



LITURGICAL YEAR			DOCTRINAL CONTENT				
	Date/Sunday	Sunday Gospels	Word of the Week	Creed	Sacraments & Liturgy	Life in Christ	Christian Prayer
ORDINARY TIME	September 20, 2020 25th Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 20:1–16a Parable of the Laborers in the Vineyard	Creator	God's love is generous. (214, 221)	Church as community of believers	Learning about Jesus together	Sign of the Cross
	September 27, 2020 26th Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 21:28–32 Parable of Two Sons	Mass	God gives us free will. (1704, 1711, 1731, 1853)	Celebrating as a community; Mass	Choosing loving actions	Prayers of petition
	October 4, 2020 27th Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 21:33–43 Parable of the Vineyard	God	God cares for Creation. (41, 239, 301, 421)	Mass: Bible as source of readings	Changing and growing	Thanking God for Creation
	October 11, 2020 28th Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 22:1–14 Parable of the Wedding Feast	marriage	Jesus invites us to his table. (1396)	Eucharist; Matrimony	Going to Sunday Mass	Blessing Before Meals
	October 18, 2020 29th Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 22:15–21 Give to Caesar and God	Ten Commandments	Jesus is our Lord and Master. (450, 2242)	Mass: praising God	Honoring God	Glory Be to the Father; prayer of praise booklet
	October 25, 2020 30th Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 22:34–40 The Great Commandment	neighbor	Jesus' Great Commandment is love. (1970–1972)		Following rules; following the Golden Rule	Family prayer
	November 1, 2020 Solemnity of All Saints	Matthew 5:1–12a The Beatitudes	saint	We belong to the Communion of Saints. (962)	Saints; sacramentals: images of saints	Belonging to the Communion of Saints	Praying to saints
	November 8, 2020 32nd Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 25:1–13 Parable of Wise and Foolish Girls	Jesus	God gives us freedom to choose. (1732–1734, 2612)		Being ready for God; making loving choices	Prayers of thanks; singing our prayer
	November 15, 2020 33rd Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 25:14–15, 19–21 Parable of the Talents	respect	God gives us talents. (546, 1880, 2427)	Church community	Sharing our talents	Thanking God for talents
ADVENT/CHRISTMAS	November 22, 2020 Solemnity of Christ the King	Matthew 25:31–46 Jesus Teaches the Works of Mercy	mercy	God judges us on love. (678, 682)	Parish community as doers of justice	Sharing gifts and possessions	Grace After Meals
	November 29, 2020 1st Sunday of Advent	Mark 13:33–37 Jesus Says, "Be Alert!"	Church Year	Advent prepares us for Jesus' coming. (524)	Church Year: Advent	Getting ready for Jesus' coming	Advent wreath prayer
	December 6, 2020 2nd Sunday of Advent	Mark 1:1–8 Jesus Is the Good News	Mary	John announces the Good News. (718–719)	Church Year: Advent	Giving gifts as a sign of love	Advent wreath prayer; prayer to Our Lady of Guadalupe
	December 13, 2020 3rd Sunday of Advent	John 1:6–8, 19–28 John the Baptist Prepares Us for Jesus	Reconciliation	God sent Jesus, Emmanuel "God-with-us." (463, 744)	Church Year: Advent; Reconciliation; Gaudete Sunday	Choosing between loving and unloving actions	Advent wreath; Christmas story in song
	December 20, 2020 4th Sunday of Advent	Luke 1:26–38 Mary Says Yes to God	Beatitudes	Mary models surrender to God. (490, 973, 2617, 2674)	Church Year: Advent; Annunciation	Saying yes to God	Advent wreath prayer; Hail Mary
	December 25, 2020 & January 3, 2021 Christmas & Epiphany	Luke 2:1–14 Jesus Is Born & Matthew 2:1–12 Visit of the Magi	Old Testament	Jesus is born in Bethlehem. (525) Jesus comes for all people. (528)	Church Year: Christmas and Epiphany	Telling the Christmas story	Singing our prayer: Christmas carols
ORDINARY TIME	January 10, 2021 Baptism of the Lord	Mark 1:7–11 Jesus Is Baptized	Baptism	Baptism welcomes us into God's family. (265, 536, 985)	Baptism	Living as members of Jesus' family	Sign of the Cross; God's family prayer
	January 17, 2021 2nd Sunday Ordinary	John 1:35–42 Jesus Calls His First Followers	Gospel	Jesus calls us to follow him. (852)	Church as community; Sunday Eucharist	Signs of Jesus' followers: gathering and listening	Prayer of listening
	January 24, 2021 3rd Sunday Ordinary	Mark 1:14–20 Jesus Calls Four Fishermen	mission	Jesus calls disciples. (542, 804–806)	Church as community of followers	Signs of Jesus' followers: loving actions	Followers of Jesus prayer
	January 31, 2021 4th Sunday Ordinary	Mark 1:21–28 Jesus Teaches with Authority	prayer	Jesus brings peace and heals. (548–550)	Mass: Sign of the Cross, Sign of Peace	Signs of Jesus' followers: seeking peace	Sign of the Cross; prayer for peace
	February 7, 2021 5th Sunday Ordinary	Mark 1:29–39 Jesus Raises Up, Heals, and Frees People	anoint	Jesus heals. (548–550, 620, 1420)	Anointing of the Sick	Signs of Jesus' followers: caring for others	Praying for the sick
LENT	February 14, 2021 6th Sunday Ordinary	Mark 1:40–45 Jesus Heals a Man with Leprosy	Holy Spirit	We share Jesus' Good News. (850)	Church community	Signs of Jesus' followers: telling the Good News	Prayer of love
	February 21, 2021 1st Sunday of Lent	Mark 1:12–15 Jesus Is Tempted	Sunday	Jesus is faithful to God. (538–540, 566, 2157)	Church Year: Lent	Signs of Jesus' followers: praying	Hail Mary; Sign of the Cross; Lord's Prayer (Our Father)
	February 28, 2021 2nd Sunday of Lent	Mark 9:2–10 Jesus' Friends See Him Transfigured	Heaven	Jesus is human and divine. (544–556, 744)	Church Year: Lent	Growing and changing	Prayer of thanks
	March 7, 2021 3rd Sunday of Lent	John 2:13–25 Jesus Cleanses the Temple	Bible	Jesus shows us how to pray. (2759)	Church Year: Lent; Mass: Bible as source of readings	Praying to God who loves us	Sign of the Cross; prayer booklet
	March 14, 2021 4th Sunday of Lent	John 3:14–21 Jesus Gives Us Light	Church	God is always with us. (2, 849)	Church Year: Lent; Laetare Sunday	Loving God, who protects us	Thanking God; Prayer to My Guardian Angel
	March 21, 2021 5th Sunday of Lent	John 12:20–33 Jesus Is Like a Grain of Wheat	Holy Communion	Jesus is the Bread of Life. (1338)	Church Year: Lent; Mass: Liturgy of the Eucharist	Loving God, who feeds us; choosing between loving and unloving actions	Blessing Before Meals
EASTER	March 28, 2021 Palm/Passion Sunday	Mark 15:1–39 Jesus' Passion	Holy Week	Jesus suffers and dies for us. (478, 542, 618, 1329, 2305)	Church Year: Holy Week	Taking part in Holy Week liturgies	Welcoming Jesus
	April 4 & April 11, 2021 Easter Sunday & 2nd Sunday of Easter	John 20:1–9 & John 20:19–31 Jesus Is Risen and Greets His Friends	creed	God raises Jesus from death to eternal life. (638, 989)	Church Year: Easter	Noticing and celebrating the new life of spring and Easter	Easter prayer
	April 18, 2021 3rd Sunday of Easter	Luke 24:35–48 Jesus Appears to His Disciples	parish	Jesus is with us. (764)	Mass: Sign of Peace	Eucharist; finding peace with Jesus	Prayer for peace; Sign of Peace
	April 25, 2021 4th Sunday of Easter	John 10:11–18 Jesus Is the Good Shepherd	pastor	Jesus is our Good Shepherd. (754, 764, 2415–2418)	Parish as a community of caring	Following Jesus	Psalm 23
	May 2, 2021 5th Sunday of Easter	John 15:1–8 Jesus Is the Vine; We Are the Branches	New Testament	Jesus gathers a new community. (960)	Mass; Church as community	Building church community	Thank-you prayer
May 9, 2021 6th Sunday of Easter	John 15:9–17 Jesus' Great Commandment: Love One Another	Confirmation	Jesus' rule is love. (228, 592)	Church Year: honoring Mary in May	Showing love to others	Hail Mary	

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