



LITURGICAL YEAR			DOCTRINAL CONTENT					
	Date/Sunday	Sunday Gospels	Bible	Catholic Social Teaching	Creed	Sacraments & Liturgy	Life in Christ	Christian Prayer
ORDINARY TIME	September 22, 2019 25th Sunday Ordinary	Luke 16:1–13 Jesus is Our Teacher	Church is a community	Option for the poor and vulnerable	Jesus invites us to faith. (#179–80)	Eucharist: We gather together	Class mottoes; building relationships	Prayers of thanksgiving
	September 29, 2019 26th Sunday Ordinary	Luke 16:19–31 The Rich Man and Lazarus	Old Testament: Prophet Amos; Bible citations	Seven themes of Catholic social teaching	Jesus loves the poor. (#561)	Eucharist: Liturgy of the Word	October saints	Justice prayer (Psalm 146)
	October 6, 2019 27th Sunday Ordinary	Luke 17:5–10 Jesus Calls Us to Believe and Act	New Testament: letters of Paul	Call to family, community; common good	Faith is God's gift. (#176, 179–183)	New Testament readings	Faith leads to service of others	God is faithful prayer service
	October 13, 2019 28th Sunday Ordinary	Luke 17:11–19 Jesus Cures Ten Lepers	New Testament: early Christian missionaries	Option for the poor and vulnerable	Jesus heals both body and soul. (#1503)	Holy Orders, bishops	Acting with compassion	Sign of the Cross
	October 20, 2019 29th Sunday Ordinary	Luke 18:1–8 Jesus and the Persistent Widow	Old Testament: Moses	Option for the poor and vulnerable	Prayer puts us in the presence of God. (#2565)	Eucharist: First Reading	Persisting in just action, prayer	Lord's Prayer; forms of prayer
	October 27, 2019 30th Sunday Ordinary	Luke 18:9–14 Pharisee & Tax Collector	New Testament: Pharisees	We have rights and responsibilities	Humility is the foundation of prayer. (#2559)	Eucharist: Prayers of petition	Respecting others; All Saints' Day	Hail Mary
	November 3, 2019 31st Sunday Ordinary	Luke 19:1–10 Jesus' Visit Changes Zacchaeus	New Testament: tax collectors	Option for the poor and vulnerable	Jesus brings salvation. (#452, 620)	The Body of Christ; Reconciliation	Including others	Prayers for outsiders
	November 10, 2019 32nd Sunday Ordinary	Luke 20:27–38 God Is God of the Living	New Testament: Sadducees	Life and dignity of the human person	God calls us to repentance and conversion, to seek his mercy. (#1490)	Baptism, Reconciliation, Eucharist	Christian: moral, prayerful, sacramental	Creed: Communion of Saints
	November 17, 2019 33rd Sunday Ordinary	Luke 21:5–19 Jesus Gives Us Hope	Jerusalem Temple	Solidarity	Jesus will come again. (#680–82)	Sacrament of Confirmation	Catholic identity	Lord's Prayer
November 24, 2019 Christ the King	Luke 23:35–43 Jesus Forgives From the Cross		Called to family, community; solidarity	Jesus is the Messiah, the Anointed One. (#453, 547)	Sacrament of Reconciliation	Resolving conflicts	Family Thanksgiving prayer	
ADVENT/CHRISTMAS	December 1, 2019 1st Sunday of Advent	Matthew 24:37–44 Jesus Tells Us To Be Ready	Old Testament: Isaiah Sees Peace	Solidarity	We believe in God the Creator. (#46, 315)	Liturgical Year; Advent	Celebrating the Liturgical Year	Advent prayer
	December 8, 2019 2nd Sunday of Advent	Matthew 3:1–12 John the Baptist	Old Testament: Kingdom of Peace	Option for the poor and vulnerable	John the Baptist prepares Jesus' way. (#719)	Eucharist: First Reading	Advent symbols; feasts of Mary	Our Lady of Guadalupe
	December 15, 2019 3rd Sunday of Advent	Matthew 11:2–11 Jesus Is the Messiah	Old Testament: Isaiah Paints Pictures	Option for the poor and vulnerable	His deeds show Jesus is Messiah. (#561)	Eucharist: First Reading	Works of Mercy during Advent	Advent wreath prayer
	December 22, 2019 4th Sunday of Advent	Matthew 1:18–24 An Angel Speaks to Joseph	Old Testament: Isaiah Speaks to Ahaz	Call to family and community	Mary's Son, Jesus, is God with us. (#509, 744)	Eucharist: First Reading	Living the Christmas spirit	Christmas prayer tree
	December 25, 2019 & January 5, 2020 Christmas & Epiphany	Luke 2:1–14 Christmas Matthew 2:1–12 Epiphany	The Nativity Story; Coming of the Magi	Call to family and community	Jesus is Emmanuel. (#744) Jesus comes for all people. (#528)	Celebrating the Christmas mystery	Christmas season; house blessing	Prayers for displaced people and refugees
	January 12, 2020 Baptism of the Lord	Matthew 3:13–17 John Baptizes Jesus in the Jordan	The Holy Trinity	Call to family and community	Jesus' public life begins with his baptism. (#535)	Sacrament of Baptism	Belonging in the Christian family	Baptism prayer service
ORDINARY TIME	January 19, 2020 2nd Sunday Ordinary	John 1:29–34 Jesus Is God's Chosen Servant	Bible symbols	Solidarity	Jesus and the Holy Spirit are inseparable. (#608, 687–89, 743)	The Seven Sacraments	Continuing God's work; respecting life	Prayer of Holy Spirit; prayers for the unborn
	January 26, 2020 3rd Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 4:12–23 Jesus Begins His Mission at Home	Galilee: Jesus' land and home		Jesus' life is a continual teaching. (#561)	The Incarnation	How Jesus lived; Beatitudes	Prayer of thanksgiving
	February 2, 2020 Presentation of the Lord	Luke 2:22–40 Jesus Is the Light of the World		Solidarity	Jesus is the light of the world. (#454)	Eucharist: Liturgy of the Word	Candlemas; who is light for us?	Prayers during Mass
	February 9, 2020 5th Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 5:13–16 Sermon on the Mount: Salt and Light	New Testament: Gospel of Matthew	Call to family, community	God loves each of us. (#356)	Eucharist: Liturgy of the Eucharist	Making a difference	Prayer replaces darkness with light
	February 16, 2020 6th Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 5:17–37 Sermon on the Mount: Jesus' New Law	Old Testament: Ten Commandments	Rights and responsibilities	Jesus is our teacher. (#561)	Eucharist: Sign of Peace	Family rules, reconciliation	Prayers for forgiveness
	February 23, 2020 7th Sunday Ordinary	Matthew 5:38–48 Sermon on the Mount: Love Your Enemies	New Testament: Sermon on the Mount	Dignity of the human person	God calls us to love one another. (#1970)	Eucharist: The Lord's Prayer	Commandments: 4, 6, 7, 9, 10	Ash Wednesday prayer service
LENT	March 1, 2020 1st Sunday of Lent	Matthew 4:1–11 Jesus' Temptation	Old Testament: Adam and Eve	Dignity of the human person	Jesus is faithful to his Father's plan for salvation. (#566)	Keeping Lent	Making right choices	Lenten prayers
	March 8, 2020 2nd Sunday of Lent	Matthew 17:1–9 The Transfiguration	Old Testament; Abraham and Sarah, Queen Esther	Option for the poor; call to community	Jesus invites us to share his divinity. (#68, 460)	Baptism is a choice	Experiences of God	Keeping Lent commitments
	March 15, 2020 3rd Sunday of Lent	John 4: 5–42 The Samaritan Woman	New Testament: Samaritans	Rights and responsibilities	We believe and share the faith. (#180, 849, 851)	Eucharist, Baptism	Catholic identity; moral law	Prayer of thanksgiving
	March 22, 2020 4th Sunday of Lent	John 9:1–41 A Man Born Blind Can See	Old Testament: King David	Call to family, community; solidarity	Jesus is Lord. (#455)	RCIA: Creeds	Christian beliefs/Creed	Profession of Faith
	March 29, 2020 5th Sunday of Lent	John 11:1–45 Jesus Raises Lazarus		Dignity of the human person	Jesus promises eternal life. (#658, 1016)	RCIA: moral decisions	Choosing to be lifegivers, mission	Forgiveness prayer service
	April 5, 2020 Palm/Passion Sunday	Matthew 26:14–27:66 Jesus' Passion	The Passion Story	Dignity of the human person	Jesus suffers and dies for us. (#620, 629)	Holy Week	Foot-washing, serving	Stations of the Cross
EASTER	April 12 & 19, 2020 Easter Sunday and 2nd Sunday of Easter	John 20:1–9 Jesus is Risen John 20:19–31 Jesus Appears to His Friends	The Easter Story	Care for Creation	Jesus is Risen. (#656, 658)	Octave of Easter	Early Christian missionaries	Singing Alleluia
	April 26, 2020 3rd Sunday of Easter	Luke 24:13–35 The Road to Emmaus	Jesus' Easter appearances	Dignity of the human person	The Church is the Body of Christ. (#805)	Eucharist	Recognizing Christ's presence	Celebrating our Baptisms
	May 3, 2020 4th Sunday of Easter	John 10:1–10 Jesus Is the Good Shepherd	Psalms 23; Bible metaphors	Solidarity; care for Creation	The leaders of the Church teach, celebrate, and guide. (#939)	Good Shepherd image	We are a caring Church	We honor Mary in our parishes
	May 10, 2020 5th Sunday of Easter	John 14:1–12 Jesus Reveals His Father		Life and dignity; care for Creation	Christ's whole earthly life reveals the Father. (#516)	Eucharist: We gather at Mass	We see God in Jesus, Creation, and in the Church	Holy Spirit of friendship