

RCIA CALENDAR—CYCLE B

November 29, 2020—November 28, 2021

(First Sunday of Advent through the Feast of Christ the King)

November 29. . . . .	Be On the Lookout! Is. 63:16-19-64:2-7; 1 Cor. 1:3-9; Mark 13:33-37 1st Sunday of Advent(November 29)	
December 6. . . . .	Giftedness, Patience, Waiting in Advent Is 40:1-5, 9-11; 2 Peter 3:8-14; Mark 1:1-8 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent (December 6)*	Nov 30-St. Andrew, Apostle Dec 3-St. Francis Xavier, Priest Dec 4-St. John Damascene, Doctor Dec 6-St. Nicholas, Bishop Dec 7-St. Ambrose, Bishop, Doctor Dec 8-Immaculate Conception Dec 9-Saint Juan Diego
December 13. . . . .	The Hope of Advent. . . Justice and Peace Is 61:1-2, 10-11; 1 Thes 5:16-24; John 1:6-8, 19-28 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent (December 13)*	Dec 11-St. Damasus I, Pop Dec 12-Our Lady of Guadalupe Dec 12-St. Jane Frances de Chantal Dec 13-St. Lucy, Virgin, Martyr Dec 14-St. John of the Cross, Doctor Dec 21-St. Peter Canisius, Doctor Dec 23-St. John of Kanty, Priest Dec 26-St. Stephen, 1 <sup>st</sup> Martyr
<b>December 8. . . . .</b>	<b>Feast of the Immaculate Conception*</b>	<b>Holy Day of Obligation*</b>
December 20. . . . .	Advent—Revelation and Discipleship 2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8-12, 14, 16; Rm 16:25-27; Luke 1:26-38 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent (December 20)*	Dec 27-St. John, Apostle, Evangelist Dec 28-Holy Innocents, Martyrs <b>Jan 3—Solemnity of the Epiphany*</b> Dec 29-St. Thomas Becket, Bishop Dec 30-Feast of the Holy Family Dec 31-St. Sylvester I, Pope
December 24. . . . .	The Nativity of our Lord, Jesus Christ Is 62:1-5; Acts 13:16-17,22-25; Matthew 1:1-25 Christmas Eve-Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord	Jan 2-St. Basil, Bishop, Doctor Jan 2-St. Gregory Nazianzen, Doctor Jan 4-St. Elizabeth AnnSeton Jan 5-St. John Neumann, Bishop Jan 7-St. Raymond of Penyafort Jan 13-St. Hilary, Bishop, Doctor Jan 17-St. Anthony, Abbot Jan 20-St. Fabian, Pope, Martyr Jan 20-St. Sebastian, Martyr Jan 21-St. Agnes, Virgin, Martyr Jan 22-St. Vincent, Deacon, Martyr Jan 24-St. Francis de Sales, Doctor Jan 25 Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle Jan 26-Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops Jan 27-St. Angela Merici, Virgin Jan 28-St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Doctor Jan 31-St. John Bosco, Priest Feb 2-Presentation of the Lord Feb 3-St. Blasé, Bishop, Martyr Feb 5-St. Agatha, Virgin, Martyr Feb 6-St. Paul Miki, Companions, Martyrs Feb 8-St. Jerome Emiliani Feb 10-St. Scholastica, Virgin Feb 11-Our Lady of Lourdes Feb 14-Sts. Cyril, Monk-Methodius, Bish. Feb 17- Seven Servite Order Founders Feb 21-St. Peter Damian, Bishop, Doctor Feb 22-Chair of St. Peter, Apostle Feb 23-St. Polycarp, Bishop, Martyr.
December 27. . . . .	NO RCIA Lesson <b>CHRISTMAS EVE THROUGH EPIPHANY—The Christmas Season</b> <b>December 25—Christmas* January 1—Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God*</b>	
January 3. . . . .	Epiphany—Baptism of the Lord Lessons	
January 17. . . . .	Vocation to the Priesthood—Marriage Vocation 1 Samuel 3:3-10, 19; 1 Corinth 6:13-15, 17-20; John 1:35-42 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (January 17)*	
January 24. . . . .	All Called to Holiness—Nourished by the Mass Jonah 3:1-5, 10; 1 Corinth 7:29-31; Mark 1:14-20 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (January 24)*	
January 31. . . . .	Reconciliation—Spiritual Direction Deuteronomy 18:15-20; 1 Corinth 7:32-35; Mark 1:21-28 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (January 31)*	
<b>January 31. . . . .</b>	<b>Rite of Acceptance (8:30 &amp; 12:30 Masses)</b>	
February 7. . . . .	Jesus, the Healer Job 7:1-4, 6-7; 1 Corinth 9:16-19, 22-23; Mark 1:29-39 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (February 7)*	
February 14. . . . .	Our Catholic Creed—Our Catholic Traditions Lev 13:1-2, 44-46; 1 Corinth 10:31-11:1; Mark 1:40-45 6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (February 14)*	
February 14. . . . .	(Rite of Sending-TBA)	
February 17. . . . .	Ash Wednesday Joel 2:12-18; 2 Corinth 5:20-6:2; Mt. 6:1-6, 6-18	
February 21. . . . .	(Rite of Election-TBA)	
February 21. . . . .	With Jesus, We Rise to New Way of Life Gen. 9:8-15; 1 Peter 3:18-22; Mark 1:12-15 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent(February 21)*	
February 28. . . . .	Transfiguration and Transformation Gen. 22:1-2, 9-18; Rom 8:31-34; Mark 9:2-10 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent(February 28)*	

**February 26. . . . .Rite of Election (2 pm Cathedral) Catechumens and Candidates (not held, Covid)**

February 29. . . . .Transfiguration & Transformation---Church's Teaching on Purgatory

Gen 22:1-2, 9-13, 15-18; Romans 8:31-34; Mark 9:2-10  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent (March 4)\*

March 3-St. Katharine Drexel  
March 4-St. Casimir

**March 4. . . . . Dismissal for the Elect (those chosen for Baptism)**

March 7-Sts. Perpetua, Felicity  
March 8-St. John of God  
March 9-St. Frances of Rome

March 7. . . . . I Thirst For You

Exodus 17:3-7 ; Romans 5:1-2, 5-8 ; John 4:5-42 (Cycle A)  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent (March 11)\*

March 17-St. Patrick  
March 18-St. Cyril of Jerusalem  
March 19-St. Joseph

**March 11. . . . . First Scrutiny: Elect, Cand & Sponsors**

6 pm RCIA Room, 7 pm Mass  
**Dismissal for the Elect (those chosen for Baptism)**

March 23-St. Turibius de Mogrovejo  
March 25-Annunciation of the Lord

**March 19. . . . . Presentation of the Creed: Elect & Sponsors**

6 pm Mass, RCIA Room

March 14. . . . . Personal and Social Sin, Social Responsibility

1 Samuel 16:1, 6-7, 10-13; Eph. 5:8-14; John 9:1-41 (Cycle A)  
4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent (March 18)\*

**March 18. . . . . Second Scrutiny: Elect, Cand & Sponsors**

6 pm RCIA Room, 7 pm Mass  
**Dismissal for the Elect (those chosen for Baptism)**

March 21. . . . . The Promise of Resurrection

Ex 37:12-14; Rm 8:8-11; John 11:1-45 (Cycle A)  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent (March 25)\*

April 2-St. Francis of Paola, Hermit  
April 4-St. Isidore, Bishop, Doctor  
April 5-St. Vincent Ferrer, Priest

**March 25. . . . . Third Scrutiny: Elect, Cand & Sponsors**

9:30 am RCIA Room, 10:30 Mass  
**Dismissal for the Elect (those chosen for Baptism)**

April 7-St. John Baptist de la Salle  
April 11-St. Stanislaus, Bishop, Martyr

**March 26. . . . . Presentation of the Our Father: Elect & Sponsors**

March 28. . . . . The Lamb of God. . . JESUS, our SAVIOR!

Mark 11:1-10 (Procession Gospel)  
Isaiah 50:4-7; Phil 2:6-11; Mark 14:1-15:47  
Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion (April 1)\*

**April 3. . . . . Confessions in Church after Mass-Candidates & Sponsors**

April 2-Monday of Holy Week  
April 3-Tuesday of Holy Week  
April 4-Wednesday of Holy Week  
April 5-Holy Thursday  
April 6-Good Friday

April 4. . . . . Eucharist and the Glory of the Cross

Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; 1 Cor 11:23-26; John 13:11-15; John 18:1-19:42  
Holy Thursday and Good Friday

**April 5. . . . . HOLY THURSDAY MASS, Adoration Blessed Sacrament-Elect, Cand, Sponsors-6:30**

**April 6. . . . . GOOD FRIDAY STATIONS of the CROSS-Elect, Candidates, Sponsors-5 pm**

**GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE, PROCESSION**

**April 7. . . . . Holy Saturday Retreat-Elect, Candidates, Sponsors**

Retreat, Rehearsal, Brunch, Prayer---Marian Hall 7:30 am-12:30 pm

**April 7. . . . . EASTER VIGIL---MASS of the RESURRECTION!**

**Reception of the Sacraments: Baptism, Confirmation, First Holy Communion**  
**8:30 pm Mass\*(8 pm arrival), Iglesia Santa Cruz de la Canada**

April 11. . . . . Peace Is My Gift to You (Mystagogy)

Acts 4:32-35; 1 John 5:1-6; John 20:19-31, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter & Divine Mercy Sunda

April 18. . . . . The Mission and Witness of Catholic Christians (Mystagogy)

Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; 1 John 2:1-5; Luke 24:35-48  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter(April 22)\*

April 13-St. Martin I, Pope, M  
April 21-St. Anselm  
April 23-St. George, Martyr  
April 24-St. Fidelis, Priest, M

April 25. . . . . Jesus the Good Shepherd---Who do YOU say I Am?(Mystagogy)

Acts 4:8-12; 1 John 3:1-2; John 10:11-18  
4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter(April 29)\*

April 25-St. Mark, Evangelist  
April 28-St. Peter Chane

May 2. . . . . Discipleship—the Body of Christ(Mystagogy)  
Acts 9:26-31; 1 John 3:18-24; John 15:1-8  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter(May 6)\*

May 9. . . . . Christ has Died, Christ IS Risen, Christ Will Come Again(Mystagogy)  
Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; 1 John 4:7-10; John 15:9-17  
6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter(May 13)\*--Mother's Day

May 16. . . . . Live and Pray the Mass, Our Greatest Prayer(Mystagogy)  
Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; 1 John 4:11-16; John 17:11-19  
7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter(May 20)\* & Celebration of the Ascension of our Lord!

May 23. . . . . The Feast of Pentecost—the Birthday of the Church(Mystagogy)  
Acts 2:1-11; 1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13; John 20:19-23  
Pentecost Sunday (May 27)\*

May 27. . . . . Mass on Pentecost Sunday  
**Presentation of Certificates, End of Mystagogy**

May 30. . . . . The Most Holy Trinity—All Christians are Unified  
Deut. 4:32-34, 39-40; Romans 8:14-17; Matthew 28:16-20  
The Most Holy Trinity (June 3)\*

June 6. . . . . The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ  
Exodus 24:3-8; Hebrews 9:11-15; Mark 14:12-16, 22-26  
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (June 10)\*

June 13. . . . . The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, The Immaculate Heart of Mary  
Hosea 11:1, 3-4, 8-9, Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; John 19:31-37  
1 Kings 19:19-21, Luke 2:41-51  
Ez. 17:22-24; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10; Mark 4:26-34\*

June 20. . . . . NO RCIA(Sunday Mass-June 24-Nativity of St. John the Baptist)\*

June 27. . . . . NO RCIA(Sunday Mass-July 1)\*

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July 11. . . . . NO RCIA(Sunday Mass-July 15)\*

July 18. . . . . The Compassion of God—Love One Another  
Jeremiah 23:1-6; Ephesians 2:13-18; Mark 6:30-34  
16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time(July 22)\*

July 25. . . . . Responsibility to the Poor—World Hunger  
2 Kings 4:42-44; Ephesians 4:1-6; John 6:1-15  
17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time(July 29)\*

August 1. . . . . Conversion and Worship  
Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15; Ephesians 4:17, 20-24; John 6:24-35  
18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time(August 5)\*

August 8. . . . . The Eucharist—Christ's Real Presence  
1 Kings 9:4-8; Ephesians 4:30-5:2; John 6:41-51  
19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time(August 12)\*

August 15, 22, 29. .NO RCIA (Sunday Mass August 12, 19, 26)\*

April 29-St. Catherine of Siena,  
Virgin & Doctor

April 30-St. Pius V, Pope

May 1-St. Joseph the Worker

May 2-St. Athanasius, B & Dr.

May 3-Sts. Philip & James, Ap.

May 12-Sts. Nereus, Achilleus

May 12-St. Pancras, Martyr

May 14-St. Matthias, Apostle

May 15-St. Isidore

May 17-ASCENSION!!!

May 18-St. John I, Pope, Mar

May 20-St. Bernardine

May 25-Ven. Bede, Priest, Dr.

May 25-St. Gregory VII, Pope

May 25-St. M.Magdalene Pazzi

May 26-St. Philip Neri, Priest

May 27-St. Augustine Canter.

May 31-Visitation of the BVM

June 1-St. Justin, Martyr

June 2-Sts. Marcellinus, Peter

June 3-St. Charles Lwanga

Companions, Mar

June 5-St. Boniface, Bishop, M

June 6-St. Norbert, Bishop

June 9-St. Ephrem, Deacon, Dr

June 11-St. Barnabas, Apostle

June 13-St. Anthony, Priest, Dr

June 19-St. Romuald, Abbot

June 21-St. Aloysius Gonzaga

June 22-St. Paulinus, Bishop

June 22-St. John Fisher, Bishop

June 22-St. Thomas More, M

June 27-St. Cyril, Bishop, Dr.

June 28-St. Irenaeus, Bish., M

June 29-Sts. Peter & Paul

June 30-1<sup>st</sup> Martyrs, Rome

July 3-St. Thomas, Apostle

July 4-St. Elizabeth, Portugal

July 5-St. Anthony Zaccaria

July 6-St. Maria Goretti

July 11-St. Benedict, Abbot

July 13-St. Henry

July 14-St. Camillus de Lellis

July 15-St. Bonaventure, B & Dr

July 16-OLof Mt. Carmel

July 21-St. Lawrence Brindisi D

July 22-St. Mary Magdalene

July 23-St. Bridget, Religious

July 25-St. James, Apostle

July 26-Sts. Joachim & Anne

July 29-St. Martha

July 30-St. Peter Chrysologus

July 31-St. Ignatius of Loyola

Aug 1-St. Alphonsus Liguori

Aug 4-St. John Vianney

Aug 6-Transfiguration

Aug 7-St. Sixtus II, Cajetan

Aug 8-St. Dominic, Priest

Aug 10-St. Lawrence

September 1. . . Healing & Compassion to the Disabled

Is 35:4-7; James 2:1-5; Mark 7:31-37  
23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (September 5)\*

September 8. . . Faith and Works

Isaiah 50:4-9; James 2:14-18; Mark 8:27-35  
24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (September 12)\*

September 15. . .Suffering and Death

Wisdom 2:12, 17-20; James 3:16—4:3; Mark 9:30-37  
25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (September 19)\*

September 22. . .Amusing Ourselves to Death

Numbers 11:25-29; James 5:1-6; Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48  
26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (September 26)\*

September 26. . . *RITE OF ACCEPTANCE—7 pm Mass (8:30 Spanish Journeyers)*

September 29. . The Sacrament of Holy Matrimony—Covenant Relationship

Genesis 2:18-24; Hebrews 2:9-11; Mark 10:2-16  
27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (October 3)\*

October 6. . . . The Meaning and Prayer of the Rosary—Social Justice

Wisdom 7:7-11; Hebrews 4:12-13; Mark 10:17-30  
28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (October 10)\*

October 13. . . . The Church's Authority is Divine

Isaiah 53:10-11; Hebrews 4:14-16; Mark 10-17-30  
29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (October 17)\*

October 20. . . . Jesus—His Only Teaching on Judgment

Jeremiah 31:7-9, Hebrews 5:1-6; Mark 10:46-52  
30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (October 24)\*

October 27. . . . The Saints. . .Our Mentors—Our Heroes

Revelation 7:2-3, 9-14; 1 John 3:1-3; Matthew 5:1-12  
All Saints Day (November 1)\*  
Deuteronomy 6:2-6; Hebrews 7:23-28; Mark 12:28-34  
31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (October 31)\*

November 3. . . We Are Our Brothers' Keeper

1 Kings 17:10-16; Hebrews 9:24-28; Mark 12:38-44  
32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (November 7)\*

November 10. . . Mark's "Apocalyptic Discourse—Mark's Gospel Ends

Daniel 12:1-3; Hebrews 10:11-14, 18; Mark 13:24-32  
33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (November 14)\*

November 17. . . Feast of Our Lord, Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Daniel 7:13-14; Revelation 1:5-8; John 18:33-37  
34<sup>th</sup> Sunday, Feast of Our Lord, Jesus, King of the Universe(November 21)

NOVEMBER 24-THANKSGIVING VACATION-NO RCIA

December 1. . . . ADVENT TEACHING—PREPARATION FOR CELEBRATION OF JESUS' BIRTH

John 18:33-37; Jeremiah 33:14-16; 1 Thess. 3:12-4:2; Luke 21:25-28, 34-36-1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sundays of Advent,( 11/28, 12/05)

*The Church proclaims the whole Bible in 3 years—the Liturgical Cycle—Year A, Year B & Year C. We have just ended year B with the Mass honoring Jesus as our King on November 21. The First Sunday of Advent, November 28, is the new year of our Church's Liturgical calendar and we will study Luke's Gospel during this year's Cycle C.*

*We give you a Bible reading guide to help you grow in your love of Jesus. Learn your Catholic faith through the Bible, the teachings of the Apostles, the lives of the saints and faithful attendance at Mass. Pope Francis is a direct successor to St. Peter whom Jesus appointed to lead HIS Church. The Holy Catholic Church is of **divine** origin and has continued to bring people to Christ for 2,000 + years. Jesus remains faithful to his promise that "the gates of hell will not prevail over my church."*

August 11-St. Clare of Assisi  
August 14-St Maximilian Kolbe  
August 15-Assumption of Mary  
August 22-Queenship of Mary  
August 24-St. Bartholomew  
August 27-St. Monica  
August 28-St. Augustine  
Aug 29-Martyrdom St. John B.  
Sep. 3-St. Gregory, Pope, Dr.  
Sep. 8-Birth of Virgin Mary  
Sep. 13-St. John Chrysostom  
Sep. 14-Exaltation/Holy Cross  
Sep. 15-Our Lady of Sorrows  
Sep. 27-St. Vincent de Paul  
Sep. 29-Feast/the Archangels  
Sep. 30-St. Jerome, Priest, Dr.  
Oct 1-St. Theresa of Jesus. Dr.  
Oct 2-Feast/ Guardian Angels  
Oct 4-St. Francis of Assisi  
Oct 7-Our Lady of the Rosary  
Oct 15-St. Teresa de Avila, Dr.  
Oct 17-St. Ignatius, Bishop, Dr.  
Oct 18-St. Luke, Evangelist  
Oct 24-St. Anthony Claret  
Oct 28-Sts. Simon, Jude, Apost  
Nov. 2-All Souls Day  
Nov 3-St. Martin de Porres  
Nov 4-St. Charles Borromeo  
Nov 10-St. Leo the Great, Dr.  
Nov 11-St. Martin of Tours  
Nov 13-St. Frances Xavier Cabr.  
Nov 15-St. Albert/Great, Dr.  
Nov 17-St. Elizabeth of Hung.  
Nov 18-Ded.Church Peter/Paul  
Nov 21-Presentation of Mary  
Nov 22-St. Cecilia, Martyr  
Nov 23-BI Miguel Agusin Pro  
Nov 24-St Andrew Dung-Lac  
& Companians  
Nov 30-St. Andrew

