

# 1652–1653 Church Year Calendar

## Three-Year Series C

Dec. 1, 1652 — Nov. 23, 1653

| Season           | Date                               | Festival / Sunday                        | First Reading                         | Psalms                                     | Epistle                       | Gospel                        |
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| <b>ADVENT</b>    | Dec. 1                             | First Sunday in Advent                   | Jeremiah 33:14-16                     | Psalm 25:1-10<br>(antiphon: v. 6)          | 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13        | Luke 19:28-40 / Luke 21:25-36 |
|                  | Dec. 8                             | Second Sunday in Advent                  | Malachi 3:1-7b                        | Psalm 66:1-12<br>(antiphon: v. 12b)        | Philippians 1:2-11            | Luke 3:1-14 (15-20)           |
|                  | Dec. 15                            | Third Sunday in Advent                   | Zephaniah 3:14-20                     | Psalm 85 (antiphon: v. 2)                  | Philippians 4:4-7             | Luke 7:18-28 (29-35)          |
|                  | Dec. 22                            | Fourth Sunday in Advent                  | Micah 5:2-5a                          | Psalm 80:1-7 (antiphon: v. 7)              | Hebrews 10:5-10               | Luke 1:39-45 (46-56)          |
| <b>CHRISTMAS</b> | Dec. 24                            | The Nativity of Our Lord (Christmas Eve) | Isaiah 7:10-14                        | Psalm 110:1-4<br>(antiphon: v. 2a)         | 1 John 4:7-16                 | Matthew 1:18-25               |
|                  | Dec. 25                            | The Nativity of Our Lord (Day)           | Isaiah 52:7-10                        | Psalm 2 (antiphon: v. 7)                   | Hebrews 1:1-6 (7-12)          | John 1:1-14 (15-18)           |
|                  | Dec. 28                            | The Holy Innocents, Martyrs              | Jeremiah 31:15-17                     | Psalm 54                                   | Revelation 14:1-5             | Matthew 2:13-18               |
|                  | Dec. 29                            | First Sunday after Christmas             | Exodus 13:1-3a, 11-15                 | Psalm 111 (antiphon: v. 9a, b)             | Colossians 3:12-17            | Luke 2:22-40                  |
|                  | Dec. 31                            | New Year's Eve                           | Isaiah 30:(8-14) 15-17                | Psalm 90:1-12<br>(antiphon: v. 17)         | Romans 8:31b-39               | Luke 12:35-40                 |
| Jan. 1 1653      | The Circumcision and Name of Jesus | Numbers 6:22-27                          | Psalm 8 (antiphon: v. 9)              | Galatians 3:23-29                          | Luke 2:21                     |                               |
| Jan. 5 1653      | Second Sunday after Christmas      | 1 Kings 3:4-15                           | Psalm 119:97-104<br>(antiphon: v. 99) | Ephesians 1:3-14                           | Luke 2:40-52                  |                               |
| <b>EPIPHANY</b>  | Jan. 6 1653                        | The Epiphany of Our Lord                 | Isaiah 60:1-6                         | Psalm 72:1-11 (12-15)<br>(antiphon: v. 18) | Ephesians 3:1-12              | Matthew 2:1-12                |
|                  | Jan. 12 1653                       | The Baptism of Our Lord                  | Isaiah 43:1-7                         | Psalm 29 (antiphon: v. 3)                  | Romans 6:1-11                 | Luke 3:15-22                  |
|                  | Jan. 19 1653                       | Second Sunday after the Epiphany         | Isaiah 62:1-5                         | Psalm 128 (antiphon: v. 5)                 | 1 Corinthians 12:1-11         | John 2:1-11                   |
|                  | Jan. 26 1653                       | Third Sunday after the Epiphany          | Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10             | Psalm 19:(1-6) 7-14<br>(antiphon: v. 14)   | 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a       | Luke 4:16-30                  |
|                  | Feb. 2 1653                        | Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany         | Jeremiah 1:4-10 (17-19)               | Psalm 71:1-6 (7-11)<br>(antiphon: v. 12)   | 1 Corinthians 12:31b-13:13    | Luke 4:31-44                  |
|                  | Feb. 9 1653                        | Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany          | Isaiah 6:1-8 (9-13)                   | Psalm 138 (antiphon: v. 5)                 | 1 Corinthians 14:12b-20       | Luke 5:1-11                   |
|                  | Feb. 16 1653                       | Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany          | Jeremiah 17:5-8                       | Psalm 1 (antiphon: v. 2)                   | 1 Corinthians 15:(1-11) 12-20 | Luke 6:17-26                  |
|                  | Feb. 23 1653                       | The Transfiguration of Our Lord          | Deuteronomy 34:1-12                   | Psalm 99 (antiphon: v. 9)                  | Hebrews 3:1-6                 | Luke 9:28-36                  |
| <b>LENT</b>      | Feb. 26 1653                       | Ash Wednesday                            | Joel 2:12-19                          | Psalm 51:1-13 (14-19)<br>(antiphon: v. 17) | 2 Corinthians 5:20b-6:10      | Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21          |
|                  | Mar. 2                             | First Sunday in Lent                     | Deuteronomy 26:1-11                   | Psalm 91:1-13<br>(antiphon: v. 1)          | Romans 10:8b-13               | Luke 4:1-13                   |
|                  | Mar. 9                             | Second Sunday in Lent                    | Jeremiah 26:8-15                      | Psalm 4 (antiphon: v. 8)                   | Philippians 3:17-4:1          | Luke 13:31-35                 |
|                  | Mar. 16                            | Third Sunday in Lent                     | Ezekiel 33:7-20                       | Psalm 85 (antiphon: v. 8)                  | 1 Corinthians 10:1-13         | Luke 13:1-9                   |
|                  | Mar. 23                            | Fourth Sunday in Lent                    | Isaiah 12:1-6                         | Psalm 32 (antiphon: v. 11)                 | 2 Corinthians 5:16-21         | Luke 15:1-3, 11-32            |

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|                      | Mar. 30 | Fifth Sunday in Lent                      | Isaiah 43:16-21   | Psalms 126 (antiphon: v. 3)   | Philippians 3:(4b-7) 8-14        | Luke 20:9-20                                   |
| <b>HOLY WEEK</b>     | Apr. 6  | Sunday of the Passion (Palm Sunday)       | John 12:12-19 (Palm Sunday Procession) / Deuteronomy 32:36-39 | Psalms 118:19-29 (antiphon: v. 26) / Psalm 31:9-16 (antiphon: v. 5) | Philippians 2:5-11               | Luke 22:1-23:56 / Luke 23:1-56 / John 12:20-43 |
|                      | Apr. 10 | Maundy Thursday                           | Jeremiah 31:31-34   | Psalms 116:12-19 (antiphon: v. 17)                                  | Hebrews 10:15-25                 | Luke 22:7-20                                   |
|                      | Apr. 11 | Good Friday                               | Isaiah 52:13-53:12  | Psalms 22 (antiphon: v. 1) / Psalm 31 (antiphon: v. 1)              | Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:7-9           | John 18:1-19:42 / John 19:17-30                |
| <b>EASTER</b>        | Apr. 13 | The Resurrection of Our Lord (Easter Day) | Isaiah 65:17-25   | Psalm 16 (antiphon: v. 10)  | 1 Corinthians 15:19-26           | Luke 24:1-12                                   |
|                      | Apr. 20 | Second Sunday of Easter                   | Acts 5:12-20 (21-32)  | Psalms 148 (antiphon: v. 13)  | Revelation 1:4-18                | John 20:19-31                                  |
|                      | Apr. 27 | Third Sunday of Easter                    | Acts 9:1-22   | Psalms 30 (antiphon: vv. 11a, 12b)                                  | Revelation 5:(1-7) 8-14          | John 21:1-14 (15-19)                           |
|                      | May. 4  | Fourth Sunday of Easter                   | Acts 20:17-35   | Psalms 23 (antiphon: v. 4)  | Revelation 7:9-17                | John 10:22-30                                  |
|                      | May. 11 | Fifth Sunday of Easter                    | Acts 11:1-18  | Psalms 148 (antiphon: v. 13)  | Revelation 21:1-7                | John 16:12-22 / John 13:31-35                  |
|                      | May. 18 | Sixth Sunday of Easter                    | Acts 16:9-15  | Psalms 67 (antiphon: v. 3)  | Revelation 21:9-14, 21-27        | John 16:23-33 / John 5:1-9                     |
|                      | May. 22 | The Ascension of Our Lord                 | Acts 1:1-11   | Psalms 47 (antiphon: v. 5)  | Ephesians 1:15-23                | Luke 24:44-53                                  |
|                      | May. 25 | Seventh Sunday of Easter                  | Acts 1:12-26  | Psalms 133 (antiphon: v. 1)   | Revelation 22:1-6 (7-11) 12-20   | John 17:20-26                                  |
| <b>PENTECOST</b>     | Jun. 1  | The Day of Pentecost                      | Genesis 11:1-9  | Psalms 143 (antiphon: v. 10)  | Acts 2:1-21                      | John 14:23-31                                  |
| <b>ORDINARY TIME</b> | Jun. 8  | The Holy Trinity                          | Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31   | Psalms 8 (antiphon: v. 9)   | Acts 2:14a, 22-36                | John 8:48-59                                   |
|                      | Jun. 15 | Second Sunday after Pentecost             | 2 Samuel 11:26-12:10, 13-14                                   | Psalms 32:1-7 (antiphon: v. 5)                                      | Galatians 2:15-21; 3:10-14       | Luke 7:36-8:3                                  |
|                      | Jun. 22 | Third Sunday after Pentecost              | Isaiah 65:1-9   | Psalms 3 (antiphon: v. 8)   | Galatians 3:23-4:7               | Luke 8:26-39                                   |
|                      | Jun. 29 | Fourth Sunday after Pentecost             | 1 Kings 19:9b-21  | Psalms 16 (antiphon: v. 11)   | Galatians 5:1, 13-25             | Luke 9:51-62                                   |
|                      | Jul. 6  | Fifth Sunday after Pentecost              | Isaiah 66:10-14   | Psalms 66:1-7 (antiphon: vv. 8-9)                                   | Galatians 6:1-10, 14-18          | Luke 10:1-20                                   |
|                      | Jul. 13 | Sixth Sunday after Pentecost              | Leviticus (18:1-5) 19:9-18                                    | Psalms 41 (antiphon: v. 1)  | Colossians 1:1-14                | Luke 10:25-37                                  |
|                      | Jul. 20 | Seventh Sunday after Pentecost            | Genesis 18:1-10a (10b-14)                                     | Psalms 27:(1-6) 7-14 (antiphon: v. 4)                               | Colossians 1:21-29               | Luke 10:38-42                                  |
|                      | Jul. 27 | Eighth Sunday after Pentecost             | Genesis 18:(17-19) 20-33                                      | Psalms 138 (antiphon: v. 3)   | Colossians 2:6-15 (16-19)        | Luke 11:1-13                                   |
|                      | Aug. 3  | Ninth Sunday after Pentecost              | Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-26                              | Psalms 100 (antiphon: v. 3)   | Colossians 3:1-11                | Luke 12:13-21                                  |
|                      | Aug. 10 | Tenth Sunday after Pentecost              | Genesis 15:1-6  | Psalms 33:12-22 (antiphon: v. 20)                                   | Hebrews 11:1-16                  | Luke 12:22-34 (35-40)                          |
|                      | Aug. 17 | Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost           | Jeremiah 23:16-29   | Psalms 119:81-88 (antiphon: v. 81)                                  | Hebrews 11:17-31 (32-40); 12:1-3 | Luke 12:49-53 (54-56)                          |
|                      | Aug. 24 | Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost            | Isaiah 66:18-23   | Psalms 50:1-15 (antiphon: v. 23)                                    | Hebrews 12:4-24 (25-29)          | Luke 13:22-30                                  |

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|        | Aug. 31 | Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost    | Proverbs 25:2-10      | Psalm 131 (antiphon: v. 2)           | Hebrews 13:1-17                     | Luke 14:1-14         |
|        | Sep. 7  | Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost    | Deuteronomy 30:15-20  | Psalm 1 (antiphon: v. 6)             | Philemon 1-21                       | Luke 14:25-35        |
|        | Sep. 14 | Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost     | Ezekiel 34:11-24      | Psalm 119:169-176 (antiphon: v. 176) | 1 Timothy 1:(5-11) 12-17            | Luke 15:1-10         |
|        | Sep. 21 | Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost     | Amos 8:4-7            | Psalm 113 (antiphon: v. 3)           | 1 Timothy 2:1-15                    | Luke 16:1-15         |
|        | Sep. 28 | Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost   | Amos 6:1-7            | Psalm 146 (antiphon: v. 2)           | 1 Timothy 3:1-13 / 1 Timothy 6:6-19 | Luke 16:19-31        |
|        | Oct. 5  | Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost    | Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4 | Psalm 62 (antiphon: v. 1)            | 2 Timothy 1:1-14                    | Luke 17:1-10         |
|        | Oct. 12 | Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost    | Ruth 1:1-19a          | Psalm 111 (antiphon: v. 10)          | 2 Timothy 2:1-13                    | Luke 17:11-19        |
|        | Oct. 19 | Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost     | Genesis 32:22-30      | Psalm 121 (antiphon: vv. 1-2)        | 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5                  | Luke 18:1-8          |
|        | Oct. 26 | Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost  | Genesis 4:1-15        | Psalm 5 (antiphon: v. 11a)           | 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18              | Luke 18:9-17         |
|        | Nov. 2  | Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost | Isaiah 1:10-18        | Psalm 130 (antiphon: vv. 3-4)        | 2 Thessalonians 1:1-5 (6-10) 11-12  | Luke 19:1-10         |
|        | Nov. 9  | Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost  | Exodus 3:1-15         | Psalm 148 (antiphon: v. 13)          | 2 Thessalonians 2:1-8, 13-17        | Luke 20:27-40        |
|        | Nov. 16 | Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost | Malachi 4:1-6         | Psalm 98 (antiphon: v. 9b)           | 2 Thessalonians 3:(1-5) 6-13        | Luke 21:5-28 (29-36) |
|        | Nov. 23 | Last Sunday of the Church Year       |                       |                                      |                                     |                      |
|        | Nov. 27 | Day of Thanksgiving                  |                       |                                      |                                     |                      |