

# Year A 2022/2023

Year A focuses on the Gospel of Matthew. The semi-continuous Old Testament readings focus on major Genesis narratives, the covenant with Moses, and the establishment of Israel in the Promised Land. The second, New Testament, readings are from Romans, Philippians and 1 Thessalonians.

## Advent

Nov. 24, 2022 through Dec. 23, 2022

## Time after Epiphany

Jan. 6, 2023 through Feb. 21, 2023

## The Three Days

Apr. 6, 2023 through Apr. 8, 2023

## Time after Pentecost

June 1, 2023 through Nov. 29, 2023

## Christmas

Dec. 24, 2022 through Jan. 6, 2023

## Lent

Feb. 22, 2023 through Apr. 5, 2023

## Easter

Apr. 9, 2023 through May 31, 2023

## YEAR A 2022/2023 – Time After Pentecost



This **Church Year Calendar, Propers and Daily Lectionary** uses the *Revised Common Lectionary* as it appears in *Evangelical Lutheran Worship* (2006).

Two series of readings are available for the Time after Pentecost.

The Complementary series provides Old Testament readings and psalms chosen for their relationship to the gospels.

A Semi-continuous series provides Old Testament readings and psalms that, while not as explicitly connected to the gospels, explore many of the books and stories not covered by the Complementary series.

Scripture references are from the *New Revised Standard Version* of the Bible. The appointed psalm refrain for Sundays and festivals is from the verse in parentheses.



DAY AND DATE	FIRST READING	SECOND READING	PSALM
Thu – June 1	Job 38:1-11	2 Timothy 1:8-12a	Psalm 8
Fri – June 2	Job 38:12-21	2 Timothy 1:12b-14	Psalm 8
Sat – June 3	Job 38:22-38	John 14:15-17	Psalm 8
<b>Sunday June 4 – The Holy Trinity</b> <b>First Sunday After Pentecost</b>			
<u>Readings</u> Genesis 1:1–2:4a Psalm 8 (1) 2 Corinthians 13:11-13 Matthew 28:16-20			

Prayer of the Day

Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Or

God of heaven and earth, before the foundation of the universe and the beginning of time you are the triune God: Author of creation, eternal Word of salvation, life-giving Spirit of wisdom. Guide us to all truth by your Spirit, that we may proclaim all that Christ has revealed and rejoice in the glory he shares with us. Glory and praise to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Holy, holy, holy is the | Lord of hosts;  
God's glory fills | the whole earth. Alleluia. (Isa. 6:3)

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<b>Mon – June 5</b>	Job 38:39–39:12	1 Corinthians 12:1-3	Psalms 29
<b>Tue – June 6</b>	John 39:13-25	1 Corinthians 12:4-13	Psalms 29
<b>Wed – June 7</b>	Job 39:26–40:5	John 14:25-26	Psalms 29
<b>Thu – June 8</b>	Lamentations 1:7-11	2 Peter 2:17-22	Psalms 50:7-15
<b>Fri – June 9</b>	Lamentations 3:40-58	Acts 28:1-10	Psalms 50:7-15
<b>Sat – June 10</b>	Exodus 34:1-9	Matthew 9:27-34	Psalms 50:7-15

**Sunday June 11 - Second Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 10**

Readings

Hosea 5:15—6:6  
Psalms 50:7-15 (15)  
Romans 4:13-25  
Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

*Semi-continuous Series*

Genesis 12:1-9  
Psalms 33:1-12 (12)

Prayer of the Day

O God, you are the source of life and the ground of our being. By the power of your Spirit bring healing to this wounded world, and raise us to the new life of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. The Spirit of the Lord | is upon me;  
and has anointed me to bring good news | to the poor. Alleluia. (Luke 4:18)

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<b>Mon – June 12</b>	Leviticus 15:25-31; 22:1-9	2 Corinthians 6:14—7:2	Psalms 40:1-8
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Or

**Monday June 12 – Barnabas, Apostle (transferred)**

Readings

Isaiah 42:5-12

Psalm 112 (1)  
Acts 11:19-30; 13:1-3  
Matthew 10:7-16

Prayer of the Day

We praise you, O God, for the life of your faithful servant Barnabas, who, seeking not his own renown but the well-being of your church, gave generously of his life and possessions for the relief of the poor and the spread of the gospel. Grant that we may follow his example and by our actions give glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. This Jesus | God raised up,  
and of that all of | us are witnesses. Alleluia. (Acts 2:32)

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<b>Tue – June 13</b>	Hosea 8:11-14; 10:1-2	Hebrews 13:1-16	Psalm 40:1-8
<b>Wed – June 14</b>	Hosea 14:1-9	Matthew 12:1-8	Psalm 40:1-8
<b>Thu – June 15</b>	Exodus 4:19-23	Hebrews 3:1-6	Psalm 100
<b>Fri – June 16</b>	Exodus 4:27-31	Acts 7:35-43	Psalm 100
<b>Sat – June 17</b>	Exodus 6:28—7:13	Mark 7:1-13	Psalm 100

**Sunday June 18 - Third Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 11**

Readings

Exodus 19:2-8a  
Psalm 100 (3)  
Romans 5:1-8  
Matthew 9:35—10:8 [9-23]

*Semi-continuous Series*

*Genesis 18:1-15[21:1-7]*  
*Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19 (13)*

Prayer of the Day

God of compassion, you have opened the way for us and brought us to yourself. Pour your love into our hearts, that, overflowing with joy, we may freely share the blessings of your realm and faithfully proclaim the good news of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. The kingdom of God | has come near;  
repent, and believe in | the good news. Alleluia. (Mark 1:15)

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<b>Mon – June 19</b>	Joshua 1:1-11	1 Thessalonians 3:1-5	Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45
<b>Tue – June 20</b>	1 Samuel 3:1-9	2 Thessalonians 2:13—3:5	Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45
<b>Wed – June 21</b>	Proverbs 4:10-27	Luke 6:12-19	Psalm 105:1-11, 37-45
<b>Thu – June 22</b>	Jeremiah 18:12-17	Hebrews 2:5-9	Psalm 69:7-10 [11-15] 16-18
<b>Fri – June 23</b>	Jeremiah 18:18-23	Acts 5:17-26	Psalm 69:7-10 [11-15] 16-18
<b>Sat – Jun 24</b>	Jeremiah 20:1-6	Luke 11:53—12:3	Psalm 69:7-10 [11-15] 16-18

Or

**Saturday June 24 – John, the Baptist**

Readings

Malachi 3:1-4

Psalm 141 (8)

Acts 13:13-26

Luke 1:57-67 (68-80)

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, by your gracious providence your servant John the Baptist was born to Elizabeth and Zechariah. Grant to your people the wisdom to see your purpose and the openness to hear your will, that the light of Christ may increase in us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake,  
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Alleluia. (Matt. 5:10)

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**Sunday June 25 – Fourth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 12**

Readings

*Complementary Series*

Jeremiah 20:7-13

Psalm 69:7-10 [11-15] 16-18 (16)

Romans 6:1b-11

Matthew 10:24-39

*Semi-continuous Series*

Genesis 21:8-21

Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17 (16)

Prayer of the Day

Teach us, good Lord God, to serve you as you deserve, to give and not to count the cost, to fight and not to heed the wounds, to toil and not to seek for rest, to labor and not to ask for reward, except that of knowing that we do your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. Jesus say, The Spirit of the Lord will testify on my behalf,  
and you also are to testify. Alleluia. (John 15:26, 27)

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<b>Mon – June 26</b>	Micah 7:1-7	Revelation 2:1-7	Psalm 6
<b>Tue – June 27</b>	Jeremiah 26:1-12	Revelation 2:8-11	Psalm 6
<b>Wed – June 28</b>	Jeremiah 38:1-13	Matthew 10:5-23	Psalm 6
<b>Thu – June 29</b>	Jeremiah 25:1-7	Galatians 5:2-6	Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18

Or

**Thursday June 29 – Peter and Paul, Apostles**

Readings

Acts 12:1-11  
Psalm 87:1-3, 5-7 (3)  
2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18  
John 21:15-19

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, we praise you that your blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified you by their martyrdoms. Grant that your church throughout the world may always be instructed by their teaching and example, be knit together in unity by your Spirit, and ever stand firm upon the one foundation who is Jesus Christ our Lord, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. This Jesus | God raised up,  
and of that all of | us are witnesses. Alleluia. (Acts 2:32)

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<b>Fri – June 30</b>	Jeremiah 28:8-14	Galatians 5:7-12	Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18
<b>Sat – July 1</b>	Jeremiah 28:1-4	Luke 17:1-4	Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18

**Sunday July 2 – Fifth Sunday after Pentecost/Lectionary 13**

Readings

*Complementary Series*

Jeremiah 28:5-9  
Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18  
Romans 6:12-23  
Matthew 10:40-42

*Semi-continuous Series*

Genesis 22:1-14  
Psalm 13

Prayer of the Day

O God, you direct our lives by your grace, and your words of justice and mercy reshape the world. Mold us into a people who welcome your word and serve one another, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia. You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a | holy nation,  
in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of the one who called you out of darkness  
into his | marvelous light.. Alleluia. (1 Peter 2:9)

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<b>Mon – July 3</b>	1 Kings 21:1-16	1 Thessalonians 4:9-12	Psalm 119:161-168
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**Or**

**Monday July 3 – Thomas, Apostle**

Readings

Judges 6:36-40  
Psalm 136:1-4, 23-26 (1)  
Ephesians 4:11-16  
John 14:1-7