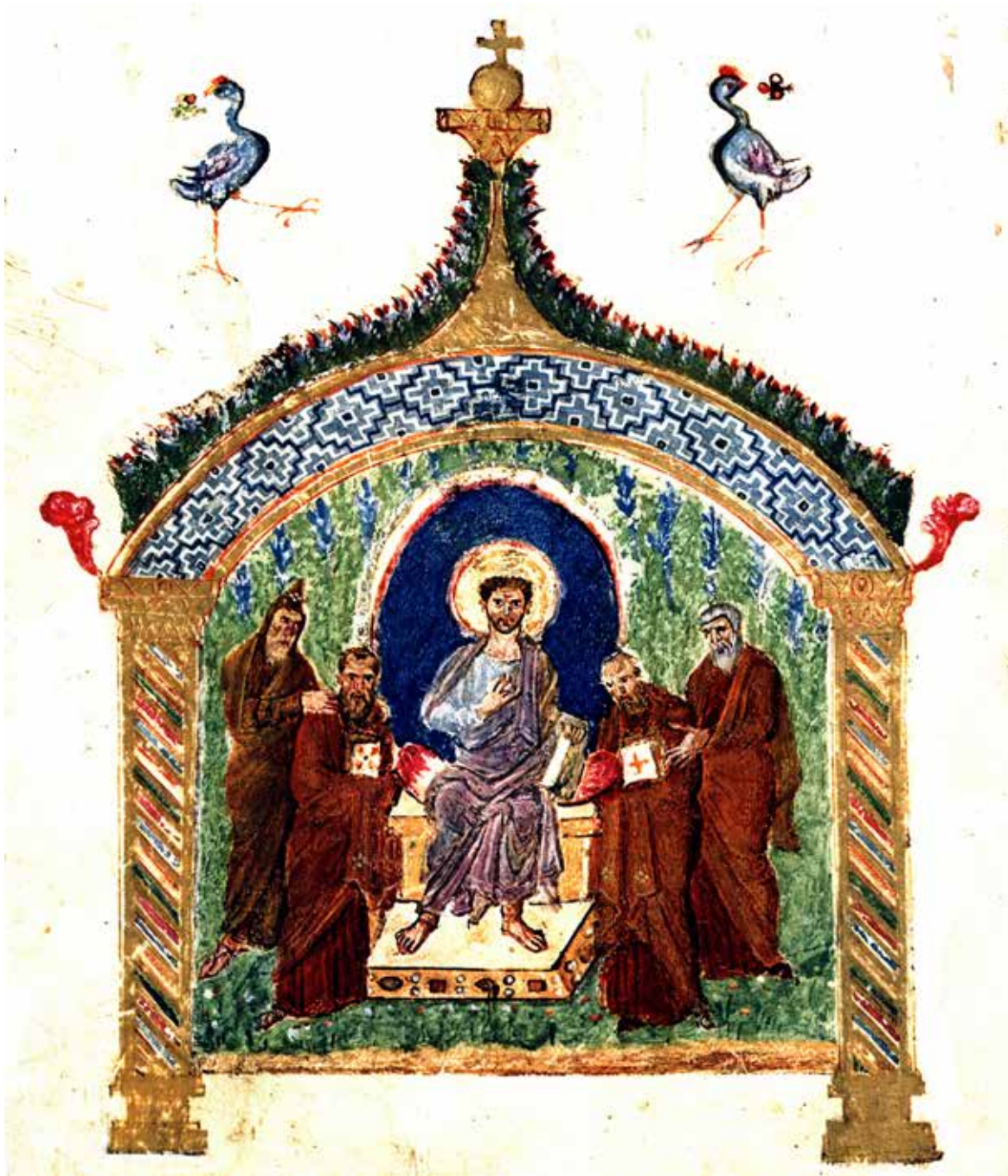


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+Nov 1 SATURDAY ALL SAINTS (RIGHTEOUS & JUST)

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Heb 12:18-24

Mt 5:1-12

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BEGINNING OF THE LITURGICAL YEAR

•WEEK OF THE CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCH (2019)

+Nov 3 SUNDAY CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCH

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Heb 9:1-12

Mt 16:13-20

Nov 4 Monday

Heb 10:11-18

Jn 17:1-8

Nov 5 Tuesday

Heb 10:19-25

Jn 17:9-13

Nov 6 Wednesday

Heb 10:26-31

Jn 17:14-19

Nov 7 Thursday

Heb 10:32-39

Jn 17:20-23

Nov 8 Friday

Rom 5:12-16

Jn 17:24-26

Nov 9 Saturday

Rom 5:17-21

Jn 15:15-21

•WEEK OF THE RENEWAL OF THE CHURCH (2019)

+Nov 10 SUNDAY RENEWAL OF THE CHURCH

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Heb 9:11-15

Jn 10:22-42

Nov 11 Monday

Heb 8:1-6

Jn 10:1-6

Nov 12 Tuesday

Heb 8:7-13

Jn 10:7-10

Nov 13 Wednesday

Heb 9:15-23

Jn 10:11-16

Nov 14 Thursday

Heb 9:24-28

Jn 10:17-21

Nov 15 Friday

Heb 10:1-10

Mk 2:18-22

Nov 16 Saturday

Heb 3:1-6

Mk 1:21-28

•WEEK OF THE ANNOUNCEMENT TO ZECHARIAH (2019)

+Nov 17 SUNDAY THE ANNOUNCEMENT TO ZECHARIAH

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Rom 4:13-25

Lk 1:1-25

Nov 18 Monday

Rom 4:1-12

Jn 8:31-37

Nov 19 Tuesday

Rom 2:1-8

Jn 8:38-40

Nov 20 Wednesday

Rom 2:9-16

Jn 8:41-45

Nov 21 Thursday

Rom 2:17-29

Jn 8:46-50

Nov 22 Friday

Rom 3:1-12

Jn 8:51-55

Nov 23 Saturday

Rom 3:21-31

Jn 8:56-59

•WEEK OF THE ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE VIRGIN (2019)

+Nov 24 SUNDAY THE ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE VIRGIN MARY

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Gal 3:15-22

Lk 1:26-38

Nov 25 Monday

Gal 3:1-6

Lk 11:27-32

Nov 26 Tuesday

Gal 3:7-14

Mt 11:25-30

Nov 27 Wednesday

Gal 3:23-29

Mt 13:54-58

Dec 26	Thursday	Praises to the Virgin Mary	Eph 1:3-14	Lk 1:46-55
Dec 27	Friday	Martyrdom of Stephen	2Cor 11:1-9	Mt 23:29-24:2
Dec 28	Saturday	Visit of the Magi	Rev 21:9-10, 21-27	Mt 2:1-12

•SUNDAY OF THE FINDING IN THE TEMPLE

+Dec 29	SUNDAY	Sunday After the Birth of Our Lord		
		<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 76	Heb 11:23-31	Mt 2:13-18
Monday	December 30	Return from Egypt to Nazareth	Acts 7:2. 30-37	Mt 2:19-23
Tuesday	December 31	The Word Became Flesh	Col 1:9b, 20	Jn 1:1-18

2020

Wednesday	January 1	FEAST OF THE CIRCUMCISION OF JESUS/ CELEBRATION OF PEACE		
		<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 97 or <i>Fenqitho</i> , page 3	Heb 7:1-10	Lk 2:21-24
Thursday	January 2	Presentation	Eph 2:11-22	Jn 14:27-31
Friday	January 3	Presentation: Simeon	Heb 7:20-28	Lk 2:25-35
Saturday	January 4	Presentation: Prophetess Anna	Heb 6:9-12	Lk 2:36-40

SEASON OF THE GLORIOUS EPIPHANY

•WEEK OF EPIPHANY (2020)

+Jan 5	SUNDAY	FINDING IN THE TEMPLE	Heb 7:11-19	Lk 2:41-52
+Jan 6	MONDAY	THE GLORIOUS EPIPHANY		
		<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 107	Tit 2:11-3:7	Lk 3:15-22
Jan 7	Tuesday	Praises to John the Baptist	Col 1:24-29	Lk 7:18-30
Jan 8	Wednesday		Col 2:1-7	Mt 3:13-17
Jan 9	Thursday		Gal 5:2-15	Jn 5:31-38
Jan 10	Friday		Gal 5:16-26	Jn 5:39-47
Jan 11	Saturday		Gal 6:11-18	Mt 11:11-15

•WEEK OF THE REVELATION OF CHRIST'S MYSTERY TO JOHN THE BAPTIST (2020)

+Jan 12	SUNDAY	FIRST SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY		
		<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 107	2Cor 10:1-11	Jn 1:29-34
Jan 13	Monday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 10:12-18	Mk 1:1-8
Jan 14	Tuesday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 11:1-6	Jn 1:19-28
Jan 15	Wednesday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 11:7-15	Jn 3:22-30
Jan 16	Thursday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 11:18, 22-30	Jn 3:31-36
Jan 17	Friday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 12:1-10	Mt 14:1-12
Jan 18	Saturday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 12:11-16	Jn 10:40-42

•WEEK OF THE REVELATION OF CHRIST'S MYSTERY TO THE APOSTLES (2020)

+Jan 19	SUNDAY	SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY		
		<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 107	2Cor 4:5-15	Jn 1:35-42
Jan 20	Monday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 1:1-11	Jn 1:43-51
Jan 21	Tuesday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 1:12-24	Lk 5:1-11
Jan 22	Wednesday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 2:1-11	Mt 4:18-25
Jan 23	Thursday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 2:12-17	Mt 9:9-13
Jan 24	Friday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 12:17-13:4	Mt 9:35-38
Jan 25	Saturday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 13:5-13	Mt 10:1-6

•WEEK OF THE REVELATION OF CHRIST'S MYSTERY TO NICODEMUS & THE JEWISH PEOPLE (2020)

+Jan 26	SUNDAY	THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY		
		<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 107	Gal 3:23-29	Jn 3:1-16
Jan 27	Monday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 4:16-5:1-5, 10	Jn 5:1-16
Jan 28	Tuesday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 5:11-21	Jn 9:1-12
Jan 29	Wednesday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 6:1-13	Jn 9:13-25
Jan 30	Thursday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 6:14-7:1	Jn 9:26-41
Jan 31	Friday	<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 117 or 128	2Cor 7:2-10	Jn 7:40-52
Feb 1	Saturday			

•WEEK OF THE REVELATION OF CHRIST'S MYSTERY TO JOHN THE BAPTIST (2020)

+Feb 2	SUNDAY	COMMEMORATION OF THE PRIESTS		
		<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 147	1Tim 4:6-16	Lk 12:42-48
		Presentation of Christ in the Temple		
		<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 138	Rom 9:30-10:4	Lk 2:22-35
Feb 3	Monday		2Tim 1:1-11	Mt 16: 24-28
Feb 4	Tuesday		2Tim 2:1-13	Mt 18:1-5
Feb 5	Wednesday		2Tim 2:14-26	Mt 20:20-28
Feb 6	Thursday		2Tim 3:10-17	Lk 17:7-10
Feb 7	Friday		2Tim 4:1-8	Lk 22:24-30
Feb 8	Saturday		Tit 1:1-9	Jn 13:13-17

•WEEK OF THE RIGHTEOUS & THE JUST (2020)

+Feb 9	SUNDAY	COMMEMORATION OF THE RIGHTEOUS & THE JUST		
		<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 157	Heb 12:18-24	Mt 25:31-46
		SAINT MARON		
		<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 678	2Tim 3:10-17	Jn 12:23-30
Feb 10	Monday		Heb 12:1-13	Mt 5:1-12
Feb 11	Tuesday		Heb 12:14-17	Mt 5:13-16
Feb 12	Wednesday		Heb 12:25-29	Mt 5:17-20
Feb 13	Thursday		Heb 13:1-8	Mt 5:21-26
Feb 14	Friday		Heb 13:9-16	Mt 5:27-37
Feb 15	Saturday		Heb 13:17-25	Mt 5:38-48

•WEEK OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED (2020)

+Feb 16	SUNDAY	COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED		
		<i>Book of Offering</i> Page 166	1Thes 5:1-11	Lk 16:19-31
Feb 17	Monday		1Thes 4:13-18	Lk 12:1-7

Feb 18	Tuesday
Feb 19	Wednesday
Feb 20	Thursday
Feb 21	Friday
Feb 22	Saturday

2Thes 1:1-12	Lk 12:8-12
2Thes 2:1-12	Lk 12:13-21
2Thes 2:13-3:5	Lk 12:22-32
1Cor 15:35-44a	Lk 12:33-40
1Cor 15:51-58	Lk 12:49-59

SEASON OF GREAT LENT

•ENTRANCE INTO GREAT LENT (2020)

+Feb 23 **SUNDAY** **MIRACLE OF CANA IN GALILEE**

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Rom 14:14-23

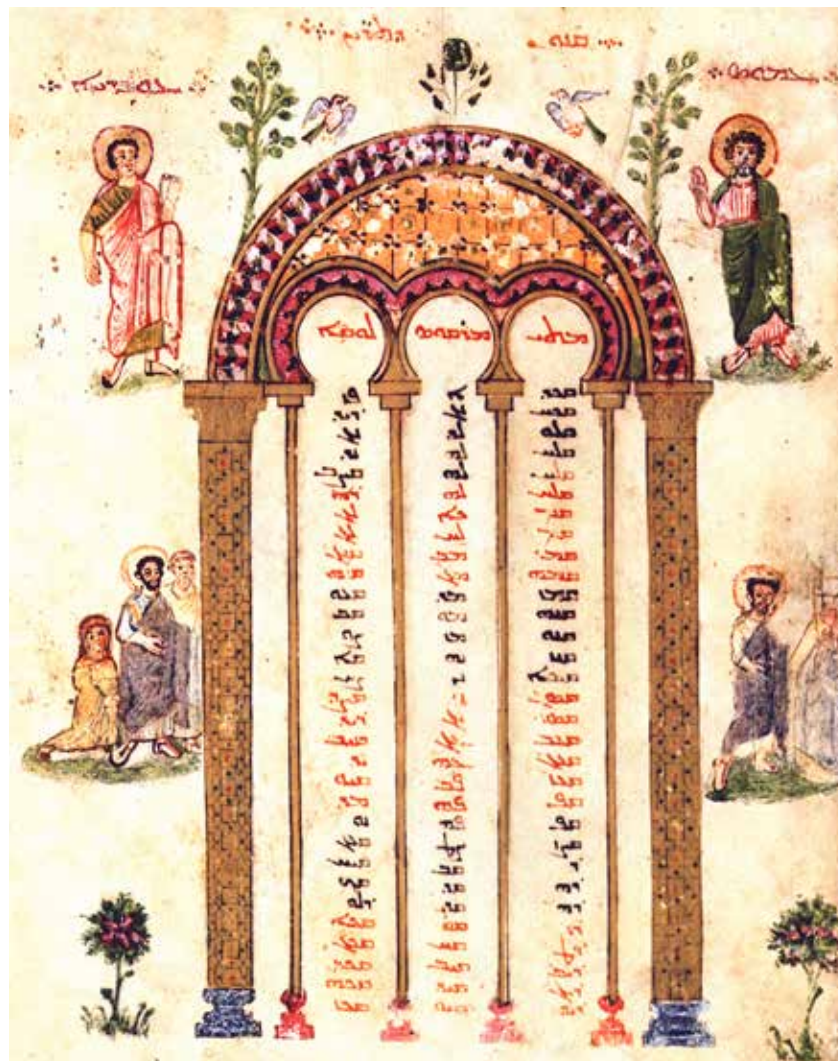
Jn 2:1-11

FEB 24TH- MARCH 14TH

FIRST WEEKDAY CYCLE OF GREAT LENT

SERVICE FOR THE FIRST THREE WEEKS OF GREAT LENT

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SANCTORAL CYCLE: FEASTS OF THE SAINTS AS LISTED IN THE 2004 BKERKE LECTIONARY & 2005 *QURBONO*

NOVEMBER

1ST FEAST OF ALL SAINTS (THE RIGHTEOUS & JUST)

1 st	Sts. Cosmos & Damien (Martyrs),	Heb 12:18-24	Mt 5:1-12
5 th	St. Asia the Just (Confessor)	Heb 12:18-24	Mt 5:1-12
8 th	St. Michael the Archangel	1Cor 9:24-27	Mt 8:14-22
10 th	St. Mora (Maura) (Confessor)	Heb 1:13-2:5	Jn 1:43-51
11 th	St. Mennas & Companions (Martyrs)	Rom 8:18-26	Jn 6:30-40
13 th	St. John Chrysostom (Confessor); <i>St. Frances Cabrini (USA)</i>	2Cor 2:12-17	Lk 11:33-36
14 th	St. Philip the Apostle	1Tim 2:1-10	Mt 5:13-17
16 th	St. Matthew the Apostle & Evangelist	2Thes 2:13-3:5	Jn 14:8-14
18 th	St. Romanos (Raymond) (Martyr)	1Tim 1:12-19	Mt 9:9-13
21 st	Presentation of Our Lady, the Virgin Mary, in the Temple	Phil 1:12-21	Lk 12:11-15
27 th	St. James the Dismembered (Martyr)	Heb 2:14-3:6	Lk 11:27-32
30 th	St. Andrew the Apostle (Confessor); St. Beshai (Confessor)	2Tim 2:8-16	Mt 10:28-33
		1Cor 1:26-31	Mt 4:18-23

DECEMBER

3 rd	St. Francis Xavier (Confessor)	2Cor 12:9-14	Mk 16:15-18
4 th	St. Barbara (Martyr)	1Cor 7:36-40	Mt 25:1-13
6 th	St. Nicholas, Bishop of Myra (Confessor)	Heb 13:7-17	Mt 25:14-30
8 th	<i>THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION</i>	Heb 7:11-17	Lk 11:27-32
14 th	St. Nemutallah El-Hardini (Confessor)	Rom 12:1-8	Mt 4:18-25
20 th	St. Ignatius of Antioch (Martyr)	Rom 8:31-39	Jn 12:23-30

JANUARY

4 th	<i>St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (Confessor) (USA)</i>	1Cor 1:26-31	Mt 5:13-17
5 th	St. Paul, the First Hermit (Confessor)	Phil 3:7-12	Mt 11:25-30
6 th	<i>EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD</i>	Tit 2:11-3:7	Lk 3:15-22
15 th	Our Lady of the Seeds	Col 1:9-17	Lk 12:7-10
16 th	In Honor of the Chains of St. Peter	2Cor 1:3-7	Mt 16:24-28
17 th	St. Anthony the Great of the Desert (Confessor)	Eph 6:10-12	Mk 10:28-31
23 rd	Pope St. Sergius I (Confessor)	2Tim 2:14-19	Mt 24:45-51
24 th	St. Francis De Sales (Confessor)	Heb 11:1-7	Jn 8:12-20
25 th	The Conversion of St. Paul (Apostle)	Gal 1:11-17	Mt 20:1-16
28 th	St. Ephrem the Syriac (Doctor of the Church)	Heb 13:7-17	Jn 15:1-8
31 st	St. Don (John) Bosco (Confessor)	Gal 6:11-18	Jn 21:10-19

FEBRUARY

2 nd	The Presentation of Christ in the Temple	Rom 9:30-10:4	Lk 2:22-35
3 rd	Sts. Simeon the Venerable & the Prophetess Anna	2Cor 1:8-14	Lk 2:36-40
9 th	<i>St. MARON (Confessor)</i>	2Tim 3:10-17	Jn 12:23-30
19 th	The 500 Martyrs of Tyre	Rom 2:6-14	Mt 10:16-25
20 th	St. James of Cyrrhus the Hermit (Confessor)	Eph 6:10-18	Lk 12:32-34

MARCH

2 nd	St. John Maron, First Maronite Patriarch (Confessor)	Phil 1:21-30	Mt 5:13-17
3 rd	St. Thomas Aquinas (Doctor); <i>St. Katherine Drexel (USA)</i>	Col 2:1-7	Jn 6:37-44
9 th	The Forty Martyrs	2Cor 4:11-18	Lk 6:20-23
19 th	<i>St. JOSEPH FOSTER FATHER OF OUR LORD</i>	Eph 3:1-13	Mt 1:18-25
23 rd	St. Rafka (Confessor)	2Cor 1:1-7	Lk 10:38-42
25 th	Announcement to the Virgin Mary	Gal 3:15-22	Lk 1:26-38
26 th	The Archangel Gabriel (Angel)	Rev 12:7-12	Jn 1:47-51

APRIL

7 th	St. John Climacus (Confessor)	1Cor 8:1-7	Mt 23:29-36
16 th	St. Bernadette Soubirous (Confessor)	Phil 4:10-18	Lk 18:9-14
23 rd	St. George (Martyr)	2Tim 2:4-13	Jn 15:1-8
25 th	St. Mark the Evangelist (Apostle)	Col 4:5-10	Lk 10:1-7
27 th	St. Simon, Apostle—Brother of the Lord	Eph 4:10-16	Lk 6:12-19
29 th	St. Catherine of Siena (Doctor of the Church)	1Cor 7:25-34	Mt 25:1-13
30 th	St. James the Apostle, Son of Zebedee	1Cor 4:9-16	Mk 10:32-41

MAY

6 th	St. Dominic Savio (Confessor)	Heb 3:12-16	Jn 15:1-8
8 th	St. John the Evangelist (Apostle)	1Cor 1:26-31	Jn 21:20-25
9 th	Isaiah the Prophet (Confessor)	Rom 9:26-33	Lk 4:14-21
15 th	Our Lady of the Harvest	Heb 7:1-7	Mk 3:31-4:9
22 nd	St. Rita of Cascia, the Miraculous (Confessor)	Rom 15:25-33	Lk 18:31-34

JUNE

2 nd	The Four Evangelists (Apostles)	1Thes 2:1-8	Mk 16:15-20
3 rd	St. Autel (Confessor)	1Cor 1:1-10	Lk 12:22-26
6 th	St. Dorotheus, Bishop of Tyre (Martyr)	Heb 12:28-13:7	Mt 18:1-10

11 th	St. Bartholomew the Apostle	1Cor 12:28-13:7	Lk 6:12-19
13 th	St. Aqualina of Byblos (Jbeil) (Martyr)	1Cor 4:9-16	Lk 12:35-44
19 th	St. Jude Thaddeus the Apostle (Laba)	Eph 2:11-21	Jn 14:15-26
21 st	St. Louis Gonzaga (Confessor)	2Cor 8:9-17	Lk 16:10-17
22 nd	St. Eusebius of Samosata (Confessor)	Eph 4:25-5:2	Mk 11:24-26
24 th	Birth of John the Baptizer (Confessor)	Gal 4:21-5:1	Lk 1:57-66
29 th	<i>THE APOSTLES PETER & PAUL</i>	2Cor 11:21-30	Mt 16:13-20
30 th	The Twelve Apostles	Rom 10:12-21	Mt 9:36-38

JULY

1 st	<i>St. Junipero Serra, (Confessor) (USA)</i>	1Cor 1:26-31	Mt 5:13-17
10 th	The Three Massabki Martyrs	Heb 12:1-9	Lk 12:6-10
11 th	St. Benedict (Confessor)	2Thes 1:6-12	Mt 24:3-14
14 th	<i>St. Kateri Tekakwitha (Confessor) (USA)</i>	1Cor 1:26-31	Mt 5:13-17
15 th	Sts. Keryakos & Yolitta (Martyrs)	Eph 6:17-24	Mt 18:1-6
16 th	The Scapular of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Heb 7:1-7	Lk 8:16-21
17 th	St. Marina, Nun of Qannubine (Confessor)	1Cor 4:1-8	Mt 25:1-13
20 th	St. Elias (Elijah) the Prophet (Confessor)	Rom 11:1-8	Lk 4:22-30
22 nd	St. Nouhra (Martyr) & Mary Magdelene (Confessor)	2Thes 1:1-10	Mt 11:1-6
23 rd	St. Sharbel (Confessor)	Rom 8:28-39	Mt 16:36-43
24 th	St. Christina of Tyre (Martyr)	1Cor 7:36-40	Jn 15:9-16
27 th	St. Pantaleon or St. Assia (Martyr)	2Cor 4:7-15	Mt 10:28-33
31 st	350 Maronite Martyrs, Disciples of St. Maron	Rom 16:17-20	Lk 11:49-54

AUGUST

1 st	St. Shmoon & Her Sons (Martyrs)	1Cor 10:23-33	Mt 16:24-28
4 th	St. John Baptist Vianney (Curé d'Ars) (Confessor)	1Tim 2:1-11	Lk 12:35-44
6 th	Transfiguration of the Lord	2Cor 3:7-17	Mk9:1-7
7 th	St. Domitius (Doumet) Confessor	1Tim 1:12-19	Mt 6:25-34
9 th	St. Matthias the Apostle	1Cor 4:9-17	Mt 11:25-30
12 th	St. Shina (Confessor)	Heb 10:32-39	Lk 12:1-5
14 th	<i>St. Maximilian Kolbe (Martyr) (USA)</i>	Rev 7:9-17	Mt 10:16-22
15 th	<i>ASSUMPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY</i>	Rom 12:9-15	Lk 1:46-55 <i>or</i> Lk 10:38-42
16 th	St. Roch (Martyr)	Heb 11:1-7	Lk 12:35-44
23 rd	St. Isaac the Syrian (Confessor)	Heb 13:7-17	Lk 4:14-21
28 th	St. Moses the Ethiopian & St. Augustine (Confessor / Doctor)	2Tim 4:1-8	Mt 5:13-17
29 th	Beheading of John the Baptist	Heb 11:32-40	Mk 6:14-29
31 st	Sts. Abda (Martyr), Aegidius (Giles) & Zakhia (Confessors)	Eph 6:10-18	Mt 19:27-30

SEPTEMBER

1 st	St. Simon the Stylite (Confessor)	1Cor 9:24-27	Lk 18:18-30
2 nd	St. Mammas the Great (Martyr)	Rom 9:14-22	Jn 12:44-50

5 th	St. Sharbel, Bishop of Edessa & His Sister (Martyrs)	Col 1:1-9	Mt 10:28-33
6 th	St. Michael the Archangel (Angel)	Rev 12:7-12	Mt 18:1-5, 10
8 th	Birth of the Virgin Mary	2Cor 4:1-6	Lk 8:16-21
9 th	Sts. Joachim & Anna; Frederick Ozanam (Confessors)	Eph 5:22-32	Lk 3:23-38
14 th	<i>Exaltation of the Glorious Cross</i>	1Cor 1:18-25	Jn 12:20-32
15 th	Sts. Sassine & Shaina (Confessors)	1Cor 3:1-9 or Rom 2:17-25	Lk 12:35-44
16 th	St. Cyprian, Bishop of Carthage (Martyrs)	Phil 1:1-12	Lk 21:10-19
17 th	St. Sophia & Her 3 Daughters (Martyrs)	Heb 12:1-9	Mk 4:24-32
22 nd	St. Phocas & His Friends (Martyrs)	2Cor 13:5-13	Lk 21:10-19
24 th	St. Thecla (Martyrs)	2Cor 10:1-7	Mt 25:1-13

OCTOBER

1 st	St. Theresa of the Child Jesus (Confessor)	Eph 3:13-21	Lk 12:6-10
2 nd	Sts. Cyprian & Justina (Martyrs)	Heb 10:23-39	Mt 24:3-14
4 th	St. Francis of Assisi (Confessor)	Gal 6:11-18	Mt 11:25-30
7 th	Sts. Sarkis (Sergius) & Bacchus (Martyrs)	2Cor 4:7-15	Mk 13:9-13
9 th	St. James the Apostle, Brother of the Lord	2Cor 5:20-6:7	Lk 6:12-19
11 th	Saint John XXIII, Pope (Confessor)	2Tim 2:14-19	Mt 24:45-51
12 th	St. Edno & His Companions (Confessors)	Heb 7:11-17	Jn 15:1-8
14 th	St. Shaaya (Isaiah) the Monk (Confessor)	Rom 6:18-23	Mt 10:28-33
15 th	St. Theresea of Avila (Doctor of the Church)	Rom 8:22-27	Lk 10:38-42
18 th	St. Luke the Evangelist	2Cor 8:16-22	Lk 10:1-7
19 th	<i>Sts. John de Brebeuf, Isaac Jogues & Companions (Martyrs)</i>	Rev 7:9-17	Mt 10:16-22
20 th	St. Shallita (Artimeus) (Martyr)	Phil 1:21-30	Mt. 5:1-12
22 nd	St. John Paul II, Pope (Confessor)	2Tim 2:14-19	Mt 24:45-51



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