



LITURGICAL YEAR			DOCTRINAL CONTENT					
	Date/Sunday	Sunday Gospels	Bible	Catholic Social Teaching	Creed	Sacraments & Liturgy	Life in Christ	Christian Prayer
ORDINARY TIME	September 23, 2018 25th Sunday Ordinary	Mark 9:30-37 The Greatest Serve Others	The Gospels	Called to family, community	The Church is the body of Christ. (CCC, 805)	Eucharist: Why do we gather at Mass?	Class guidelines	Blessing for the new school year
	September 30, 2018 26th Sunday Ordinary	Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48 Jesus Gathers a Community	Scripture readings at Mass	Called to family, community	The Church is the universal community of believers. (CCC, 752)	Eucharist: Lectionary	Serving, respecting others	The Lord's Prayer
	October 7, 2018 27th Sunday Ordinary	Mark 10:2-16 Jesus Welcomes Families	Marriage in Genesis	Called to family, community	God creates us for relationships. (CCC, 383)	Sacrament of Matrimony	Who influences us?	Thanks for mentors and friends
	October 14, 2018 28th Sunday Ordinary	Mark 10:17-30 Jesus and the Rich Man	Keeping the Commandments	Common good; option for the poor and vulnerable	God is source of all good; Jesus fulfills the law (CCC, 2052-2053)	Eucharist: Jesus pours his lifeblood in love	Jesus' followers help each other	The Lord's Prayers; prayers of petition
	October 21, 2018 29th Sunday Ordinary	Mark 10:35-45 Jesus Calls Us to Serve	Ideal disciples	Common good; rights and responsibilities	Jesus' life is service and sacrifice. (CCC, 608)	Eucharist, baptism	Helping each other, serving others	The Servant Song and prayer
	October 28, 2018 30th Sunday Ordinary	Mark 10:46-52 Jesus Cures the Blind Man	Discipleship	Life and dignity of the human person	Jesus invites all to faith, conversion. (CCC, 160)	Eucharistic prayer; Vatican II	Vatican II: Church, ecumenism, liturgy	Nicene, Apostles' creeds
	November 4, 2018 31st Sunday Ordinary	Mark 12:28b-34 Jesus' Great Commandment	The Creed of Israel – the Sh'ma	Solidarity	Love fulfills God's law (CCC, 2055)	Eucharist: Creeds summarize our beliefs	Exploring points of view; developing compassion	The Apostles' Creed; prayer for vocations
	November 11, 2018 32nd Sunday Ordinary	Mark 12:38-44 The Widow's Mite	Charitable giving in the Bible	Rights and responsibilities	Jesus' whole life teaches. (CCC, 561)	Eucharist: Presentation of the Gifts	Our choices, actions define us	Gospel prayer service
	November 18, 2018 33rd Sunday Ordinary	Mark 13:24-32 Jesus' Great Warning	Apocalyptic writing: hope at the end of the world	Call to family, community, participation	Jesus judges the living and the dead. (CCC, 682)	Eucharist: Scripture readings	Everyday faith	Thanksgiving prayer service
ADVENT/CHRISTMAS	November 25, 2018 Feast of Christ the King	John 18:33b-37 Jesus Is King	Kingdom of God	Solidarity	Jesus leads the Church. (CCC, 669)		Building the Kingdom; leadership profiles	The Lord's Prayer – Thy Kingdom Come
	December 2, 2018 1st Sunday of Advent	Luke 21:25-28, 34-36 Preparing for Jesus' Coming	The Lectionary	Solidarity; called to family, community	Jesus will come again. (CCC, 671-672)	Advent; Liturgical Year; Examination of Conscience	Advent gets us ready for the Son of Man	Advent prayer service; God's forgiving love
	December 9, 2018 2nd Sunday of Advent	Luke 3:1-6 Jesus Will Come Among Us	Jeremiah, Baruch, Zephaniah, Micah	Life and dignity of the human person	John announces the Good News. (CCC, 718-719)	Advent	Journeying to Christmas; Hanukkah	Our Lady of Guadalupe prayer
	December 16, 2018 3rd Sunday of Advent	Luke 3:10-18 John the Baptist	John prepares the way for Jesus	Rights and responsibilities; option for the poor, vulnerable	John bears witness to Jesus. (CCC, 523)	Advent	Acting with justice and mercy	The Lord's Prayer
	December 23, 2018 4th Sunday of Advent	Luke 1:39-45 The Visitation	Profile of Mary, Mother of God	Called to family, community	Mary, is the Mother of God (CCC, 495)	Eucharist: Sign of Peace	Honoring Mary as our model	Hail Mary; Sign of Peace
	December 25, 2018 & January 6, 2019 Christmas & Epiphany	Luke 2:1-14 Christmas; Matthew 2:1-12 Epiphany	The young Jesus; names of Jesus	Called to family, community; solidarity	The Word becomes incarnate. Jesus is the savior of the world. (CCC, 479, 437)	Christmas; Epiphany	Celebrating the Nativity and Epiphany stories	Christmas carols
ORDINARY TIME	January 13, 2019 Baptism of the Lord	Luke 3:15-16, 21-22 Jesus Is Baptized	Jesus' baptism	Option for the poor and vulnerable	Jesus is filled with the Holy Spirit. (CCC, 1286)	Baptism, Confirmation	Living baptism promises; listening to the Holy Spirit	Lord's Prayer; baptismal vows
	January 20, 2019 2nd Sunday Ordinary	John 2:1-11 The Wedding at Cana	Miracles, "signs" in John's Gospel	Called to family, community	Jesus uses signs to teach. (CCC, 1335)	Sacraments; Eucharist; Sign of Wine	Forming community; living the sacraments	Psalms 96
	January 27, 2019 3rd Sunday Ordinary	Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21 Jesus Is God's Anointed	Ezra and Nehemiah; Luke's Gospel; exile	Life and dignity of the human person	Jesus fulfills prophecies. (CCC, 715)	Eucharist: Liturgy of the Word	Building community by sharing our stories	Psalms 19
	February 3, 2019 4th Sunday Ordinary	Luke 4:21-30 Jesus Fulfills Prophecies	Leviticus; Elijah; Elisha; Isaiah	Workers have rights; work has dignity.	Jesus is rejected (CCC, 548)	Eucharist: Old Testament readings; Anointing of the Sick	Fighting prejudice; acceptance and rejection	Psalms 71; healing prayer
	February 10, 2019 5th Sunday Ordinary	Luke 5:1-11 Jesus Calls Disciples	The calls of Isaiah and Peter	Solidarity	The Apostles, Church continue Jesus' mission. (CCC, 96, 98)	Living our Baptismal call	Vocations; discipleship	Prayer for direction in vocation
	February 17, 2019 6th Sunday Ordinary	Luke 6:17, 20-26 The Beatitudes	The poor in the Bible; Jesus stands with the poor	Solidarity; option for the poor and vulnerable	Beatitudes sustain hope, promise blessings (CCC, 1717)	Eucharist: Offertory	Rich and Poor: A Beatitudes game; identifying our blessings	Prayers of thanksgiving
	February 24, 2019 7th Sunday Ordinary	Luke 6:27-38 Jesus Teaches Mercy	Sermon on the Plain	Life and dignity of the human person; solidarity	Jesus reveals God's mercy (CCC, 211, 545)	Eucharistic prayer: Our prayers during Mass thank and ask	Peaceful reactions to conflict	Prayer of Saint Francis
	March 3, 2019 8th Sunday Ordinary	Luke 6:39-45 A Tree Is Known by Its Fruit	Nature imagery in the Bible	Solidarity	Jesus' sayings help form good consciences (CCC, 1784-1785)	Liturgy of the Eucharist: consecration	How do we act as Jesus does?	Ash Wednesday prayer service
LENT	March 10, 2019 1st Sunday of Lent	Luke 4:1-13 Jesus Faces Temptation	Israel's holy history: Deuteronomy 26, Moses	Life and dignity of the human person	The Lord's Prayer summarizes the whole Gospel. (CCC, 2761)	Lent	Lent: Making time and space for prayer	Eucharistic prayer: giving thanks for blessings
	March 17, 2019 2nd Sunday of Lent	Luke 9:28b-36 The Transfiguration	Israel's holy history: Biblical promises	Option for the poor and vulnerable	Transfiguration is a sacrament of our own Resurrection. (CCC, 556)	Lent	Lent: Reviewing our promises	Lenten prayer journal
	March 24, 2019 3rd Sunday of Lent	Luke 13:1-9 God Gives New Chances	Israel's holy history: Moses learns God's name; burning bush	Option for the poor and vulnerable	God forgives sins; he is faithful and just. (CCC, 1847)	Lent	Lent: Catholic prayer traditions	Rosary, Litany, Jesus prayer, Adoration
	March 31, 2019 4th Sunday of Lent	Luke 15:1-3, 11-32 God Is a Forgiving Father	Parables	Life and dignity of the human person	God sends Jesus out love for us. (CCC, 620)	Forgiveness during Mass: Penitential Rite, Lord's Prayer	Offering, seeking forgiveness	Examination of Conscience; forgiveness prayer
	April 7, 2019 5th Sunday of Lent	John 8:1-11 Jesus Brings Forgiveness	Israel's holy history: Exodus and Exile	Life and dignity of the human person	Jesus forgives sin. (CCC, 1441)	Eucharist: We admit sin, seek forgiveness	How conscience helps us make good decisions	Psalms 126
	April 14, 2019 Palm/Passion Sunday	Luke 22:14-23:56 Jesus Pours Out His Life	Jesus' Passion journey	Life and dignity of the human person	Jesus freely gives himself for our salvation. (CCC, 621)	Holy Week liturgies	Keeping palms	Foot washing, Good Friday prayer services
EASTER	April 21 & 28, 2019 Easter Sunday & 2nd Sunday of Easter	John 20:1-9 & John 20:19-31 Jesus Is Risen	The Paschal Mystery	Care for Creation	Jesus' rising is our crowning truth. (CCC, 638)	Easter: Signs of Spring and new life	Exploring our Easter faith identities	Alleluia; Easter hymns
	May 5, 2019 3rd Sunday of Easter	John 21:1-14 Jesus Appears to His Friends	Disciples, missionaries	Care for Creation; called to family, community and participation	The Church is the Body of Christ. (CCC, 805)	Eucharist: Lamb of God	Rituals help us pray	The Lord's Prayer
	May 12, 2019 4th Sunday of Easter	John 10:27-30 Jesus Is the Good Shepherd	Creation reveals God	Called to family and community	Jesus shepherds and dies for his people. (CCC, 754)	Bishops and priests; doctors of the Church	Early missionary journeys	Holy Spirit sending forth prayer