

LLC

LECTIONARY

2019

LLC LECTONARY (Year One)

Sunday or Church Holiday **Theme**

January 1, 2019

New Year's Day

In the name of Jesus

Texts Year 1: Ps. 8:1–9; Num. 6:22–27; Acts 4:8–12; Luke 2:21

EPIPHANY PERIOD

January 6, 2019

Epiphany

Jesus, the Light of the world

Texts Year 1: Ps. 72:1–3,8–12; Isa. 60:1–6; Eph. 3:2–9; Matt. 2:1–12

Alt. Texts: John 8:12; John 12:44–47; Luke 11:29–32

January 13, 2019

1st Sunday after Epiphany

The gift of baptism

Texts Year 1: Ps. 89:19–22,27–30; Isa. 42:1–4; Titus 3:4–7; Matt. 3:13–17

January 20, 2019

2nd Sunday after Epiphany

Jesus reveals His divine power

Texts Year 1: Ps. 105:2–5,39–42; 2 Kings 4:1–7; Isa. 12:1–6; Rom. 12:6–16; John 2:1–11

January 27, 2019

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

Jesus awakens faith

Texts Year 1: Ps. 102:15–22; Deut. 10:17–21; 1 Kings 8:41–43; Rom. 1:16,17; Matt. 8:5–13

February 3, 2019

Candlemas

Christ, the radiance of God's glory

Texts Year 1: Ps. 48:10–14; Isa. 52:8–10; 2 Cor. 3:18–4:6; Luke 2:22–33

Alt. Texts: John 1:14–18; John 12:35,36

February 10, 2019

5th Sunday after Epiphany

Two kinds of seed

Texts Year 1: Ps. 37:1–9; Ezek. 33:10–16; Col. 3:12–17; Matt. 13:24–30

EASTER PERIOD

THE SUNDAYS BEFORE LENT

February 17, 2019

Septuagesima

Unmerited grace

Texts Year 1: Ps. 18:1–6; Jer. 9:23,24; 1 Cor. 9:24–27; Matt. 20:1–16

February 24, 2019

Sexagesima

The sowing of God's Word

Texts Year 1: Ps. 44:1–4; Isa. 55:6–11; Acts 16:9–15; Luke 8:4–15

March 3, 2019

Shrove Sunday

The sacrificial way of God's love

Texts Year 1: Ps. 31:1–5; Isa. 58:1–9; 1 Cor. 13; Luke 18:31–43

LENT

March 6, 2019

Ash Wednesday

Penitence and fasting

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 57:1–3,10,11; Joel 2:12–17; 2 Pet. 1:1–11; 1 Pet. 4:1–5; Matt. 6:16–21;
Luke 13:22–30

March 10, 2019

1st Sunday in Lent

Jesus, the Victor over temptations

Texts Year 1: Ps. 91:1–4,11,12; Gen. 3:1–7(8–19); Heb. 4:14–16; Matt. 4:1–11

March 17, 2019

2nd Sunday in Lent

Prayer and faith

Texts Year 1: Ps. 25:1–10; 2 Chron. 20:1–9; 1 Thess. 4:1–8; Matt. 15:21–28

March 24, 2019

Mary's Day

The handmaid of the Lord

Texts Year 1: Ps. 113:1–8; Isa. 7:10–14; Rom. 9:2–8; Luke 1:26–38

March 31, 2019

4th Sunday in Lent

The Bread of Life

Texts Year 1: Ps. 84:5–9,12; Deut. 8:2,3; 1 Cor. 10:1–6; John 6:1–15

April 7, 2019

5th Sunday in Lent

Passion Sunday

Texts Year 1: Ps. 43:2–5; Gen. 22:1–13; Heb. 9:11–15; John 11:47–53

April 14, 2019

Palm Sunday

The King of Glory's lowly way

Texts Year 1: Ps. 22:1–5; Ps. 118:26–29; Isa. 50:4–10; Zech. 9:9,10; Phil. 2:5–11; John 12:12–24

PASSION WEEK (April 15 – 20, 2019)

April 15, 2019

Monday of Passion Week

Jesus in Gethsemane

Texts Year 1: Ps. 102:1–9; Jer. 18:19,20; 1 Pet. 2:21–24; Luke 22:39–62

April 16, 2019

Tuesday of Passion Week

Jesus examined

Texts Year 1: Ps. 69:1–4(6–9); Isa. 52:13–15; 1 Cor. 1:18,19; Luke 22:63–23:12

April 17, 2019

Wednesday of Passion Week

Jesus is sentenced

Texts Year 1: Ps. 69:16–22(29–33); Isa. 49:1–6; Rom. 5:6–11; Luke 23:13–31

April 18, 2019

Maundy Thursday

The Lord's Holy Supper

Texts Year 1: Ps. 111:2–5; Isa. 25:6–10; Acts 2:42–47; Luke 22:14–22

April 19, 2019

Good Friday

The Lamb of God

Texts Year 1: Ps. 22:6–19; Isa. 53; Heb. 5:7–10; Luke 23:32–46

Jesus' Hour of Death

Jesus dies

Texts Years 1,2,3: Luke 23:44–49; Matt. 27:45–56; Mark 15:33–41

Good Friday Evening

Jesus is buried

Texts Year 1: Ps. 142; Isa. 53:9–11; Luke 23:47–56

April 20, 2019

Passion Saturday

Jesus in the grave

Texts Years 1,2,3: Job 19:25–27; 1 Pet. 3:18–22; Matt. 27:62–66

EASTERTIME

Easter Night

Christ has overcome death

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 30:1–5; Gen. 1:1–5,26–28(29–30)31–2:1; Gen. 8:1–12(18–22); Exod. 14:8,10–16,21,22; Isa. 55:1–7; Ezek. 36:24–28; Rom. 6:3–11; Col. 3:1–4; Mark 16:1–8

April 21, 2019

Easter Day

Christ is risen!

Texts Year 1: Ps. 118:15–23(24); Hos. 6:1–3; 1 Cor. 15:1–8(9,10),11; Luke 24:1–12

April 22, 2019

2nd Day of Easter

Meeting the Resurrected

Texts Year 1: Ps. 16:8–11; Jon. 1:17–2:10; Acts 10:34–43; Luke 24:13–35

THE WEEK AFTER EASTER (April 23 – 27, 2019)

April 23, 2019

Tuesday after Easter

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 105:1–6(7–10); Acts 13:23–33; Luke 24:36–49

April 24, 2019

Wednesday after Easter

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 96:1–6; Acts 2:22–32; John 21:1–14

April 25, 2019

Thursday after Easter

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 68:19,20; Acts 8:26–40; Mark 16:9–16

April 26, 2019

Friday after Easter

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 40:5–8; Acts 23:1,6–11; Matt. 28:8–15

April 27, 2019

Saturday after Easter

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 100; Eph. 5:8–14; Matt. 28:16–20

April 28, 2019

1st Sunday after Easter

Witnesses of the Resurrected

Texts Year 1: Ps. 116:1–9; Isa. 43:10–12; 1 John 5:4–12; John 20:19–31

May 5, 2019

2nd Sunday after Easter

The Good Shepherd

Texts Year 1: Ps. 23; Ezek. 34:11–16; 1 Pet. 2:21–25; John 10:11–16

May 12, 2019

3rd Sunday after Easter

God's people long for home

Texts Year 1: Ps. 66:3–9; Ps. 126; Isa. 40:26–31; Heb. 13:12–16; John 16:16–23

May 19, 2019

4th Sunday after Easter

As a citizen of heaven in the world

Texts Year 1: Ps. 98:2–9; Isa. 63:7–9; James 1:17–21; John 16:5–15

May 26, 2019

**Rogation or Prayer Sunday
(5th Sunday after Easter)**

The heart's speech with God

Texts Year 1: Ps. 40:1–5; Jer. 29:11–14; Eph. 3:14–21; John 16:23–33

May 30, 2019

Ascension Day

The exalted Lord

Texts Year 1: Ps. 47:5–8; Ps. 110:1–4; Acts 1:1–11; Mark 16:14–20

June 2, 2019

6th Sunday after Easter

Awaiting the Holy Spirit

Texts Year 1: Ps. 27:1–3,7–9; Isa. 44:1–5; Rom. 8:12–17; John 15:26–16:4

THE PENTECOST PERIOD

THE TIME OF PENTECOST

June 8, 2019

**Preparation for Pentecost
[Pentecost Eve]**

Come, Holy Spirit

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 34:1–3,8–10; Ps. 107:1,2,21,22; Isa. 59:20,21; Acts 19:1–6; John 14:8–17

June 9, 2019

Pentecost

The shedding of the Holy Spirit

Texts Year 1: Ps. 68:4–10; Ezek. 36:24–28; Acts 2:1–13; John 14:23–29

The Week after Pentecost (June 10 – 15, 2019)

Texts Years 1,2,3: Gen. 11:1–9; Num. 11:11,12,14–17,24,25; Acts 2:36–41; Acts 10:44–48;
1 Cor. 12:1–11; 1 Cor. 12:12,13,20–31; John 6:44–47; John 16:12–15

THE TIME AFTER PENTECOST

June 16, 2019

Trinity Sunday

The hidden God

Texts Year 1: Ps. 95:1,2,6,7; Isa. 6:1–8(9,10); Rom. 11:33–36; John 3:1–15

June 23, 2019

2nd Sunday after Pentecost

Perishable and imperishable treasure

Texts Year 1: Ps. 49:5–9,15–20; Eccles. 5:9–14; Dan. 5:1–9,13–17,25–30; 1 John 4:16–21;
Luke 16:19–31

June 24, 2019

St. John's Day

Preparer of the way

Texts Year 1: Ps. 92:1–5; Isa. 40:1–8; Acts 13:23–26; Luke 1:57–66

Alt. Texts: Mark 6:14–29; Luke 1:67–79

June 30, 2019

3rd Sunday after Pentecost

The call into the kingdom of God

Texts Year 1: Ps. 18:16–19,25–28; Hos. 11:1–4,7; Phil. 2:12–16; Luke 14:16–24

July 1, 2019

Canada Day

Thankfulness for our native land

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 96:1–9; Ps. 121; Deut. 8:10–17; Eccles. 9:13–18; James 3:13–18;
Acts 17:24–30; John 8:31–36; Matt. 20:25–28

Alt. Texts: Exod. 23:1–9; Deut. 4:32–35; 1 Chron. 29:10–14; 2 Chron. 1:7–12;
Isa. 40:12–17; Isa. 43:16–19,21; Eph. 6:10–18

July 4, 2019

U.S. Independence Day

Thankfulness for our native land

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 96:1–9; Ps. 121; Deut. 8:10–17; Eccles. 9:13–18; James 3:13–18;
Acts 17:24–30; John 8:31–36; Matt. 20:25–28

Alt. Texts: Exod. 23:1–9; Deut. 4:32–35; 1 Chron. 29:10–14; 2 Chron. 1:7–12;
Isa. 40:12–17; Isa. 43:16–19,21; Eph. 6:10–18

July 7, 2019

4th Sunday after Pentecost

Lost and found again

Texts Year 1: Ps. 32:1,2,5–8; Isa. 57:15–19(20,21); 1 Pet. 5:5–11; Luke 15:1–10

July 14, 2019

5th Sunday after Pentecost

Have mercy!

Texts Year 1: Ps. 13:1–6; Jon. 3:1–5,10–4:11; Zech. 8:16,17; Rom. 14:7–12; Luke 6:36–42

July 21, 2019

Apostles' Day

Serving the Lord

Texts Year 1: Ps. 145:3–7; Gen. 12:1–4; Rom. 1:1–7; 1 Tim. 1:12–17; Luke 5:1–11

July 28, 2019

7th Sunday after Pentecost

The law of love

Texts Year 1: Ps. 28:1,2,6–9; Lev. 19:1–4,11–18; Rom. 12:16–21; Matt. 5:20–30

August 4, 2019

Transfiguration Sunday The Glorified Christ

Texts Year 1: Ps. 97:1,2,5,6,10,11; Exod. 3:1-6; 2 Pet. 1:16-18; Matt. 17:1-8

August 11, 2019

9th Sunday after Pentecost Truth and falsehood

Texts Year 1: Ps. 92:4-9,12-15; Deut. 12:32-13:4; Job 28:7-15,23-28; 1 John 4:1-6;
Matt. 7:15-23

August 18, 2019

10th Sunday after Pentecost Faithfulness in caring for God-given gifts

Texts Year 1: Ps. 119:129-136; Prov. 3:3-8; 2 Chron. 1:7-12; 1 Pet. 4:7-11; Luke 16:1-9

August 25, 2019

11th Sunday after Pentecost Times of visitation

Texts Year 1: Ps. 81:8-16; Jer. 18:1-10; Rev. 3:1-6; Luke 19:41-48

September 1, 2019

12th Sunday after Pentecost Examining oneself

Texts Year 1: Ps. 51:4-12; Prov. 28:13,14; Deut. 9:1-6; Rom. 3:21-28(29-31); Luke 18:9-14

September 8, 2019

13th Sunday after Pentecost Jesus, our Healer

Texts Year 1: Ps. 30:2-5,11,12; Ps. 146:5-10; Exod. 4:10-12; 2 Cor. 3:4-6; Mark 7:31-37

September 15, 2019

14th Sunday after Pentecost Our neighbor

Texts Year 1: Ps. 112:5-9; Mic. 6:6-8; 1 John 4:7-12; Luke 10:25-37

September 22, 2019

15th Sunday after Pentecost Thankfulness

Texts Year 1: Ps. 65:1-5,8; Ps. 136:1-9,25,26; Isa. 38:16-20; Eph. 5:15-20; Luke 17:11-19

September 29, 2019

Michaelmas The messengers of God

(Angels' and Children's Sunday)

Texts Year 1: Ps. 103:19-22; Gen. 28:10-17; Rev. 12:7-12; Matt. 18:1-6(7-9),10

October 6, 2019

17th Sunday after Pentecost Jesus gives life

Texts Year 1: Ps. 86:10-13; Job 14:1-6,13-15; Rom. 8:18-23; Luke 7:11-16

October 13, 2019

18th Sunday after Pentecost The Christian's freedom

Texts Year 1: Ps. 119:97-104; Isa. 44:21-23; Gal. 5:1-6; Luke 14:1-6

October 14, 2019

Canadian Thanksgiving Day Thanks for the year's harvest

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 65:13; 1 Thess. 5:18; Matt. 7:9-11; 1 Chron. 16:8-10; Deut. 16:9-15

October 20, 2019

19th Sunday after Pentecost The dual command of love

Texts Year 1: Ps. 119:1–8; Deut. 6:4–9; 1 Cor. 1:4–9; Matt. 22:34–40

October 27, 2019

20th Sunday after Pentecost Faith and unbelief

Texts Year 1: Ps. 78:1–8; Gen. 15:1–6; Rom. 4:16–25; Mark 2:1–12

October 31, 2019

Reformation Day (Actual)

Bible Texts: See 22nd Sunday After Pentecost (November 10)

November 1, 2019

All Saints' Day The communion of saints

Texts Year 1: Ps. 89:5–7,15–18; Isa. 65:17–19; Rev. 7:2,3,9–17; Matt. 5:1–12

Alt. Texts: 1 Cor. 15:51–57; Heb. 11:13–16

November 3, 2019

21st Sunday after Pentecost Jesus' messengers

Texts Year 1: Ps. 145:8–13; Jer. 1:4–10; 2 Tim. 4:1–5; Matt. 22:1–14

November 10, 2019

Reformation Day The foundation of faith

(Observed on the 22nd Sunday after Pentecost)

Texts Year 1: Ps. 46:1–7; Isa. 33:20–22; Jer. 3:14,15; Rom. 1:16,17; Eph. 6:10–18; John 4:46–53

November 17, 2019

Vigilance Sunday Watch!

Texts Year 1: Ps. 90:1–6,12–15; Amos 4:12,13; 2 Pet. 3:8–14,18; Matt. 25:1–13

November 24, 2019

Judgment Sunday Christ, the Lord of the universe

Texts Year 1: Ps. 143:1–10; Dan. 7:9,10,13,14; 2 Thess. 1:3–10; Matt. 25:31–46

Alt. Texts: John 5:22–29; Matt. 13:47–50

November 28, 2019

U.S. Thanksgiving Day Thanks for the year's harvest

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 65:13; 1 Thess. 5:18; Matt. 7:9–11; 1 Chron. 16:8–10; Deut. 16:9–15

CHRISTMAS PERIOD (Year 2 starts)

ADVENT

December 1, 2019

First Advent Sunday Your King comes in humility

Texts Year 2: Ps. 24:7–10; Zech. 9:9,10; 1 Pet. 1:7–12; Mark 11:1–10

The Week after the First Advent Sunday (December 2 – 7, 2019)

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 25:1–10; Isa. 63:15,16; Mic. 2:12,13; Hab. 2:1–4; Rev. 2:1–5,7;

Rev. 22:12–17; Luke 3:7–14

December 8, 2019

Second Advent Sunday

Your King comes in glory

Texts Year 2: Ps. 80:14–19; Isa. 35:3–6; Heb. 10:35–39; Luke 12:35–40

December 15, 2019

Third Advent Sunday

Prepare the way for the King

Texts Year 2: Ps. 85:8–13; Mal. 4:5,6; 2 Pet. 1:19–21; Matt. 11:11–19; John 1:35–37

December 22, 2019

Fourth Advent Sunday

The birth of the Lord is nigh

Texts Year 2: Ps. 130:5–8; Gen. 21:1–7; Heb. 6:13–19; Matt. 1:18–24

CHRISTMASTIME

December 24, 2019

Christmas Eve

The promises are fulfilled

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 36:5–9; Isa. 11:1–5; Mic. 5:2–5; Jer. 23:5,6; Acts 13:16–26; Luke 2:1–14

Christmas Night

To you a Savior is born!

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 96:1–3,6–10; Isa. 9:2–7; Titus 2:11–14; Luke 2:1–14

December 25, 2019

Christmas Morning

Let us now go to Bethlehem!

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 98:1–4; Isa. 9:2–7; Heb. 1:1–6; Rom. 1:1–4; Luke 2:1–20

Christmas Day

The Word became flesh

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 100; Isa. 52:7–10; 1 John 1:1–4; 1 John 4:9–16; John 1:1–14

December 26, 2019

St. Stephen's Day

The witnesses of Christ

(2nd Day of Christmas)

Texts Year 2: Ps. 119:41–48; 2 Chron. 24:18–21; Acts 6:8,11–15,7:51–60; Luke 12:8–12

December 29, 2019

1st Sunday after Christmas

The Holy Family

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 71:14–19; Isa. 25:1,4,5; Isa. 49:13–16; Gal. 4:3–7; Col. 2:6–10;
Luke 2:33–40

December 31, 2019

New Year's Eve

Our days are in God's hands

Texts Years 1,2,3: Ps. 121; Ps. 102:25–28; Lam. 3:22–26; Eccles. 3:1–8; 1 Sam. 7:12;
1 Pet. 1:22–25; Luke 13:6–9; Matt. 16:1–4