

## Readings for Sundays in Advent

#	Sunday	First Reading	Responsorial Psalm	Second Reading	Alleluia Verse	Gospel
1	1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent - A	Isa 2:1-5	Ps 122:1-2, 3-4a, 4b-5, 6-7, 8-9	Rom 13:11-14	Ps 85:8	Matt 24:37-44
4	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent - A	Isa 11:1-10	Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17	Rom 15:4-9	Luke 3:4+6	Matt 3:1-12
7	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent - A	Isa 35:1-6a, 10	Ps 146:6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10	Jas 5:7-10	Isa 61:1 (cited in Lk 4:18)	Matt 11:2-11
10	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent - A	Isa 7:10-14	Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6	Rom 1:1-7	Matt 1:23	Matt 1:18-24
2	1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent - B	Isa 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7	Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19	1 Cor 1:3-9	Ps 85:8	Mark 13:33-37
5	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent - B	Isa 40:1-5, 9-11	Ps 85:9ab+10, 11-12, 13-14	2 Pet 3:8-14	Luke 3:4+6	Mark 1:1-8
8	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent - B	Isa 61:1-2a, 10-11	Luke 1:46-48, 49-50, 53-54	1 Thess 5:16-24	Isa 61:1 (cited in Lk 4:18)	John 1:6-8, 19-28
11	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent - B	2 Sam 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16 ( <i>diff</i> )	Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27+29	Rom 16:25-27	Luke 1:38	Luke 1:26-38
3	1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent - C	Jer 33:14-16	Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10+14	1 Thess 3:12-4:2	Ps 85:8	<b>Luke 21:25-28, 34-36</b>
6	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent - C	Bar 5:1-9	Ps 126:1-2a, 2b-3, 4-5, 6	Phil 1:4-6, 8-11	Luke 3:4+6	<b>Luke 3:1-6</b>
9	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent - C	Zeph 3:14-18a	Isa 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6	Phil 4:4-7	Isa 61:1 (cited in Lk 4:18)	<b>Luke 3:10-18</b>
12	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent - C	Mic 5:1-4a	Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19	Heb 10:5-10	Luke 1:38	<b>Luke 1:39-45</b>

## Readings for Sundays during Christmas and Epiphany

#	Sunday or Feast - Year	First Reading	Responsorial Psalm	Second Reading	Alleluia	Gospel
13	<b>The Nativity of the Lord</b> (Solemnity, Christmas): At the Vigil Mass - ABC	Isa 62:1-5	Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27+29	Acts 13:16-17, 22-25	(no bibl. ref.)	<b>Matt 1:1-25</b> or 1:18-25
14	<b>Christmas:</b> Mass during the <i>Night</i> - ABC	Isa 9:1-6	Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 11-12, 13	Titus 2:11-14	Luke 2:10-11	<b>Luke 2:1-14</b>
15	<b>Christmas:</b> Mass at <i>Dawn</i> - ABC	Isa 62:11-12	Ps 97:1+6, 11-12	Titus 3:4-7	Luke 2:14	<b>Luke 2:15-20</b>
16	<b>Christmas:</b> Mass during the <i>Day</i> - ABC	Isa 52:7-10	Ps 98:1, 2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6	Heb 1:1-6	(no bibl. ref.)	<b>John 1:1-18</b> or 1:1-5, 9-14
17	[Sunday* within the Octave of Christmas]: The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph (Feast) - ABC	Sir 3:3-7, 14-17a - Vg ( <i>diff</i> ) = Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 - Gk	Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5	Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 ( <i>new</i> )	Col 3:15a+16a	Matt 2:13-15, 19-23
17	The Holy Family - B (optional; <i>new</i> )	opt: Gen 15:1-6; 21:1-3 ( <i>new</i> )	opt: Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 ( <i>new</i> )	opt: Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19 ( <i>new</i> )	Heb 1:1-2	Luke 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40
17	<b>The Holy Family - C</b> (optional; <i>new</i> )	opt: 1 Sam 1:20-22, 24-28 ( <i>new</i> )	opt: Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10 ( <i>new</i> )	opt: 1 John 3:1-2, 21-24 ( <i>new</i> )	cf. Acts 16:14b	<b>Luke 2:41-52</b>
18	Jan. 1: The Octave Day of Christmas: <b>Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God</b> - ABC	Num 6:22-27	Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6+8	Gal 4:4-7	Heb 1:1-2	<b>Luke 2:16-21</b>
19	[Second Sunday after Christmas - ABC] [Note: In the USA, this Sunday is always Epiphany]	Sir 24:1-4, 12-16 ( <i>diff</i> )	Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20	Eph 1:3-6, 15-18	cf. 1 Tim 3:16	John 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14
20	<b>The Epiphany of the Lord</b> (Solemnity) - ABC [Traditionally celebrated on Jan. 6; in the USA now on the Sunday after Jan. 1]	Isa 60:1-6	Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13	Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6	Matt 2:2	<b>Matt 2:1-12</b>
21	[Sunday after Epiphany*]: The Baptism of the Lord (Feast) - ABC	Isa 42:1-4, 6-7	Ps 29:1-2, 3ac+4, 3b+9b-10 *	Acts 10:34-38	cf. Mark 9:7	Matt 3:13-17
21	The Baptism of the Lord - B (optional; <i>new</i> )	opt: Isa 55:1-11 ( <i>new</i> )	opt: Isa 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 ( <i>new</i> )	opt: 1 John 5:1-9 ( <i>new</i> )	cf. John 1:29	Mark 1:7-11
21	<b>The Baptism of the Lord - C</b> (optional; <i>new</i> )	opt: Isa 40:1-5, 9-11 ( <i>new</i> )	opt: Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29b-30 ( <i>new</i> )	opt: Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7 ( <i>new</i> )	cf. Luke 3:16	<b>Luke 3:15-16, 21-22</b>