7
Psalm 66:1–12
2 Timothy 2:8–15
Luke 17:11–19

Complementary

2 Kings 5:1–3, 7–15c
Psalm 111
2 Timothy 2:8–15
Luke 17:11–19

Sunday, October 19 (Proper 24)

Semicontinuous

Jeremiah 31:27–34
Psalm 119:97–104
2 Timothy 3:14–4:5
Luke 18:1–8

Complementary

Genesis 32:22–31
Psalm 121
2 Timothy 3:14–4:5
Luke 18:1–8

Sunday, October 26 (Proper 25)

Semicontinuous

Joel 2:23–32
Psalm 65
2 Timothy 4:6–8, 16–18
Luke 18:9–14

Complementary

Jeremiah 14:7–10, 19–22
Psalm 84:1–7
2 Timothy 4:6–8, 16–18
Luke 18:9–14

November

Saturday, November 1

All Saints' Day

Daniel 7:1–3, 15–18
Psalm 149

Ephesians 1:11–23
Luke 6:20–31

Sunday, November 2 (Proper 26)

Semicontinuous

Habakkuk 1:1–4, 2:1–4
Psalm 119:137–144
2 Thessalonians 1:1–4, 11–12
Luke 19:1–10

Complementary

Isaiah 1:10–18
Psalm 32:1–7
2 Thessalonians 1:1–4, 11–12
Luke 19:1–10

Sunday, November 9 (Proper 27)

Semicontinuous

Haggai 1:15b–2:9
Psalm 145:1–5, 17–21 or Psalm 98
2 Thessalonians 2:1–5, 13–17
Luke 20:27–38

Complementary

Job 19:23–27a
Psalm 17:1–9
2 Thessalonians 2:1–5, 13–17
Luke 20:27–38

Sunday, November 16 (Proper 28)

Semicontinuous

Isaiah 65:17–25
Isaiah 12
2 Thessalonians 3:6–13
Luke 21:5–19

Complementary

Malachi 4:1–2a
Psalm 98
2 Thessalonians 3:6–13
Luke 21:5–19

Sunday, November 23

Reign of Christ / Christ the King

Semicontinuous

Jeremiah 23:1–6
Luke 1:68–79
Colossians 1:11–20
Luke 23:33–43

Complementary

Jeremiah 23:1–6
Psalm 46
Colossians 1:11–20
Luke 23:33–43

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Sunday, November 30

First Sunday of Advent

Isaiah 2:1–5
Psalm 122
Romans 13:11–14
Matthew 24:36–44

December

Sunday, December 7

Second Sunday of Advent

Isaiah 11:1–10

Psalm 72:1–7, 18–19

Romans 15:4–13

Matthew 3:1–12

Sunday, December 14

Third Sunday of Advent

Isaiah 35:1–10

Psalm 146:5–10 *or* Luke 1:46–55

James 5:7–10

Matthew 11:2–11

Sunday, December 21

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Isaiah 7:10–16

Psalm 80:1–7, 17–19

Romans 1:1–7

Matthew 1:18–25

Wednesday, December 24

Nativity of the Lord / Christmas Eve

Isaiah 9:2–7

Psalm 96

Titus 2:11–14

Luke 2:1–14 [15–20]

Thursday, December 25

Nativity of the Lord / Christmas Day

Christmas Dawn

Isaiah 62:6–12

Psalm 97

Titus 3:4–7

Luke 2:[1–7] 8–20

Christmas Day

Isaiah 52:7–10

Psalm 98

Hebrews 1:1–4 [5–12]

John 1:1–14

Sunday, December 28

First Sunday of Christmas

Isaiah 63:7–9

Psalm 148

Hebrews 2:10–18

Matthew 2:13–23