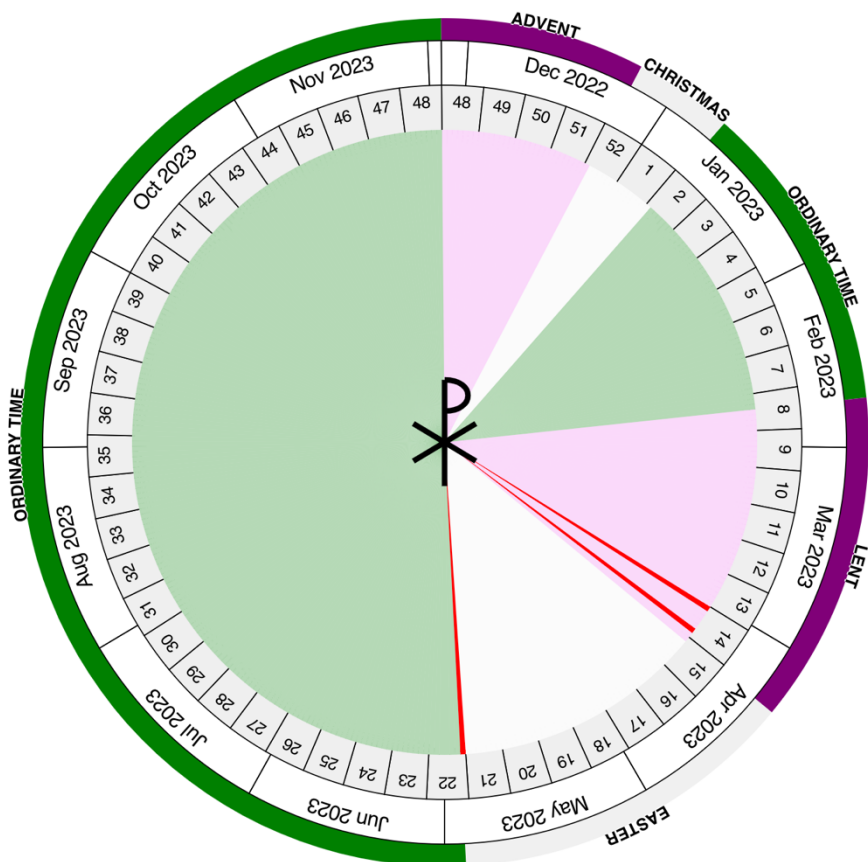


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**PRINCIPAL CELEBRATIONS
OF THE LITURGICAL YEAR 2022-2023**

First Sunday of Advent.....	27 November 2022
Ash Wednesday	22 February 2023
Easter Sunday	09 April 2023
The Ascension of the Lord [Thursday]	18 May 2023
The Ascension of the Lord [Sunday]	21 May 2023
Pentecost Sunday	28 May 2023
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ [Thursday]	08 June 2023
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ [Sunday]	11 June 2023
First Sunday of Advent.....	03 December 2023

CYCLES - LECTIONARY FOR MASS

Sunday Cycle	YEAR A	27 November 2022 to 26 November 2023
Weekday Cycle	CYCLE I	10 January 2023 to 21 February 2023
		29 May 2023 to 24 November 2023
Sunday Cycle	YEAR B	03 December 2023 to 24 November 2024

LITURGY OF THE HOURS

27 Nov 2022 – 09 Jan 2023	Advent, Christmas	Vol. I
10 Jan 2023 – 21 Feb 2023	Weeks 1 to 7, Ordinary Time	Vol. III
22 Feb 2023 – 28 May 2023	Lent, Triduum, Easter	Vol. II
29 May 2023 – 05 Aug 2023	Weeks 8 to 17, Ordinary Time	Vol. III
06 Aug 2023 – 02 Dec 2023	Weeks 18 to 34, Ordinary Time	Vol. IV
03 Dec 2023 – 08 Jan 2024	Advent, Christmas	Vol. I

FUTURE YEARS

Year	Sunday Cycle	Weekday Cycle	Weeks of O.T. before Lent	Ash Wednesday	Easter Sunday	Pentecost Sunday	Week of O.T. after Pentecost	First Sunday of Advent	Christmas Weekday
2023	A	1	7	22 Feb	09 Apr	28 May	8	03 Dec	Mon
2024	B	2	6	14 Feb	31 Mar	19 May	7	01 Dec	Wed
2025	C	1	8	05 Mar	20 Apr	08 Jun	10	30 Nov	Thu
2026	A	2	6	18 Feb	05 Apr	24 May	8	29 Nov	Fri
2027	B	1	5	10 Feb	28 Mar	16 May	7	28 Nov	Sat
2028	C	2	8	01 Mar	16 Apr	04 Jun	9	03 Dec	Mon

PROPER CALENDAR OF THE SOCIETY OF JESUS*

JANUARY

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| 3 | <i>THE MOST HOLY NAME OF JESUS,</i>
<i>Titular Feast of the Society of Jesus</i> | Solemnity |
| 19 | <i>Sts. John Ogilvie, Priest; Stephen Pongrácz, Melchior Grodziecki, Priests, and Mark of Križevci, Canon of Esztergom; Bl. Ignatius de Azevedo, Priest, and Companions; James Salès, Priest, and William Saullemouche, Religious, Martyrs</i> | |

FEBRUARY

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| 4 | <i>St. John de Brito, Priest; Bl. Rudolph Acquaviva, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs</i> | |
| 6 | <i>Sts. Paul Miki, Religious, and Companions; Bl. Charles Spinola, Sebastian Kimura, Priests, and Companions; Bl. Peter Kibe Kasui, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs</i> | Memorial |
| 15 | <i>St. Claude La Colombière, Priest</i> | Memorial |

MARCH

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| 19 | <i>ST. JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY,</i>
<i>Patron Saint of the Society of Jesus</i> | Solemnity |
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* If the degree of the celebration is not indicated, it is an optional Memorial.

APRIL

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| 22 | THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, MOTHER OF THE SOCIETY OF JESUS | Feast |
| 27 | St. Peter Canisius, Priest and Doctor of the Church | Memorial |

MAY

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| 4 | <i>St. José Maria Rubio, Priest</i> |
| 8 | <i>Bl. John Sullivan, Priest</i> |
| 16 | <i>St. Andrew Bobola, Priest and Martyr</i> |
| 24 | <i>Our Lady of the Way</i> |

JUNE

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| 8 | St. Jacques Berthieu, Priest and Martyr | Memorial |
| 9 | <i>St. Joseph de Anchieta, Priest</i> | |
| 21 | St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious | Memorial |

JULY

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| 2 | <i>Sts. Bernardine Realino, John Francis Régis and Francis Jerome; Bl. Julian Maunoir and Anthony Baldinucci, Tiburtius Arnaiz, and Johann Philipp Jeningen, Priests</i> | |
| 9 | Sts. Leo Ignatius Mangin, priests, Mary Zhu Wu and Companions, Martyrs | Memorial |
| 31 | ST. IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA,
Priest and Founder of the Society of Jesus | Solemnity |

AUGUST

- 2 *St. Peter Faber, Priest*
- 18 St. Alberto Hurtado Cruchaga, Priest Memorial

SEPTEMBER

- 2 Bl. James Bonnaud, Priest, and Companions;
Joseph Imbert and John Nicolas Cordier, Priests;
Thomas Sitjar, Priest, and Companions;
John Fausti, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs
- 9 St. Peter Claver, Priest Memorial
- 10 *Bl. Francis Gárate, Religious*
- 17 St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Memorial

OCTOBER

- 3 St. Francis Borgia, Priest Memorial
- 12 *Bl. John Beyzym, Priest*
- 19 Sts. John de Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, martyrs Memorial
- 21 *Bl. Diego Luis de San Vitores, Priest, and St. Pedro Calungsod, Martyrs*
- 30 *Bl. Dominic Collins, Religious and Martyr*
- 31 S. Alphonsus Rodríguez, Religious Memorial

NOVEMBER

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| 3 | Bl. Rupert Mayer, Priest | |
| 5 | ALL SAINTS OF THE SOCIETY OF JESUS | Feast |
| 6 | <i>The Commemoration of All the Departed of the Society of Jesus</i> | |
| 13 | St. Stanislaus Kostka, Religious | Memorial |
| 14 | St. Joseph Pignatelli, Priest | Memorial |
| 16 | <i>Sts. Roch González, Alphonsus Rodriguez and John del Castillo, Bl. Giovanni Antonio Solinas, Priests & Martyrs.</i> | |
| 23 | <i>Bl. Miguel Agustín Pro, and Bl. Emilio Moscoso; Bl. Rutilio Grande, SJ, and his two lay companions Bl. Manuel Solórzano and Bl. Nelson Rutilio Lemus; Priests and Martyrs</i> | |
| 26 | St. John Berchmans, Religious | Memorial |
| 29 | Bl. Bernard Francis de Hoyos, Priest | |

DECEMBER

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| 1 | Sts. Edmund Campion, Robert Southwell, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs | Memorial |
| 3 | ST. FRANCIS XAVIER, PRIEST | Feast |

November 2022

ADVENT

Sundays: Year A

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

For children who suffer: We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

Psalter Week 1

27	Sun		First Sunday of Advent Is 2:1-5 Rom 13:11-14 Mt 24:37-44 <i>Lilongwe: Installation of Archbishop George Desmond Tambala, O.C.D. (2021)</i>
28	Mon		Of Advent Is 4:2-6 Mt 8:5-11
29	Tue		Of Advent Is 11:1-10 Lk 10:21-24 Bl. Bernardo de Hoyos, Spanish Jesuit priest (Opt Mem)
30	Wed		St. Andrew, Apostle (Feast) Rom 10:9-18 Mt 4:18-22

December 2022

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

For volunteer, not-for-profit organisations: We pray that volunteer non-profit organisations committed to human development find people dedicated to the common good and ceaselessly seek out new paths to international cooperation.

ADVENT

Sundays: Year A

Psalter Week 1

1	Thu		Sts. Edmund Campion, Robert Southwell, priests and comp., Jesuit martyrs of England and Wales (Mem) Mem: Heb 11:32 -12:2 Jn 17:11-19 Advent: Is 26:1-6 Mt 7:21,24-27 South Africa: Bl. Clementine Anuarite, virgin, martyr (Opt Mem) <i>World AIDS Day</i>
2	Fri		Of Advent Is 29:17-24 Mt 9:27-31
3	Sat		St. Francis Xavier, Patron of Missions (Feast) 1 Cor 9:16-19,22-23 Mk 16:15-20 <i>Chinhoyi: St. Francis Xavier, Co-Patronal Feast of the Diocese (Feast)</i>

Psalter Week 2

4	Sun		Second Sunday of Advent Is 11:1-10 Rom 15:4-9 Mt 3:1-12
5	Mon		Of Advent Is 35:1-10 Lk 5:17-26
6	Tue		Of Advent Is 40:1-11 Mt 18:12-14 <i>St. Nicholas, bishop (Opt Mem)</i>
7	Wed		St. Ambrose, bishop, doctor (Mem) Is 40:25-31 Mt 11:28-30 <i>Evening Prayer 1 of the Immaculate Conception</i>
8	Thu		The Immaculate Conception of Our Lady (Solemnity) Gen 3:9-15,20 Eph 1:3-6,11-12 Lk 1:26-38 <i>Johannesburg, Durban, Maputo, Ndola: The Immaculate Conception of Our Lady, Patronal Feast of Archdiocese (Feast)</i>
9	Fri		Of Advent Is 48:17-19 Mt 11:16-19 St. Juan Diego Cuatlatotzin (Opt Mem)
10	Sat		Of Advent Sir 48:1-4,9-11 Mt 17:9a,10-13 The Blessed Virgin Mary of Loreto (Opt Mem)

Psalter Week 3

11	Sun		Third Sunday of Advent Is 35:1-6a,10 Jas 5:7-10 Mt 11:2-11
12	Mon		Of Advent Num 24:2-7,15-17a Matt 21:23-27 Our Lady of Guadalupe (Opt Mem) Zec 2:14-17 or Rev 11:19a,12:1-6a,10ab Lk 1:26-38 or Lk 1:39-47
13	Tue		St. Lucy, virgin, martyr (Mem) Zeph 3:1-2,9-13 Mt 21:28-32
14	Wed		St. John of the Cross, priest, doctor (Mem) Is 45:6c-8,18,21c-25 Lk 7:18b-23
15	Thu		Of Advent Is 54:1-10 Lk 7:24-30
16	Fri		Of Advent Is 56:1-3a,6-8 Jn 5:33-36
17	Sat		Of the 17 th Gen 49:2,8-10 Mt 1:1-17 <i>Kabwe: Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Clement Mulenga, S.D.B. (2011) Fr. Ignatius Zvarevashe (ZIM) † 2019</i>

Psalter Week 4

18	Sun		Fourth Sunday of Advent Is 7:10-14 Rom 1:1-7 Mt 1:18-24
19	Mon		Of the 19 th Judg 13:2-7,24-25a Lk 1:5-25 <i>Chinhoyi: Dedication of the Cathedral of Corpus Christi (1965) (Feast)</i>
20	Tue		Of the 20 th Is 7:10-14 Lk 1:26-38
21	Wed		Of the 21 st Cant 2:8-14 or Zeph 3:14-18a Lk 1:39-45 <i>Br. Dominic Shoniwa (ZIM) † 2018</i>
22	Thu		Of the 22 nd 1 Sam 1:24-28 Lk 1:46-56
23	Fri		Of the 23 rd Mal 3:1-4,23-24 Lk 1:57-66 St. John of Kanty, priest (As a commemoration)
24	Sat		Morning Mass 2 Sam 7:1-5,8b-12,14a,16 Lk 1:67-79

Psalter of the Octave and Feasts

24	Sat		Evening Vigil Mass Is 62:1-5 Acts 13:16-17,22-25 Mt 1:1-25 (or 1:18-25) <i>Evening Prayer 1 of the Nativity of the Lord</i>
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THE CHRISTMAS SEASON

Psalter of the Octave and Feasts

25	Sun		The Nativity of the Lord Midnight: Is 9:1-6 Titus 2:11-14 Lk 2:1-14 Dawn: Is 62:11-12 Titus 3:4-7 Lk 2:15-20 Day: Is 52:7-10 Heb 1:1-6 Jn 1:1-18 (or 1:1-5,9-14)
26	Mon		St. Stephen , protomartyr (Feast) Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59 Mt 10:17-22
27	Tue		St. John , Apostle, evangelist (Feast) 1 Jn 1:1-4 Jn 20:2-8
28	Wed		The Holy Innocents , martyrs (Feast) 1 Jn 1:5-2:2 Mt 2:13-18
29	Thu		Of the Octave 1 Jn 2:3-11 Lk 2:22-35 St. Thomas Beckett, bishop, martyr (As a commemoration)
30	Fri		The Holy Family (Feast) Sir 3:2-6,12-14 Col 3:12-21 (or 3:12-17) Mt 2:13-15,19-23
31	Sat		Of the Octave 1 Jn 2:18-21 Jn 1:1-18 St. Sylvester I, pope (As a commemoration) <i>Evening Prayer 1 of Mary, the Mother of God</i>

January 2023

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

For educators: We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.

Psalter of the Octave and Feasts

1	Sun		Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God (Solemnity) Num 6:22-27 Gal 4:4-7 Lk 2:16-21 <i>World Day of Peace</i>
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Psalter Week 2

2	Mon		Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, bishops, doctors (Mem) 1 Jn 2:22-28 Jn 1:19-28 <i>Evening Prayer 1 of the Most Holy Name of Jesus</i>
3	Tue		The Most Holy Name of Jesus (Solemnity) Titular Feast of the Society Sir 51:8-12 (Vulgate: 51:11-17) Phil 2:1-11 Lk 2:21-24 <i>The monthly Mass for the needs of the Church and of the Society should, if possible, be offered today.</i>
4	Wed		Before Epiphany 1 Jn 3:7-10 Jn 1:35-42
5	Thu		Before Epiphany 1 Jn 3:11-21 Jn 1:43-51
6	Fri		Before Epiphany 1 Jn 5:5-13 Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-28 (or 3:23,31-34,36,38)
7	Sat		Before Epiphany 1 Jn 5:14-21 Jn 2:1-11 St. Raymond of Penyafort, priest (Opt Mem) <i>Evening Prayer 1 of the Epiphany of the Lord</i>

Psalter Week 1 (Week 1 in Ordinary Time)

8	Sun		The Epiphany of the Lord (Solemnity) Is 60:1-6 Eph 3:2-3a,5-6 Mt 2:1-12 <i>Evening Prayer 1 of the Baptism of the Lord</i>
9	Mon		The Baptism of the Lord (Feast) Is 42:1-4,6-7 or Acts 10:34-38 Mt 3:13-17

ORDINARY TIME

Sundays: Year A | Weekdays: Year 1

Psalter Week 1 (Week 1 in Ordinary Time)

10	Tue		Of the day Heb 2:5-12 Mk 1:21-28 or Heb 1:1-6, 2:5-12 Mk 1:14-20, 1:21-28
11	Wed		Of the day Heb 2:14-18 Mk 1:29-39 <i>Br. Augustine Kandawasvika (ZIM-MOZ) † 2021</i>
12	Thu		Of the day Heb 3:7-14 Mk 1:40-45

13	Fri		Of the day St. Hilary, bishop, doctor (Opt Mem)	Heb 4:1-5,11 Mk 2:1-12
14	Sat		Of the day <i>Lusaka: Infant Jesus of Prague, Patronal Feast of the Archdiocese (Feast)</i>	Heb 4:12-16 Mk 2:13-17

Psalter Week 2

15	Sun		Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 49: 3,5-6 1 Cor 1:1-3 Jn 1:29-34 <i>Fr. Michael J. Kelly (ZAM) † 2021</i>	
16	Mon		Of the day	Heb 5:1-10 Mk 2:18-22
17	Tue		St. Anthony, abbot (Mem) Heb 6:10-20 Mk 2:23-28 <i>Fr. Anthony Watsham (ZIM) † 2019</i> From 18 th to 25 th is held a week of prayer for Christian unity	
18	Wed		Of the day	Heb 7:1-3,15-17 Mk 3:1-6
19	Thu		Of the day Sts. John Olgivie, priest (Scotland); Stephan Pongracz, Melchior Grodziecki, priests, and Mark of Krizevci, canon of Esztergom (Slovakia); Bl. Ignatius de Azevedo, priest, and 39 companions (sailing to Brazil); James Sales, priest, and William Sautemouche, religious (France). <i>Jesuit Martyrs killed for the Catholic faith</i> (Opt Mem)	Heb 7:25-8:6 Mk 3:7-12
20	Fri		Of the day St. Fabian, pope, martyr (Opt Mem) St. Sebastian, martyr (Opt Mem) South Africa: Bl. Cyprian Michael Tansi, priest (Opt Mem)	Heb 8:6-13 Mk 3:13-19
21	Sat		St. Agnes, virgin, martyr (Mem) Heb 9:2-3,11-14 Mk 3:20-21 <i>Fr. Charles M. Chilinda (ZAM) † 2021</i>	

Psalter Week 3

22	Sun		Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 8:23—9:3 1 Cor 1:10-13,17 Mt 4:12-23 (or 4:12-17) <i>Sunday of the Word of God Zimbabwe: Prayers for peace</i>	
23	Mon		Of the day	Heb 9:15,24-28 Mk 3:22-30
24	Tue		St. Francis de Sales, bishop, doctor (Mem) Heb 10:1-10 Mk 3:31-35	
25	Wed		The Conversion of St. Paul (Feast) Acts 22:3-16 (or 9:1-22) Mk 16:15-18	
26	Thu		Sts. Timothy and Titus, bishops (Mem) 2 Tim 1:1-8 (or Tit 1:1-5) Mk 4:21-25	

27	Fri		Of the day St. Angela Merici, virgin (Opt Mem) <i>Fr. Wolf Huwe (ZIM) † 2021</i>	Heb 10:32-39 Mk 4:26-34
28	Sat		St. Thomas Aquinas, priest, doctor (Mem) Heb 11:1-2,8-19 Mk 4:35-41	

Psalter Week 4









29	Sun		Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Zeph 2:3,3:12-13 1 Cor 1:26-31 Mt 5:1-12a <i>World Leprosy Day</i>	
30	Mon		Of the day <i>Lilongwe: Episcopal Ordination of Archbishop George Desmond Tambala, O.C.D. (2016)</i>	Heb 11:32-40 Mk 5:1-20
31	Tue		St. John Bosco, priest (Mem) Heb 12:1-4 Mk 5:21-43	

February











The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

For parishes: We pray that parishes, placing communion at the centre, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.

Psalter Week 4

1	Wed	 	Of the day Heb 12:4-7,11-15 Mk 6:1-6 South Africa: Bl. Benedict Daswa, martyr (Opt Mem)
2	Thu		The Presentation of the Lord (Feast) Mal 3:1-4 Heb 2:14-18 Lk 2:22-40 (or 2:22-32) <i>World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life</i>
3	Fri	  	Of the day Heb 13:1-8 Mk 6:14-29 St. Ansgar, bishop (Opt Mem) St. Blaise, bishop, martyr (Opt Mem)
4	Sat	 	Of the day Heb 13:15-17,20-21 Mk 6:30-34 St. John de Brito, priest; Bl. Rudolph Acquaviva, priest and companions, Jesuit Martyrs in India (Opt Mem) <i>International Day of Human Fraternity</i>

Psalter Week 1

5	Sun		Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 58:7-10 1 Cor 2:1-5 Mt 5:13-16
6	Mon	 	St. Paul Miki, religious and companions; Bl. Charles Spinola, Sebastian Kimura, priests and companions, Jesuit Martyrs in Japan (Mem) Mem: Gal 2:19-20 Mt 28:16-20 Ord: Gen 1:1-19 Mk 6:53-56 <i>Cape Town: Our Lady of the Flight into Egypt, Co-Patronal Feast of Archdiocese (Feast)</i>
7	Tue	 	Of the day Gen 1:20-2:4a Mk 7:1-13 <i>Cape Town: Installation of Archbishop Stephen Brislin (2010)</i> <i>Br. Theodore C. Bender (UEA) † 2022</i>
8	Wed	  	Of the day Gen 2:4b-9,15-17 Mk 7:14-23 St. Josephine Bakhita, religious (Opt Mem) St. Jerome Emiliani (Opt Mem) <i>International Day of Prayer and Awareness Against Human Trafficking</i>
9	Thu		Of the day Gen 2:18-25 Mk 7:24-30
10	Fri		St. Scholastica, virgin (Mem) Gen 3:1-8 Mk 7:31-37

11	Sat		Of the day	Gen 3:9-24 Mk 8:1-10
			Our Lady of Lourdes (Opt Mem)	Is 66:10-14c Jn 2:1-11
			<i>World Day of Prayer for the Sick</i>	

Psalter Week 2

12	Sun		Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sir 15:15-20 1 Cor 2:6-10 Mt 5:17-37 (or 5:20-22a,27-28,33-34a,37)
13	Mon		Of the day	Gen 4:1-15,25 Mk 8:11-13
14	Tue		Sts. Cyril, monk, and Methodius, bishop (Mem)	Gen 6:5-8; 7:1-5,10 Mk 8:14-21
15	Wed		St. Claude La Colombiere, Jesuit priest (Mem)	Mem: Eph 3:8-9,14-19 Mt 11:25-30 Ord: Gen 8:6-13,20-22 Mk 8:22-26
16	Thu		Of the day	Gen 9:1-13 Mk 8:27-33
17	Fri		Of the day	Gen 11:1-9 Mk 8:34-9:1
			Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order (Opt Mem)	
			<i>Cabo Delgado: Episcopal Ordination of António Juliasse Ferreira Sandramo (2019)</i>	
18	Sat		Of the day	Heb 11:1-7 Mk 9:2-13

Psalter Week 3

19	Sun		Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	Lev 19:1-2,17-18 1 Cor 3:16-23 Mt 5:38-48
20	Mon		Of the day	Sir 1:1-10 Mk 9:14-29
21	Tue		Of the day	Sir 2:1-11 Mk 9:30-37
			St. Peter Damian, bishop, doctor (Opt Mem)	

LENT

Psalter Week 4

22	Wed		Ash Wednesday Joel 2:12-18 2 Cor 5:20—6:2 Mt 6:1-6,16-18 <i>Maputo: Appointment of Archbishop Francisco Chimoio, O.F.M. Cap. (2003)</i>
23	Thu		Of Lent Deut 30:15-20 Lk 9:22-25 St. Polycarp, bishop, martyr (As a commemoration) <i>Fr. James Channing-Pierce (SAP) † 2022</i>
24	Fri		Of Lent Is 58:1-9a Mt 9:14-15
25	Sat		Of Lent Is 58:9b-14 Lk 5:27-32

Psalter Week 1

26	Sun		First Sunday of Lent Gen 2:7-9; 3:1-7 Rom 5:12-19 (or 5:12,17-19) Mt 4:1-11
27	Mon		Of Lent Lev 19:1-2,11-18 Mt 25:31-46 St. Gregory of Narek, abbot, doctor (As a commemoration)
28	Tue		Of Lent Is 55:10-11 Mt 6:7-15 <i>Fr. Wolfgang Abeler (ZIM) † 2020</i>

March

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

For victims of abuse: We pray for those who have suffered harm from members of the Church; may they find within the Church herself a concrete response to their pain and suffering.

Psalter Week 1

1	Wed	Of Lent	Jonah 3:1-10 Lk 11:29-32
2	Thu	Of Lent	Esth C:12,14-16,23-25 Mt 7:7-12
3	Fri	Of Lent	Ez 18:21-28 Mt 5:20-26 <i>The Novena of Grace of St. Francis Xavier begins tomorrow.</i>
4	Sat	Of Lent	Deut 26:16-19 Mt 5:43-48 St. Casimir (As a commemoration)

Psalter Week 2

5	Sun	Second Sunday of Lent	Gen 12:1-4a 2 Tim 1:8b-10 Mt 17:1-9
6	Mon	Of Lent	Dan 9:4b-10 Lk 6:36-38
7	Tue	Of Lent	Is 1:10,16-20 Mt 23:1-12 Sts. Perpetua and Felicity, martyrs (As a commemoration)
8	Wed	Of Lent	Jer 18:18-20 Mt 20:17-28 St. John of God, religious (As a commemoration) <i>International Women's Day</i>
9	Thu	Of Lent	Jer 17:5-10 Lk 16:19-31 St. Frances of Rome, religious (As a commemoration)
10	Fri	Of Lent	Gen 37:3-4,12-13a,17b-28a Mt 21:33-43,45-46
11	Sat	Of Lent	Mic 7:14-15,18-20 Lk 15:1-3,11-32

Psalter Week 3

12	Sun	Third Sunday of Lent	Ex 17:3-7 Rom 5:1-2,5-8 Jn 4:5-42 (or 4:5-15,19b-26,39a,40-42) <i>The monthly Mass for the needs of the Church and of the Society should, if possible, be offered today, the anniversary of the Canonisation of St. Ignatius and St. Francis Xavier.</i>
13	Mon	Of Lent	2 Kgs 5:1-15ab Lk 4:24-30 <i>Election of Pope Francis (2013)</i>
14	Tue	Of Lent	Dan 3:25,34-43 Mt 18:21-35
15	Wed	Of Lent	Deut 4:1,5-9 Mt 5:17-19
16	Thu	Of Lent	Jer 7:23-28 Lk 11:14-23

17	Fri		Of Lent Hos 14:2-10 Mk 12:28-34 St. Patrick, bishop (As a commemoration) (Harare: One votive Mass is permitted in each oratory) Cape Town: St. Patrick , Co-Patronal Feast of the Archdiocese (Feast)
18	Sat		Of Lent Hos 6:1-6 Lk 18:9-14 St. Cyril of Jerusalem, bishop, doctor (As a commemoration)

Psalter Week 4

19	Sun		Fourth Sunday of Lent 1 Sam 16:1b,6-7,10-13a Eph 5:8-14 Jn 9:1-41 (or 9:1,6-9,13-17,34-38) Evening Prayer 1 of St Joseph
20	Mon		St. Joseph, Husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Solemnity) Patron Saint of the Society of Jesus 2 Sam 7:4-5a,12-14a,16 Rom 4:13,16-18,22 Mt 1:16,18-21,24a (or Lk 2:41-51a)
21	Tue		Of Lent Ez 47:1-9,12 Jn 5:1-16
22	Wed		Of Lent Is 49:8-15 Jn 5:17-30
23	Thu		Of Lent Ex 32:7-14 Jn 5:31-47 St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, bishop (As a commemoration)
24	Fri		Of Lent Wis 2:1a,12-22 Jn 7:1-2,10,25-30 Evening Prayer 1 of the Annunciation
25	Sat		The Annunciation of the Lord (Solemnity) Is 7:10-14;8:10 Heb 10:4-10 Lk 1:26-38 Appointment of V. Rev. Leonard Chiti, Provincial (2021)

Psalter Week 1

26	Sun		Fifth Sunday of Lent Ezek 37:12-14 Rom 8:8-11 Jn 11:1-45 (or 11:3-7,17,20-27,33b-45)
27	Mon		Of Lent Dan 13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62 (or 13:41c-62) Jn 8:1-11 Fr. Roland Lesseps (UCS) † 2020
28	Tue		Of Lent Num 21:4-9 Jn 8:21-30
29	Wed		Of Lent Dan 3:14-20,91-92,95 Jn 8:31-42
30	Thu		Of Lent Gen 17:3-9 Jn 8:51-59
31	Fri		Of Lent Jer 20:10-13 Jn 10:31-42

April

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

For a culture of peace and non-violence: We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

Psalter Week 1

1	Sat		Of Lent	Ez 37:21-28 Jn 11:45-56
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Psalter Week 2

2	Sun		Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Procession: Mt 21:1-11 Mass: Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11 Mt 26:14-27:66 (or 27:11-54)
3	Mon		Of Holy Week Is 42:1-7 Jn 12:1-11
4	Tue		Of Holy Week Is 49:1-6 Jn 13:21-33,36-38
5	Wed		Of Holy Week Is 50:4-9a Mt 26:14-25
6	Thu		Chrism Mass Is 61:1-3ab,6a,8b-9 Rev 1:5-8 Lk 4:16-21

THE EASTER TRIDUUM

6			Holy Thursday The Mass of the Lord's Supper Ex 12:1-8,11-14 1 Cor 11:23-26 Jn 13:1-15
7	Fri		Good Friday The Passion of the Lord Is 52:13-53:12 Heb 4:14-16;5:7-9 Jn 18:1-19:42 <i>Chinhoyi: Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Raymond Tapiwa Mupandasekwa, C.Ss.R. (2018)</i>
8	Sat		Holy Saturday The Easter Vigil Gen 1:1-2:2 Gen 22:1-18 Ex 14:15-15:1 Is 54:5-14 Is 55:1-11 Bar 3:9-15,32-4:4 Ezek 36:16-28 Rom 6:3-11 Mt 28:1-10

THE EASTER SEASON

Psalter of the Octave

9	Sun		Easter Sunday Acts 10:34a,37-43 Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8 Jn 20:1-9 (or Mt 28:1-10 or in the afternoon or evening Lk 24:13-35)
10	Mon		Of the Octave Acts 2:14,22-33 Mt 28:8-15
11	Tue		Of the Octave Acts 2:36-41 Jn 20:11-18
12	Wed		Of the Octave Acts 3:1-10 Lk 24:13-35
13	Thu		Of the Octave Acts 3:11-26 Lk 24:35-48
14	Fri		Of the Octave Acts 4:1-12 Jn 21:1-14 <i>Lusaka: Installation of Archbishop Alick Banda (2018)</i>

15	Sat		Of the Octave	Acts 4:13-21 Mk 16:9-15
16	Sun		Second Sunday of Easter	Acts 2:42-47 1 Pet 1:3-9 Jn 20:19-31
			[Ndola: Dedication of the Cathedral of Christ the King (1933) (Feast)]*	
			Divine Mercy Sunday	

Psalter Week 2

17	Mon		Of Easter	Acts 4:23-31 Jn 3:1-8
18	Tue		Of Easter	Acts 4:32-37 Jn 3:7b-15
			Zimbabwe: Independence Day	
19	Wed		Of Easter	Acts 5:17-26 Jn 3:16-21
			Fr. John O'Holohan (HIB) † 2018	
20	Thu		Of Easter	Acts 5:27-33 Jn 3:31-36
			South Africa: St. Marcellinus, bishop (Opt Mem)	
21	Fri		Of Easter	Acts 5:34-42 Jn 6:1-15
			St. Anselm, bishop, doctor (Opt Mem)	
22	Sat		The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Society (Feast)	Rev 21:1-5a Jn 19: 25-27
			Fr. José Afonso Marques Pinto (POR) † 2021	
			Fr. Francis Keenan (HIB) † 2020	

Psalter Week 3

23	Sun		Third Sunday of Easter	Acts 2:14, 22-33 1 Pet 1:17-21 Lk 24:13-35
24	Mon		Of Easter	Acts 6:8-15 Jn 6:22-29
			St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen, priest, martyr (Opt Mem)	
25	Tue		St. Mark, Evangelist (Feast)	1 Pet 5:5b-14 Mk 16:15-20
26	Wed		Of Easter	Acts 8:1b-8 Jn 6:35-40
27	Thu		St. Peter Canisius, Jesuit priest, doctor (Mem)	Mem: 2 Tim 4:1-5 Mt 5:13-16
			Easter: Acts 8:26-40 Jn 6:44-51	
			South Africa: Freedom Day	
28	Fri		Of Easter	Acts 9:1-20 Jn 6:52-59
			St. Peter Chanel, priest, martyr (Opt Mem)	
			St. Louis M. Grignion de Montfort, priest (Opt Mem)	
			Cape Town: Dedication of the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Flight into Egypt (1851) (Feast)	
			Fr. Edward C.A. Dougherty (UEA) † 2020	
29	Sat		St. Catherine of Siena, virgin, doctor (Mem)	Acts 9:31-42 Jn 6:60-69

Psalter Week 4

30	Sun		Fourth Sunday of Easter Acts 2:14a,36-41 1 Pt 2:20b-25 Jn 10:1-10 <i>World Day for Prayers for priestly and Religious Vocations</i> <i>[Lilongwe: Our Lady of Africa, Patronal Feast of the Archdiocese (Feast)]*</i> <i>[Lusaka: Dedication of the Cathedral of the Child Jesus (2006) (Feast)]*</i>
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May

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

For Church movements and groups: We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

Psalter Week 4

1	Mon		Of Easter Acts 11:1-18 Jn 10:11-18 St. Joseph the Worker (Opt Mem) Gen 1:26–2:3 or Col 3:14-15,17,23-24 Mt 13:54-58
2	Tue		St. Athanasius, bishop, doctor (Mem) Acts 11:19-26 Jn 10:22-30
3	Wed		Sts. Philip and James , Apostles (Feast) 1 Cor 15:1-8 Jn 14:6-14
4	Thu		Of Easter Acts 13:13-25 Jn 13:16-20 St. Joseph Maria Rubio, Spanish Jesuit priest (Opt Mem)
5	Fri		Of Easter Acts 13:26-33 Jn 14:1-6
6	Sat		Of Easter Acts 13:44-52 Jn 14:7-14 <i>Tete: Dedication of the Cathedral of St James, the Great (1991) (Feast)</i>

Psalter Week 1

7	Sun		Fifth Sunday of Easter Acts 6:1-7 1 Pt 2:4-9 Jn 14:1-12 <i>Monze: Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Raphael Mweempwa., 2022</i>
8	Mon		Of Easter Acts 14:5-18 Jn 14:21-26 Bl. John Sullivan, Irish Jesuit priest (Opt Mem)
9	Tue		Of Easter Acts 14:19-28 Jn 14:27-31a
10	Wed		Of Easter Acts 15:1-6 Jn 15:1-8 St. John De Avila, priest, doctor (Opt Mem)
11	Thu		Of Easter Acts 15:7-21 Jn 15:9-11
12	Fri		Of Easter Acts 15:22-31 Jn 15:12-17 Sts. Nereus and Achilleus, martyrs (Opt Mem) St. Pancras, martyr (Opt Mem) <i>Tete: Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Diamantino Guapo Antunes, I.M.C. (2019)</i>
13	Sat		Of Easter Acts 16:1-10 Jn 15:18-21 Our Lady of Fatima (Opt Mem) Is 61:9-11 Lk 11:27-28

Psalter Week 2

14	Sun		Sixth Sunday of Easter Acts 8:5-8,14-17 1 Pt 3:15-18 Jn 14:15-21
15	Mon		Of Easter Acts 16:11-15 Jn 15:26-16:4a
16	Tue		Of Easter Acts 16:22-34 Jn 16:5-11
			St. Andrew Bobola, Jesuit priest, martyr of Poland (Opt Mem)
17	Wed		Of Easter Acts 17:15,22-18:1 Jn 16:12-15
18	Thu		Of Easter Acts 18:1-8 Jn 16:16-20
			St. John I, pope, martyr (Opt Mem)
19	Fri		Of Easter Acts 18:9-18 Jn 16:20-23
			Fr. Sydney D'Souza (AOR) † 2020
20	Sat		Of Easter Acts 18:23-28 Jn 16:23b-28
			St. Bernardine of Siena, priest (Opt Mem)
			Very Rev. Adolfo Nicholas † 2020
			Evening Prayer 1 of the Ascension of the Lord

Psalter Week 3

21	Sun		The Ascension of the Lord (Solemnity) Acts 1:1-11 Eph 1:17-23 Mt 28:16-20 World Communications Day Zimbabwe & South Africa: Between Ascension and Pentecost: Prayers for Christian Unity
22	Mon		Of Easter Acts 19:1-8 Jn 16:29-33
			St. Rita of Cascia, religious (Opt Mem)
23	Tue		Of Easter Acts 20:17-27 Jn 17:1-11a
24	Wed		Of Easter Acts 20:28-38 Jn 17:11b-19
			Our Lady of the Way (Opt Mem)
			Heb 10:19-25 Lk 2:15b-19
			South Africa: Mary, Help of Christians (Mem)
			Day of Prayer for the Church in China
25	Thu		Of Easter Acts 22:30,23:6-11 Jn 17:20-26
			St. Bede the Venerable, priest, doctor (Opt Mem)
			St. Gregory VII, pope (Opt Mem)
			St. Mary Magdalen de Pazzi, virgin (Opt Mem)
26	Fri		St. Philip Neri, priest (Mem)
			Acts 25:13b-21 Jn 21:15-19
27	Sat		Of Easter Acts 28:16-20,30-31 Jn 21:20-25
			St. Augustine of Canterbury, bishop (Opt Mem)
			Evening Prayer 1 of Pentecost

Psalter Week 4 (Week 8 in Ordinary Time)

28	Sun		Pentecost Sunday (Solemnity) Acts 2:1-11 1 Cor 12:3b-7,12-13 Jn 20:19-23 Fr. Andrews Thekkekkara (MDU) † 2022
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ORDINARY TIME

Sundays: Year A | Weekdays: Year 1

Psalter Week 4 (Week 8 in Ordinary Time)

29	Mon		Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church (Mem) Gen 3:9-15,20 or Acts 1:12-14 John 19:25-34
30	Tue		Of the day Sir 35:1-12 Mk 10:28-31
31	Wed		The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Feast) Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16 Lk 1:39-56
			<i>The monthly Mass for the needs of the Church and of the Society should, if possible, be offered today.</i>

June

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

For the abolition of torture: We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

Psalter Week 4 (Week 8 in Ordinary Time)

1	Thu		St. Justin, martyr (Mem) Sir 42:15-25 Mk 10:46-52
2	Fri		Of the day Sir 44:1,9-13 Mk 11:11-26 Sts. Marcellinus and Peter, martyrs (Opt Mem)
3	Sat		St. Charles Lwanga and companions , martyrs (Feast) 2 Macc 7:1-2,9-14 Mt 5:1-12a <i>Chinhoyi: St. Kizito, Co-Patronal Feast of the Diocese</i> (Feast) Evening Prayer 1 of the Most Holy Trinity

Psalter Week 1 (Week 9 in Ordinary Time)

4	Sun		The Most Holy Trinity (Solemnity) Ex 34:4b-6,8-9 2 Cor 13:11-13 Jn 3:16-18
5	Mon		St. Boniface, bishop, martyr (Mem) Tob 1:1-3,2:1a-8 Mk 12:1-12
6	Tue		Of the day Tob 2:9-14 Mk 12:13-17 St. Norbert, bishop (Opt Mem)
7	Wed		Of the day Tob 3:1-11a,16-17a Mk 12:18-27
8	Thu		St. Jacques Berthieu, priest, Jesuit martyr of Madagascar (Mem) Mem: Wis 3:1-9 Jn 15:18-21 Ord: Tob 6:10-11,7:1b-e,9-17,8:4-9a Mk 12:28b-34
9	Fri		Of the day Tob 11:5-17 Mk 12:35-37 St. Joseph de Anchieta, priest, Jesuit 'Apostle of Brazil' (Opt Mem) St. Ephraem, deacon, doctor (Opt Mem)
10	Sat		Of the day Tob 12:1,5-15,20 Mk 12:38-44 Evening Prayer 1 of the Body and Blood of Christ

Psalter Week 2 (Week 10 in Ordinary Time)

11	Sun		The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Solemnity) Deut 8:2-3,14b-16a 1 Cor 10:16-17 Jn 6:51-58 <i>Fr. Shaun Carls (SAF) † 2018</i>
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12	Mon		Of the day South Africa: St. Onophrius, hermit (Opt Mem)	2 Cor 1:1-7 Mt 5:1-12
13	Tue		St. Anthony of Padua, priest, doctor (Mem)	2 Cor 1:18-22 Mt 5:13-16
14	Wed		Of the day	2 Cor 3:4-11 Mt 5:17-19
15	Thu		Of the day <i>Evening Prayer 1 of the Most Sacred Heart</i>	2 Cor 3:15-4:1,4:3-6 Mt 5:20-26
16	Fri		The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (Solemnity) Deut 7:6-11 1 Jn 4:7-16 Mt 11:25-30 <i>Monze, Kabwe: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Patronal Feast of the Diocese (Feast) The monthly Mass for the needs of the Church and of the Society should, if possible, be offered today.</i>	
17	Sat		The Immaculate Heart of Mary (Mem)	Is 61:9-11 Lk 2:41-51

Psalter Week 3

18	Sun		Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Ex 19:2-6a Rom 5:6-11 Mt 9:36-10:8	
19	Mon		Of the day St. Romuald, Abbot (Opt Mem)	2 Cor 6:1-10 Mt 5:38-42
20	Tue		Of the day <i>World Refugee Day</i>	2 Cor 8:1-9 Mt 5:43-48
21	Wed		St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Jesuit scholastic (Mem) Mem: 1 Jn 5:1-5 Mt 22:34-40 Ord: 2 Cor 9:6-11 Mt 6:1-6,16-18	
22	Thu		Of the day St. Paulinus of Nola, bishop (Opt Mem) Sts. John Fisher, bishop, and Thomas More, martyrs (Opt Mem)	2 Cor 11:1-11 Mt 6:7-15
23	Fri		Of the day Mass of the Vigil of the Birthday of John the Baptist <i>Evening Prayer 1 of the Birthday of John the Baptist</i>	2 Cor 11:18,21-30 Mt 6:19-23 Jer 1:4-10 1Pt 1:8-12 Lk 1:5-17
24	Sat		The Birthday of John the Baptist (Solemnity) Is 49:1-6 Acts 13:22-26 Lk 1:57-66,80 <i>Fr. David A. Skelskey (UNE) † 2020</i>	

Psalter Week 4

25	Sun		Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 20:10-13 Rom 5:12-15 Mt 10:26-33 <i>Mozambique: Independence Day</i>	
26	Mon		Of the day	Gen 12:1-9 Mt 7:1-5
27	Tue		Of the day St. Cyril of Alexandria, bishop, doctor (Opt Mem)	Gen 13:2,5-18 Mt 7:6,12-14

28	Wed		St. Irenaeus, bishop, martyr (Mem) Gen 15:1-12,17-18 Mt 7:15-20
			Mass of the Vigil of Sts. Peter and Paul Acts 3:1-10 Gal 1:11-20 Jn 21:15-19
			<i>Evening Prayer 1 of Sts. Peter and Paul</i>
29	Thu		Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles (Solemnity) Acts 12:1-11 2 Tim 4:6-8,17-18 Mt 16:13-19
			<i>Mozambique: National Day of Prayer for the Holy Father</i> <i>Johannesburg: Installation of</i> <i>Archbishop Buti Joseph Tlhagale, O.M.I. (2003)</i>
30	Fri		Of the day Gen 17:1,9-10,15-22 Mt 8:1-4
			The First Martyrs of Rome, martyrs (Opt Mem)

July

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

For a Eucharistic life: We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.

Psalter Week 4

1	Sat		Of the day	Gen 18:1-15 Mt 8:5-17
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Psalter Week 1

2	Sun		Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2 Kgs 4:8-11,14-16a Rom 6:3-4,8-11 Mt 10:37-42 <i>Zimbabwe: Prayers for priestly and religious vocations</i>
3	Mon		St. Thomas , Apostle (Feast) Eph 2:19-22 Jn 20:24-29
4	Tue		Of the day Gen 19:15-29 Mt 8:23-27 St. Elizabeth of Portugal (Opt Mem)
5	Wed		Of the day Gen 21:5,8-20a Mt 8:28-34 St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria, priest (Opt Mem)
6	Thu		Of the day Gen 22:1b-19 Mt 9:1-8 St. Maria Goretti, virgin, martyr (Opt Mem) <i>Malawi: Independence Day</i>
7	Fri		Of the day Gen 23:1-4,19,24:1-8,62-67 Mt 9:9-13 <i>Fr. John Bangwe (ZAM) † 2019</i>
8	Sat		Of the day Gen 27:1-5,15-29 Mt 9:14-17 <i>Sch. Nelo José Manuel (MOZ) † 2018</i>

Psalter Week 2

9	Sun		Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Zech 9:9-10 Rom 8:9,11-13 Mt 11:25-30 <i>Sea Sunday</i>
10	Mon		Of the day Gen 28:10-22a Mt 9:18-26
11	Tue		St. Benedict, abbot (Mem) Gen 32:23-33 Mt 9:32-38
12	Wed		Of the day Gen 41:55-57,42:5-7a,17-24a Mt 10:1-7
13	Thu		Of the day Gen 44:18-21,23b-29;45:1-5 Mt 10:7-15 St. Henry (Opt Mem)

14	Fri		Of the day Gen 46:1-7,28-30 Mt 10:16-23 St. Camillus de Lellis, priest (Opt Mem) <i>Fr. S. Joseph Dorairaj (ZAM) † 2019</i>
15	Sat		St. Bonaventure, bishop, doctor (Mem) Gen 49:29-32,50:15-26a Mt 10:24-33

Psalter Week 3

16	Sun		Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 55:10-11 Rom 8:18-23 Mt 13:1-23 (or 13:1-9)
17	Mon		Of the day Ex 1:8-14,22 Mt 10:34-11:1
18	Tue		Of the day Ex 2:1-15a Mt 11:20-24
19	Wed		Of the day Ex 3:1-6,9-12 Mt 11:25-27
20	Thu		Of the day Ex 3:13-20 Mt 11:28-30 St. Apollinaris, bishop, martyr (Opt Mem) <i>Fr. Joseph Keaney (SAP) † 2021</i>
21	Fri		Of the day Ex 11:10-12:14 Mt 12:1-8 St. Laurence of Brindisi, priest, doctor (Opt Mem) <i>The Novena to St. Ignatius Loyola begins tomorrow.</i>
22	Sat		St. Mary Magdalen Apostle to the Apostles (Feast) Cant 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17 Jn 20:1-2,11-18 <i>Fr. Karl Herrmann (SAP) † 2022</i>

Psalter Week 4

23	Sun		Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Wis 12:13,16-19 Rom 8:26-27 Mt 13:24-43 (or 13:24-30) <i>World Day For Grandparents and Elderly</i>
24	Mon		Of the day Ex 14:5-18 Mt 12:38-42 St. Sharbel Makhlof, priest (Opt Mem)
25	Tue		St. James , Apostle (Feast) 2 Cor 4:7-15 Mt 20:20-28 Tete: St. James, the Great , Patronal Feast of Diocese (Feast)
26	Wed		Sts. Joachim and Anne (Mem) Sir 44:1,10-15 Mt 13:16-17 Ord: Ex 16:1-5,9-15 Mt 13:1-9
27	Thu		Of the day Ex 19:1-2,9-11,16-20b Mt 13:10-17 <i>Fr. Peter Hackett (BRI) † 2018</i>
28	Fri		Of the day Ex 20:1-17 Mt 13:18-23 South Africa: St. Victor I, pope, martyr (Opt Mem)
29	Sat		St. Martha, Mary and Lazarus (Mem) 1 Jn 4:7-16 Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Psalter Week 1

30	Sun		Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Kgs 3:5,7-12 Rom 8:28-30 Mt 13:44-52 (or 13:44-46) <i>Evening Prayer 1 of St. Ignatius of Loyola</i>
31	Mon		St. Ignatius of Loyola, Founder of the Society (Solemnity) Jer 20:7-9 1 Cor 10:31-11:1 Lk 14:25-33

August

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

For World Youth Day: We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.









Zimbabwe: The harvest festival is held at an appropriate time and date.

Psalter Week 1 (Week 17 in Ordinary Time)















1	Tue		St. Alphonsus Liguori, bishop, doctor (Mem) Ex 33:7-11,34:5b-9,28 Mt 13:36-43 <i>Fr. Joachim Petrusch (ZIM) † 2019</i>
2	Wed		Of the day Ex 34:29-35 Mt 13:44-46 St. Peter Faber, Jesuit priest, early companion (Opt Mem) 1 Cor 2:1-5 Mt 10:24-27 St. Eusebius of Vercelli, bishop (Opt Mem) St. Peter Julian Eymard, priest (Opt Mem) Harare: Dedication of the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart (1925) (Feast)
3	Thu		Of the day Ex 40:16-21,34-38 Mt 13:47-53
4	Fri		St. John Mary Vianney, priest, (Mem) Lev 23:1,4-11,15-16,27,34b-37 Mt 13:54-58
5	Sat		Of the day Lev 25:1,8-17 Mt 14:1-12 Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major (Opt Mem) Mozambique: Our Lady, Mother of Africa (Feast) 1 Chr 15, 3-4,15-16; 16, 1-2 Mt 12:46-50 <i>Evening Prayer 1 of the Transfiguration of the Lord</i>

Psalter Week 2 (Week 18 in Ordinary Time)

6	Sun		The Transfiguration of the Lord (Feast) Dan 7:9-10,13-14 2 Pet 1:16-19 Mt 17:1-9
7	Mon		Of the day Num 11:4b-15 Mt 14:13-21 (or 14:22-36) St. Sixtus II, pope, and companions, martyrs (Opt Mem) St. Cajetan, priest (Opt Mem) <i>The monthly Mass for the needs of the Church and of the Society should, if possible, be offered today, the anniversary of the Restoration of the Society (1814).</i>
8	Tue		St. Dominic, priest (Mem) Num 12:1-13 Mt 14:22-36 (or 15:1-2,10-14) <i>Durban: Installation of Archbishop Siegfried Mandla Jwara, C.M.M. (2021)</i>

9	Wed		Of the day Num 13:1-2,25-14:1,26a-29a,34-35 Mt 15:21-28
			St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein), virgin, martyr (Opt Mem)
			<i>Fr. Clemens Freyer (ZIM) † 2018</i>
10	Thu		St. Lawrence , deacon, martyr (Feast) 2 Cor 9:6-10 Jn 12:24-26
11	Fri		St. Clare, virgin (Mem) Deut 4:32-40 Mt 16:24-28
12	Sat		Of the day Deut 6:4-13 Mt 17:14-20
			St. Jane Frances de Chantal, religious (Opt Mem)
			South Africa: Bl. Isidore Bakanja, martyr (Opt Mem)

Psalter Week 3

13	Sun		Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Kgs 19:9a,11-13a Rom 9:1-5 Mt 14:22-33
			Sts. Pontianus, pope, and Hippolytus, priest, martyrs (Opt Mem)
14	Mon		St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe, priest, martyr (Mem) Deut 10:12-22 Mt 17:22-27
			Mass of the Vigil of the Assumption 1 Chr 15:3-4,15-16,16:1-2 1 Cor 15:54b-57 Lk 11:27-28
			<i>Evening Prayer 1 of the Assumption</i>
15	Tue		The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Solemnity) Rev 11:19a;12:1-6a,10ab 1 Cor 15:20-27 Lk 1:39-56
			South Africa, Zimbabwe: Of the day Deut 31:1-8 Mt 18:1-5,10,12-14
			Maputo: Dedication of the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception (1944) (Feast)
			Ndola: <i>Installation of Bishop Benjamin S. Phiri</i> (2020)
16	Wed		Of the day Deut 34:1-12 Mt 18:15-20
			St. Stephen of Hungary (Opt Mem)
17	Thu		Of the day Josh 3:7-10a,11,13-17 Mt 18:21-19:1
18	Fri		St. Albert Hurtado Cruchaga, Jesuit priest of Chile (Mem) Mem: Jas 2:14-17 Mt 25:31-40 Ord: Josh 24:1-13 Mt 19:3-12
			Bl. Victoria Rasoamanarivo, widow (Opt Mem)
19	Sat		Of the day Josh 24:14-29 Mt 19:13-15
			St. John Eudes, priest (Opt Mem)

Psalter Week 4

20	Sun		Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 56:1,6-7 Rom 11:13-15,29-32 Mt 15:21-28 <i>Zimbabwe and South Africa: The Assumption (See 15 August)</i> <i>South Africa: Patronal Feast of Country</i>
21	Mon		St. Pius X, pope (Mem) Judg 2:11-19 Mt 19:16-22 <i>Maputo: St. Pius X, Patron Saint of the Inter-diocesan Theological Seminary</i> <i>Harare: Installation of Archbishop Robert Christopher Ndlovu (2004)</i> <i>Br. Henryk Prill (PMA) † 2021</i>
22	Tue		Our Lady, Mother and Queen (Mem) Is 9:1-6 Lk 1:26-38
23	Wed		Of the day Judg 9:6-15 Mt 20:1-16 St. Rose of Lima, virgin (Opt Mem)
24	Thu		St. Bartholomew, Apostle (Feast) Rev 21:9b-14 Jn 1:45-51
25	Fri		Of the day Ruth 1:1,3-6,14b-16,22 Mt 22:34-40 St. Louis (Opt Mem) St. Joseph of Calasanz, priest (Opt Mem) <i>Cape Town: Episcopal Ordination of Auxiliary Sylvester Anthony John David, O.M.I. (2019)</i>
26	Sat		Of the day Ruth 2:1-3,8-11,4:13-17 Mt 23:1-12

Psalter Week 1

27	Sun		Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 22:19-23 Rom 11:33-36 Mt 16:13-20
28	Mon		St. Augustine, bishop, doctor (Mem) 1 Th 1:1-5,8b-10 Mt 23:13-22
29	Tue		The Martyrdom of St. John the Baptist (Mem) Jer 1:17-19 Mk 6:17-29
30	Wed		Of the day 1 Th 2:9-13 Mt 23:27-32
31	Thu		Of the day 1 Th 3:7-13 Mt 24:42-51

September

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For people living on the margins: We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

Psalter Week 1 (Week 21 in Ordinary Time)




1	Fri		Of the day	1 Th 4:1-8 Mt 25:1-13
			World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation	
			Season of Creation begins	
2	Sat		Of the day	1 Th 4:9-11 Mt 25:14-30
			Bl. James Bonnaud, priest, and 22 companions (France); Joseph Imbert and John Nicholas Cordier, priests (France); Thomas Sitjar, priest, and 11 companions (Spain); Giovanni Fausti, priest, and 2 companions (Albania). Jesuit Martyrs due to hatred of the name of Christian and of the Catholic Church (Opt Mem)	

Psalter Week 2












3	Sun		Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time	Jer 20:7-9 Rom 12:1-2 Mt 16:21-27
4	Mon		Of the day	1 Th 4:13-18 Lk 4:16-30
5	Tue		Of the day	1 Th 5:1-6,9-11 Lk 4:31-37
6	Wed		Of the day	Col 1:1-8 Lk 4:38-44
7	Thu		Of the day	Col 1:9-14 Lk 5:1-11
8	Fri		The Birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Feast)	Mic 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30 Mt 1:1-16,18-23 (or 1:18-23)
9	Sat		St. Peter Claver, Jesuit priest (Mem) [Harare: Feast]	Mem: Is 58:6-11 Jn 15:9-17 Ord: Col 1:21-23 Lk 6:1-5
			Harare: St. Peter Claver , Patronal Feast of the Archdiocese (Feast)	

Psalter Week 3





10	Sun		Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time	Ez 33:7-9 Rom 13:8-10 Mt 18:15-20
11	Mon		Of the day	Col 1:24-2:3 Lk 6:6-11
12	Tue		Of the day	Col 2:6-15 Lk 6:12-19
			The Most Holy Name of Mary (Opt Mem)	Gal 4:4-7 Lk 1:39-47
13	Wed		St. John Chrysostom, bishop, doctor (Mem)	Col 3:1-11 Lk 6:20-26

14	Thu		The Exaltation of the Holy Cross (Feast) Num 21:4b-9 or Phil 2:6-11 Jn 3:13-17 <i>Fr. Clodoveo Piazza, (EUM) † 2018</i>
15	Fri		Our Lady of Sorrows (Mem) Mem: Heb 5:7-9 Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35 Ord: 1 Tim 1:1-2, 12-14 Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35
16	Sat		Sts. Cornelius, pope, and Cyprian, bishop, martyrs (Mem) 1 Tim 1:15-17 Lk 6:43-49

Psalter Week 4

17	Sun		Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sir 27:30-28:7 Rom 14:7-9 Mt 18:21-35 <i>Fr. Francis Wafer (SAP) † 2021</i>
18	Mon		St. Robert Bellarmine, Jesuit, bishop, doctor (Mem) Mem: Wis 7:7-10, 15-16 Mt 7:21-29 Ord: 1 Tim 2:1-8 Lk 7:1-10
			St. Hildegard of Bingen, virgin, doctor (Opt Mem)
			South Africa: Bl Victoria Rasoamanarivo (Opt Mem)
19	Tue		Of the day 1 Tim 3:1-13 Lk 7:11-17
			St. Januarius, bishop, martyr (Opt Mem)
20	Wed		St. Andrew Kim Taegon and companions, martyrs (Mem) 1 Tim 3:14-16 Lk 7:31-35 <i>Fr. John Moore (ZAM) † 2018</i>
21	Thu		St. Matthew , Apostle, evangelist (Feast) Eph 4:1-7, 11-13 Mt 9:9-13
22	Fri		Of the day 1 Tim 6:2c-12 Lk 8:1-3
			South Africa: St. Maurice and Companions, martyrs (Opt Mem)
23	Sat		St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio), priest (Mem) 1 Tim 6:13-16 Lk 8:4-15

Psalter Week 1

24	Sun		Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 55:6-9 Phil 1:20c-24, 27a Mt 20:1-16a <i>World Day of Migrants and Refugees</i> <i>Zimbabwe: Social Communications Sunday</i>
25	Mon		Of the day Ezra 1:1-6 Lk 8:16-18
26	Tue		Of the day Ezra 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20 Lk 8:19-21
			Sts. Cosmas and Damian, martyrs (Opt Mem) <i>Fr. Luka Lučić (ZAM) † 2020</i>

27	Wed		<p>St. Vincent de Paul, priest (Mem)</p> <p>Ezra 9:5-9 Lk 9:1-6</p> <p><i>The monthly Mass for the needs of the Church and of the Society should, if possible, be offered today, the anniversary of the Confirmation of the Society (1540).</i></p> <p><i>World Tourism Day</i></p> <p><i>Fr. Armand Nigro (UWE) † 2019</i></p>
28	Thu		<p>Of the day Hag 1:1-8 Lk 9:7-9</p> <p>St. Wenceslaus, martyr (Opt Mem)</p> <p>St. Lawrence Ruiz and companions, martyrs (Opt Mem)</p>
29	Fri		<p>Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels (Feast)</p> <p>Dn 7:9-10,13-14 or Rev 12:7-12b Jn 1:47-51</p>
30	Sat		<p>St. Jerome, priest, doctor (Mem)</p> <p>Zech 2:5-9,14-15 Lk 9:43-45</p>

October

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


For the Synod: We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

Psalter Week 2

















1	Sun		Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Ez 18:25-28 Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5 Mt 21:28-32
2	Mon		The Holy Guardian Angels (Mem) Ex 23:20-23 Mt 18:1-5,10
3	Tue		St. Francis Borgia, Third Superior General of the Society (Mem) Mem: Phil 3:8-14 Mk 10:42-45 Ord: Zech 8:20-23 Lk 9:51-56
4	Wed		St. Francis of Assisi (Mem) Neh 2:1-8 Lk 9:57-62 Season of Creation ends <i>Mozambique: General Peace Agreement signed in Rome (1992)</i>
5	Thu		Of the day Neh 8:1-4a,5-6,7b-12 Lk 10:1-12 St. Maria Faustina (Helena) Kowalska, virgin (Opt Mem)
6	Fri		Of the day Bar 1:15-22 Lk 10:13-16 St. Bruno, priest (Opt Mem)
7	Sat		Our Lady of the Rosary (Mem) Mem: Acts 1:12-14 Lk 1:26-38 Ord: Bar 4:5-12,27-29 Lk 10:17-24 <i>Beira: Our Lady of the Rosary, Patronal Feast of the Archdiocese (Feast)</i> <i>Beira: Episcopal Ordination of Archbishop Claudio Dalla Zuanna, S.C.I. (2012)</i>

Psalter Week 3

8	Sun		Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 5:1-7 Phil 4:6-9 Mt 21:33-43
9	Mon		Of the day Jonah 1:1-2:2,11 Lk 10:25-37 Sts. Denis, bishop, and companions, martyrs (Opt Mem) St. John Leonardi, priest (Opt Mem)
10	Tue		Of the day Jonah 3:1-10 Lk 10:38-42 South Africa: St. Daniel Comboni, bishop (Mem)

11	Wed		Of the day St. John XXIII, pope (Opt Mem)	Jonah 4:1-11 Lk 11:1-4
12	Thu		Of the day Bl. John Beyzym, Jesuit missionary to Madagascar (Opt Mem)	Mal 3:13-20b Lk 11:5-13
13	Fri		Of the day	Joel 1:13-15; 2:1-2 Lk 11:15-26 <i>Fr. Emmanuel Mumba (ZAM) † 2020</i>
14	Sat	  	Of the day St. Callistus, pope, martyr (Opt Mem) <i>Very Rev. Arturo Sosa, S.J. elected Superior General (2016) Br. Joseph Rovtar (ZAM) † 2019</i>	Joel 4:12-21 Lk 11:27-28

Psalter Week 4

15	Sun	 	Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 25:6-10a Phil 4:12-14, 19-20 Mt 22:1-14 (or 22:1-10) <i>Zimbabwe: Prayers for rain</i>	
16	Mon	  	Of the day St. Hedwig, religious (Opt Mem) St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin (Opt Mem) <i>World Food Day</i>	Rom 1:1-7 Lk 11:29-32
17	Tue		St. Ignatius of Antioch, bishop, martyr (Mem)	Rom 1:16-25 Lk 11:37-41
18	Wed		St. Luke the Evangelist (Feast)	2 Tim 4:10-17b Lk 10:1-9
19	Thu	  	Sts. John de Brebeuf, Isaac Jogues, priests, and companions, Jesuit martyrs of North America (Mem) Mem: 2 Cor 4:7-15 Mt 28:16-20 Ord: Rom 3:21-30 Lk 11:47-54	
20	Fri	  	Of the day South Africa: Bl Daudi Okelo & Jildo Irwa, martyrs (Opt Mem)	Rom 4:1-6 Lk 12:1-7
21	Sat	  	Of the day Bl. Diego Aloysius de San Vitores, Jesuit priest, and St. Peter Calungsod, catechist, martyrs of the Marianas (Opt Mem) <i>Br. Happy Patrick Mzumara (SAP) † 2021</i>	Rom 4:13, 16-18 Lk 12:8-12

Psalter Week 1

22	Sun		Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 45:1,4-6 1 Th 1:1-5b Mt 22:15-21 <i>World Mission Sunday</i> <i>Fr. Karl Steffens (ZIM) † 2020</i>
23	Mon		Of the day Rom 4:20-25 Lk 12:13-21 St. John of Capestrano, priest (Opt Mem)
24	Tue		Of the day Rom 5:12,15b,17-19,20b-21 Lk 12:35-38 St. Anthony Mary Claret, bishop (Opt Mem) <i>Durban: Dedication of Emmanuel Cathedral (1904)</i> <i>(Feast)</i> <i>Zambia: Independence Day</i>
25	Wed		Of the day Rom 6:12-18 Lk 12:39-48 <i>Fr. Michael Austin (SAP) † 2022</i>
26	Thu		Of the day Rom 6:19-23 Lk 12:49-53
27	Fri		Of the day Rom 7:18-25a Lk 12:54-59
28	Sat		Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles (Feast) Eph 2:19-22 Lk 6:12-16

Psalter Week 2








29	Sun		Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Ex 22:20-26 1 Th 1:5c-10 Mt 22:34-40
30	Mon		Of the day Rom 8:12-17 Lk 13:10-17 Bl. Dominic Collins, Jesuit brother, martyr of Ireland (Opt Mem) <i>Anniversary of the Death of the "Chapotera Martyrs", the Diocese of Tete is pursuing the cause for the canonization of Jesuit Fathers João de Deus Gonçalves Kamtedza (54 from Mozambique) and Silvio Moreira (44 from Portugal) †† 1985</i>
31	Tue		St. Alphonsus Rodriguez, patron of Jesuit Brothers (Mem) Mem: Eph 6:10-13,18 Lk 14:1,7-11 Ord: Rom 8:18-25 Lk 13:18-21 <i>Fr. David Norris (CAN) † 2020</i> <i>Malawi, Mozambique, and Zambia: Evening Prayer 1 of All Saints</i>

November











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For the Pope: We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

Psalter Week 2 (Week 30 in Ordinary Time)

1	Wed	 	All Saints (Solemnity) Rev 7:2-4,9-14 1 Jn 3:1-3 Mt 5:1-12a South Africa & Zimbabwe: Of the day Rom 8:26-30 Lk 13:22-30
2	Thu		All Souls (The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed) Is 25:6-9 Rom 5:5-11 Mt 11:25-30 or 3 readings from Mass of the Dead
3	Fri	  	Of the day Rom 9:1-5 Lk 14:1-6 Bl. Rupert Mayer, Jesuit priest of Germany (Opt Mem) St. Martin de Porres, religious (Opt Mem) (Zimbabwe: Mem)
4	Sat		St. Charles Borromeo, bishop (Mem) Rom 11:1-2a,11-12,25-29 Lk 14:1,7-11

Psalter Week 3

5	Sun	  	Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time Mal 1:14b—2:2b,2:8-10 1 Th 2:7b-9,13 Mt 23:1-12 South Africa & Zimbabwe: All Saints (Solemnity) See 1 November <i>Fr. Francis Hull (BRI) † 2018</i>
6	Mon	   	Of the day Rom 11:29-36 Lk 14:12-14 Commemoration of All the Departed of the Society (Opt Mem) Rom 14:7-9,10b-12 Jn 6:37-40 South Africa: All Saints of Africa (Mem) Zimbabwe: Bl. Rupert Mayer, Jesuit priest of Germany (Opt Mem) <i>Tete: Commemoration of the Death of the missionaries, Fr. Waldyr dos Santos SJ (69, Brazilian Priest) and Idalina Neto Gomes (30, Portuguese lawyer), in Fonte Boa ††2006.</i>
7	Tue		Of the day Rom 12:5-16b Lk 14:15-24
8	Wed		Of the day Rom 13:8-10 Lk 14:25-33
9	Thu		Dedication of the Basilica of St. John Lateran (Feast) Ez 47:1-2,8-9,12 1 Cor 3:9c-11,16-17 Jn 2:13-22

10	Fri		St. Leo the Great, pope, doctor (Mem) Rom 15:14-21 Lk 16:1-8
11	Sat		St. Martin of Tours, bishop (Mem) Rom 16:3-9,16,22-27 Lk 16:9-15

Psalter Week 4

12	Sun		Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time Wis 6:12-16 1 Th 4:13-18 or 4:13-14 Mt 25:1-13 <i>Fr. John Dooley (HIB) † 2022</i>
13	Mon		St. Stanislaus Kostka, patron of Jesuit novices (Mem) Mem: 2 Pet 1:2-11 Lk 2:41-51 Ord: Wis 1:1-7 Lk 17:1-6
14	Tue		St. Joseph Pignatelli, Jesuit priest (Mem) Mem: 2 Cor 4:7-15 Mt 10:16-23 Ord: Wis 2:23-3:9 Lk 17:7-10
15	Wed		Of the day Wis 6:1-11 Lk 17:11-19 St. Albert the Great, bishop, doctor (Opt Mem)
16	Thu		Of the day Wis 7:22b-8:1 Lk 17:20-25 Sts. Roch Gonzalez, John del Castillo, and Alphonsus Rodriguez, Jesuit priests, martyrs of Paraguay; Bl Giovanni Antonio Solinas, Jesuit priest, martyr of Argentina (Opt Mem) St. Margaret of Scotland (Opt Mem) St. Gertrude, virgin (Opt Mem) <i>Fr. John Fairhurst (BRI) † 2021</i>
17	Fri		St. Elizabeth of Hungary, religious (Mem) Wis 13:1-9 Lk 17:26-37 <i>Fr. Jeremiah O'Connell (ZAM) † 2020</i>
18	Sat		Of the day Ord: Wis 18:14-16,19:6-9 Lk 18:1-8 Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul (Opt Mem) Opt Mem: Acts 28:11-16, 30-31 Matt 14:22-33 <i>Br. Narciso Mariano Belo (ZIM) † 2019</i>

Psalter Week 1

19	Sun		Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time Prov 31:10-13,19-20,30-31 1 Th 5:1-6 Mt 25:14-30 (or 25:14-15,19-21) <i>World Day of the Poor</i> <i>Br. James Lee (UWE) † 2020</i>
20	Mon		Of the day 1 Macc 1:10-15,41-43,54-57,62-63 Lk 18:35-43

21	Tue		The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Mem) Zech 2:14-17 Mt 12:46-50
22	Wed		St. Cecilia, virgin, martyr (Mem) 2 Macc 7:1,20-31 Lk 19:11-28
23	Thu		Of the day 1 Macc 2:15-29 Lk 19:41-44 Bl. Miguel Agustín Pro, Jesuit priest, martyr of Mexico; Emilio Moscoso, Jesuit priest, martyr of Ecuador; Bls Rutilio Grande, Jesuit priest, Manuel Solórzano and Nelson Rutilio Lemus. Lay companions, martyrs of El Salvador (Opt Mem) St. Clement I, pope, martyr (Opt Mem) St. Columban, abbot (Opt Mem)
24	Fri		St. Andrew Dung-Lac and comp., martyrs (Mem) 1 Macc 4:36-37,52-59 Lk 19:45-48
25	Sat		Of the day 1 Macc 6:1-13 Lk 20:27-40 St. Catherine of Alexandria, virgin, martyr (Opt Mem) <i>Johannesburg: Dedication of the Cathedral of Christ the King (1960) (Feast)</i>

Psalter Week 2 (Week 34 in Ordinary Time)

26	Sun		Christ the King Ez 34:11-12,15-17 1 Cor 15:20-26,28 Mt 25:31-46 <i>World Youth Day</i>
27	Mon		Of the day Dan 1:1-6,8-20 Lk 21:1-4 <i>Lilongwe: Installation of Archbishop George Desmond Tambala, O.C.D. (2021)</i>
28	Tue		Of the day Dan 2:31-45 Lk 21:5-11
29	Wed		Of the day Dan 5:1-6,13-14,16-17,23-28 Lk 21:12-19 Bl. Bernardo de Hoyos, Spanish Jesuit priest (Opt Mem)
30	Thu		St. Andrew , Apostle (Feast) Rom 10:9-18 Mt 4:18-22

December

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For persons with disabilities: We pray that people living with disabilities may be at the centre of attention in society, and that institutions may offer inclusive programmes which value their active participation."

Psalter Week 2 (Week 34 in Ordinary Time)

1	Fri		Sts. Edmund Campion, Robert Southwell, priests and comp., Jesuit martyrs of England and Wales (Mem) Mem: Heb 11:32 -12:2 Jn 17:11b-19 Of the day: Dan 7:2-14 Lk 21:29-33
			South Africa: Bl. Clementine Anuarite, virgin, martyr (Opt Mem)
			<i>World AIDS Day</i>
2	Sat		Of the day Dan 7:15-27 Lk 21:34-36

GENERAL RULES FOR PRAYER OF CHURCH AND MASS

Solemnities		
<i>Prayer of the Church</i>	Evening Prayer 1	Proper or common
	Night Prayer	As for Sunday after Evening Prayer 1
	Office of Readings	Proper, <i>Te Deum</i>
	Morning Prayer	Proper with Sunday Week 1 Psalms
	Midday Prayer	Proper or common with comp. Psalms
	Evening Prayer 2	Proper or common
	Night Prayer	As for Sunday after Evening Prayer 2
<i>Mass</i>	Gloria, Creed	Sung or said
	Readings	Proper or common; 2 readings + Gospel
	Preface	Proper or common
Feasts		
<i>Prayer of the Church</i>	Office of Readings	Proper or common, <i>Te Deum</i>
	Morning Prayer	Proper or common with Sunday 1 Psalms
	Midday Prayer	Proper or common with weekday Psalms
	Evening Prayer	Proper or common
	Night Prayer	Weekday
<i>Mass</i>	Gloria	Sung or said
	Readings	Proper or common; 1 reading + Gospel on weekdays, 2 readings + Gospel on Sundays
	Preface	Proper or common
Memorials / Optional Memorials		
<i>Prayer of the Church</i>	Office of Readings	1 st from weekday 2 nd from proper
	Rest of office	From weekdays with concluding prayer from memorial unless whole office is proper.
<i>Mass</i>	Readings	Usually from the weekdays
	Preface	Common or seasonal
Sundays and weekdays		As in <i>Prayer of the Church</i> and <i>Missal</i>

1) From 17-31 December and during Lent,

Memorials may be commemorated as follows:

- a) In the Office of the Readings, after the patristic reading and its responsory, the hagiographic reading may be added with its responsory and prayer.
- b) At Morning and Evening Prayer, after the prayer of the day, the prayer of the memorial may be added.
- c) At Mass, the opening prayer of the memorial may replace that of the day.

- 2) **Votive Masses** may be celebrated on weekdays in Ordinary Time. However, 'when a serious need or a pastoral advantage is present, at the direction of the local Bishop or with his permission, an appropriate Mass may be celebrated on any day except on Solemnities, the Sundays of Advent and Lent, during the Easter season, Ash Wednesday and during Holy Week.

3) Readings

- a) The lectionary gives proper readings for all memorials, but these should only be used if there is some pastoral reason; the weekday reading should normally be used on a memorial since the Church desires that a richer portion of God's Word be laid before the people.
- b) A new liturgical calendar for the Society of Jesus was approved by the Congregation of Divine Worship on 22 October 2012. This is reflected in this present liturgical calendar. Specific readings are given for Jesuit solemnities, feasts and memorials; for Jesuit optional memorials, the readings are taken from the common. The weekday readings are listed together with the Jesuit memorial readings and alone for the optional memorial. Also note that the readings for Jesuit saints who are celebrated on the universal calendar are now the same as those selected for the universal calendar.

4) Solemnities celebrated on a Sunday

- a) Malawi: Epiphany, Ascension, The Body and Blood of Christ
- b) Mozambique: Epiphany, Ascension, The Body and Blood of Christ
- c) South Africa: Epiphany, Ascension, The Body and Blood of Christ, All Saints
- d) Zambia: Epiphany, Ascension, The Body and Blood of Christ
- e) Zimbabwe: Epiphany, Ascension, The Body and Blood of Christ, Assumption of the BVM, All Saints

5) Holidays of Obligation

- a) Malawi: All Sundays, Christmas
- b) Mozambique: All Sundays, Christmas, Mary, Mother of God
- c) South Africa: All Sundays, Christmas
- d) Zambia: All Sundays, Christmas
- e) Zimbabwe: All Sundays, Christmas, Mary, Mother of God

6) The four Masses to be offered each month by every Jesuit

- a) For Fr. General's Intentions
- b) For deceased members of the Society of Jesus
- c) For our benefactors
- d) For the needs of the Church and the Society

7) Days of Abstinence

- a) Malawi: Ash Wednesday and Good Friday
- b) Mozambique: Ash Wednesday and all Fridays
- c) South Africa: Ash Wednesday and Good Friday
- d) Zambia: Ash Wednesday and Good Friday
- e) Zimbabwe: Ash Wednesday and all Fridays (Substitution is allowed)

8) Days of Fasting

- a) Ash Wednesday and Good Friday

9) Special Sundays in the universal calendar as noted in the liturgical calendar.

- a) Sunday of the Word of God, 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (since 2020)
- b) World Leprosy Day, Last Sunday of January (since 1953)
- c) Divine Mercy Sunday, Second Sunday of Easter (since 2000)
- d) World Day for Prayers for Priestly and Religious Vocations, 4th Sunday of Easter (since 1963)
- e) World Communications Day, Sunday before Pentecost (since 1967)
- f) Sea Sunday, 2nd Sunday of July (since 1920)
- g) World Day for Grandparents and Elderly, 4th Sunday of July (since 2021)
- h) World Day of Migrants and Refugees, last Sunday of September (since 1914)
- i) World Food Day, 16th October (since 1981)
- j) World Mission Sunday, Penultimate Sunday of October (since 1926)
- k) World Day of the Poor, 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (since 2017)
- l) World Youth Day, Christ the King Sunday (since 1986)

10) Other Special days in the universal calendar as noted in the liturgical calendar.

- a) World Day of Peace, 1st January (since 1967)
- b) World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life, 2nd February (since 1997)
- c) International Day of Human Fraternity, 4th February (since 2010)
- d) International Day of Prayer and Awareness Against Human Trafficking, 8th February, Feast of St. Josephine Bakhita (since 2015)
- e) World Day of Prayer for the Sick, 11th February (since 1992)
- f) International Women's Day, 8th March (since 1977)
- g) Day of Prayer for the Church in China, 24th May (since 2008)
- h) World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, 1st September (since 2015)
- i) World Tourism Day, 27th September (since 1980)

11) Recent African Saints and Blesseds not in the universal calendar.

- a) 20 JanuaryBl. Cyprian Michael Tansi, priest (Nigeria)
- b) 1 FebruaryBl. Benedict Daswa (South Africa)
- c) 12 August.....Bl. Isidore Bakanja, martyr (DRC)
- d) 18 August.....Bl. Victoria Rasoamanarivo, widow (Madagascar)
- e) 10 OctoberSt. Daniel Comboni, bishop, (Central-Eastern Africa)
- f) 20 OctoberBls. Daudi Okelo and Jildo Irwa, martyrs (Uganda)
- g) 1 DecemberBl. Clementine Anuarite, virgin, martyr (DRC)

12) Sunday Precedence

- a) The local church celebration of the *Dedication of the Cathedral* on 16 and 30 April will need to be transferred as per the local Church calendar as the Sunday celebration always takes precedence. The same would be true for the Society's Feast of All Saints and Blessed of the Society on 5 November.

ABBREVIATIONS OF THE BOOKS OF THE BIBLE

OLD TESTAMENT

Genesis.....	Gen	Proverbs	Prov
Exodus.....	Ex	Ecclesiastes.....	Eccl
Leviticus	Lev	Song of Songs.....	Cant
Numbers	Num	Wisdom (of Solomon)	Wis
Deuteronomy	Deut	Sirach	Sir
Joshua	Josh	Isaiah	Is
Judges	Judg	Jeremiah	Jer
Ruth	Ruth	Lamentations	Lam
1 Samuel.....	1 Sam	Baruch	Bar
2 Samuel.....	2 Sam	Ezekiel	Ezek
1 Kings.....	1 Kgs	Daniel	Dan
2 Kings.....	2 Kgs	Hosea	Hos
1 Chronicles	1 Chr	Joel	Joel
2 Chronicles	2 Chr	Amos	Amos
Ezra.....	Ez	Obadiah	Obad
Nehemiah.....	Neh	Jonah	Jonah
Tobit.....	Tob	Micah	Mic
Judith	Jdt	Nahum	Nah
Esther.....	Esth	Habakkuk.....	Hab
1 Maccabees.....	1 Macc	Zephaniah.....	Zeph
2 Maccabees.....	2 Macc	Haggai	Hag
Job	Job	Zechariah.....	Zech
Psalms	Ps (pl. Pss)	Malachi	Mal

NEW TESTAMENT

Matthew	Mt	2 Timothy	2 Tim
Mark	Mk	Titus	Titus
Luke	Lk	Philemon.....	Phlm
John	Jn	Hebrews.....	Heb
Acts of the Apostles	Acts	James	Jas
Romans.....	Rom	1 Peter	1 Pet
1 Corinthians.....	1 Cor	2 Peter	2 Pet
2 Corinthians.....	2 Cor	1 John	1 Jn
Galatians.....	Gal	2 John	2 Jn
Ephesians	Eph	3 John	3 Jn
Philippians.....	Phil	Jude	Jude
Colossians	Col	Revelation (to John).....	Rev
1 Thessalonians.....	1 Thess		
2 Thessalonians.....	2 Thess		
1 Timothy	1 Tim		

LIST OF INTERNATIONAL DAYS AND WEEKS

January

- 01 World Day of Peace
- 04 World Braille Day
- 24 International Day of Education
- 24 World Day for African Culture and People of African Descent
- 27 International Day of Commemoration in Memory of the Victims of the Holocaust

February

- 01 World Interfaith Harmony Week
- 02 World Wetlands Day
- 04 International Day of Human Fraternity
- 06 International Day of Zero Tolerance to Female Genital Mutilation
- 10 World Pulses Day
- 11 International Day of Women and Girls in Science
- 13 World Radio Day
- 20 World Day of Social Justice
- 21 International Mother Language Day

March

- 01 Zero Discrimination Day
- 03 World Wildlife Day
- 08 International Women's Day
- 10 International Day of Women Judges
- 20 International Day of Happiness
- 20 French Language Day
- 21 International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
- 21 Week of Solidarity with the Peoples Struggling against Racism and Racial Discrimination
- 21 World Poetry Day
- 21 International Day of Nowruz
- 21 World Down Syndrome Day
- 21 International Day of Forests
- 22 World Water Day

- 23 World Meteorological Day
- 24 International Day for the Right to the Truth concerning Gross Human Rights Violations and for the Dignity of Victims
- 24 World Tuberculosis Day
- 25 International Day of Remembrance of the Victims of Slavery and the Transatlantic Slave Trade
- 25 International Day of Solidarity with Detained and Missing Staff Members

April

- 02 World Autism Awareness Day
- 04 International Day for Mine Awareness and Assistance in Mine Action
- 05 International Day of Conscience
- 06 International Day of Sport for Development and Peace
- 07 International Day of Reflection on the 1994 Genocide against the Tutsi in Rwanda
- 07 World Health Day
- 12 International Day of Human Space Flight
- 14 World Chagas Disease Day
- 20 Chinese Language Day
- 21 World Creativity and Innovation Day
- 22 International Girls in ICT Day
- 22 International Mother Earth Day
- 23 World Book and Copyright Day
- 23 English Language Day
- 23 Spanish Language Day
- 24 World Immunization Week [WHO]
- 24 International Day of Multilateralism and Diplomacy for Peace
- 25 World Malaria Day
- 25 International Delegate's Day
- 26 World Intellectual Property Day
- 26 International Chernobyl Disaster Remembrance Day

- 28 World Day for Safety and Health at Work
- 30 International Jazz Day

May

- 01 World Worker's Day
- 02 World Tuna Day
- 03 World Press Freedom Day
- 05 World Portuguese Language Day
- 08 World Migratory Bird Day
- 08 Time of Remembrance and Reconciliation for Those Who Lost Their Lives During the Second World War
- 10 International Day of Argania
- 15 International Day of Families
- 16 International Day of Living Together in Peace
- 16 International Day of Light
- 17 World Telecommunication and Information Society Day
- 17 UN Global Road Safety Week [WHO]
- 20 World Bee Day
- 21 International Tea Day
- 21 World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development
- 22 International Day for Biological Diversity
- 23 International Day to End Obstetric Fistula
- 25 Week of Solidarity with the Peoples of Non-Self-Governing Territories
- 26 Vesak, the Day of the Full Moon
- 29 International Day of UN Peacekeepers
- 31 World No-Tobacco Day

June

- 01 Global Day of Parents
- 02 Children's Day (*Mozambique*)
- 03 World Bicycle Day
- 04 International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression
- 05 World Environment Day

- 05 International Day for the Fight against Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing
- 06 Russian Language Day
- 07 World Food Safety Day
- 08 World Oceans Day
- 12 World Day Against Child Labour
- 13 International Albinism Awareness Day
- 14 World Blood Donor Day
- 15 World Elder Abuse Awareness Day
- 16 International Day of Family Remittances
- 17 World Day to Combat Desertification and Drought
- 18 International Day for Countering Hate Speech
- 18 Sustainable Gastronomy Day
- 19 International Day for the Elimination of Sexual Violence in Conflict
- 20 World Refugee Day
- 21 International Day of Yoga
- 21 International Day of the Celebration of the Solstice
- 23 United Nations Public Service Day
- 23 International Widows' Day
- 25 Day of the Seafarer
- 26 United Nations International Day in Support of Victims of Torture
- 26 International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking
- 27 Micro-, Small and Medium-sized Enterprises Day
- 29 International Day of the Tropics
- 30 International Asteroid Day
- 30 International Day of Parliamentarism

July

- 03 International Day of Cooperatives
- 11 World Population Day
- 15 World Youth Skills Day
- 18 Nelson Mandela International Day
- 20 World Chess Day

- 25....World Drowning Prevention Day
- 28....World Hepatitis Day
- 30....International Day of Friendship
- 30....World Day against Trafficking in Persons

August

- 01....World Breastfeeding Week [WHO]
- 09....International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples
- 12....International Youth Day
- 19....World Humanitarian Day
- 21....International Day of Remembrance and Tribute to the Victims of Terrorism
- 22....International Day Commemorating the Victims of Acts of Violence Based on Religion or Belief
- 23....International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and Its Abolition
- 29....International Day against Nuclear Tests
- 30....International Day of the Victims of Enforced Disappearances
- 31....International Day for People of African Descent

September

- 05....International Day of Charity
- 07....International Day of Clean Air for Blue Skies
- 08....International Literacy Day
- 09....International Day to Protect Education from Attack
- 12....United Nations Day for South-South Cooperation
- 15....International Day of Democracy
- 16....International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer
- 17....World Patient Safety Day
- 18....International Equal Pay Day
- 21....International Day of Peace

- 23....International Day of Sign Languages
- 26....International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons
- 27....World Tourism Day
- 28....International Day for Universal Access to Information
- 28....World Rabies Day
- 29....International Day of Awareness of Food Loss and Waste
- 30....World Maritime Day
- 30....International Translation Day

October

- 01....International Day of Older Persons
- 02....World Statistics Day
- 02....International Day of Non-Violence
- 04....World Habitat Day
- 04....World Space Week
- 05....World Teachers' Day
- 07....World Cotton Day
- 09....World Migratory Bird Day
- 09....World Post Day
- 10....World Mental Health Day
- 11....International Day of the Girl Child
- 13....International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction
- 15....International Day of Rural Women
- 16....World Food Day
- 17....International Day for the Eradication of Poverty
- 24....Global Media and Information Literacy Week
- 24....United Nations Day
- 24....Disarmament Week
- 24....World Development Information Day
- 27....World Day for Audiovisual Heritage
- 31....World Cities Day

November

- 02....International Day to End Impunity for Crimes against Journalists

- 05World Tsunami Awareness Day
- 06International Day for Preventing the Exploitation of the Environment in War and Armed Conflict
- 09International Week of Science and Peace
- 10World Science Day for Peace and Development
- 13World Antibiotic Awareness Week, 13-19 November [WHO]
- 14World Diabetes Day
- 16International Day for Tolerance
- 18World Philosophy Day
- 19World Toilet Day
- 20Africa Industrialization Day
- 20World Children's Day
- 21World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims
- 21World Television Day
- 25International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women
- 29International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People
- 30Day of Remembrance for all Victims of Chemical Warfare

December

- 01World AIDS Day
- 02International Day for the Abolition of Slavery
- 03International Day of Persons with Disabilities
- 04International Day of Banks
- 05International Volunteer Day for Economic and Social Development
- 05World Soil Day
- 07International Civil Aviation Day
- 09International Day of Commemoration and Dignity of the Victims of the Crime of

- Genocide and of the Prevention of this Crime
- 09International Anti-Corruption Day
- 10Human Rights Day
- 11International Mountain Day
- 12International Day of Neutrality
- 12International Universal Health Coverage Day
- 18International Migrants Day
- 18Arabic Language Day
- 20International Human Solidarity Day
- 27International Day of Epidemic Preparedness

List of International Decades

- 2022-2032** International Decade of Indigenous Languages
- 2021-2030** Second Decade of Action for Road Safety
- 2021-2030** United Nations Decade of Healthy Ageing
- 2021-2030** United Nations Decade on Ecosystem Restoration
- 2021-2030** United Nations Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development
- 2019-2028** Nelson Mandela Decade of Peace
- 2019-2028** United Nations Decade of Family Farming
- 2018-2028** International Decade for Action "Water for Sustainable Development"
- 2018-2027** Third United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty
- 2016-2025** United Nations Decade of Action on Nutrition
- 2016-2025** Third Industrial Development Decade for Africa
- 2015-2024** International Decade for People of African Descent
- 2014-2024** United Nations Decade of Sustainable Energy for All

NOTES

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