

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION PLANNING CALENDAR 2009-2010

DATE <i>Season</i>	SUNDAY READINGS <i>Revised Common Lectionary</i>	OBSERVANCES <i>Civic / Ecumenical</i>	CHURCH EVENT	NOTES
PENTECOST – ORDINARY TIME				
August 23 12 Pentecost	1 Kings 8:(1, 6, 10-11), 22-30, 41-43 Psalm 84 Ephesians 6:10-20 John 6:56-69			
August 30 13 Pentecost	Song of Solomon 2:8-13 Psalm 45:1-2, 7-10 James 1:17-27 Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23			
September 6 14 Pentecost	Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23 Psalm 125 James 2:1-10, (11-13), 14-17 Mark 7:24-37		Commission teachers	Labor Day – September 7 th
September 13 15 Pentecost	Proverbs 1:20-33 Psalm 19 or Wisdom 7:26-8:1 James 3:1-12 Mark 8:27-38			
September 20 16 Pentecost	Proverbs 31:10-31 Psalm 1 James 3:13-4:3, 7-8a Mark 9:30-37			
September 27 17 Pentecost	Esther 7:1-6, 9-10, 9:20-22 Psalm 124 James 5:13-20 Mark 9:38-50			
October 4 18 Pentecost	Job 1:1, 2:1-10 Psalm 26 Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12 Mark 10:2-16	World Communion Sunday		
October 11 19 Pentecost	Job 23:1-9, 16-17 Psalm 22:1-15 Hebrews 4:12-16 Mark 10:17-31			Columbus Day – October 12 th

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October 18 20 Pentecost	Job 38:1-7, (34-41) Psalm 104:1-9, 24, 37b Hebrews 5:1-10 Mark 10:35-45			
October 25 21 Pentecost	Job 42:1-6, 10-17 Psalm 34:1-8, (19-22) Hebrews 7:23-28 Mark 10:46-52	Children's Sabbath		
November 1 All Saints Day	Ruth 1:1-18 Psalm 146 Hebrews 9:11-14 Mark 12:28-34		Baptisms	Election Day – November 3 rd
November 8 23 Pentecost	Ruth 3:1-5; 4:13-17 Psalm 127 Hebrews 9:24-28 Mark 12:38-44			Veterans' Day – November 11 th
November 15 24 Pentecost	1 Samuel 1:4-20 Canticle: 1 Samuel 2:1-10 Hebrews 10:11-14, (15-18), 19-25 Mark 13:1-8			
November 22 Last Pentecost	2 Samuel 23:1-7 Psalm 132:1-13, (14-19) Revelation 1:4b-8 John 18:33-37	Christ the King		Thanksgiving Day – 26 th
ADVENT – Begin Sunday Lectionary C and Daily Office Year Two				
November 29 1 Advent	Jeremiah 33:14-16 Psalm 25:1-9 1 Thessalonians 3:9-13 Luke 21:25-36			
December 6 2 Advent	Baruch 5:1-9 or Malachi 3:1-4 Canticle 4 or Canticle 16 Philippians 1:3-11 Luke 3:1-6	Feast of St. Nicholas		

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December 13 3 Advent	Zephaniah 3:14-20 Canticle 9 Philippians 4:4-7 Luke 3:7-18			
December 20 4 Advent	Micah 5:2-5a Psalm 80:1-7 Hebrews 10:5-10 Luke 1:39-45 (46-55)			Christmas – Friday, December 25 th
CHRISTMAS				
December 27 1 Christmas	Isaiah 61:10-62:3 Psalm 147 Galatians 3:23-25; 4:4-7 John 1:1-18			
January 3 2 Christmas	Jeremiah 31:7-14 Psalm 84 Ephesians 1:2-6, 15-19a Matthew 2:13-15, 19-23			
EPIPHANY				
January 10 1 Epiphany	Isaiah 43:1-7 Psalm 29 Acts of the Apostles 8:14-17 Luke 3:15-17, 21-22	Baptism of our Lord	Baptisms	
January 17 2 Epiphany	Isaiah 62:1-5 Psalm 96 1 Corinthians 12:1-11 John 2:1-11	Ecumenical Sunday		Week of Prayer for Christian Unity MLK Day – January 18 th
January 24 3 Epiphany	Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10 Psalm 19 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a Luke 4:14-21			
January 31 4 Epiphany	Jeremiah 1:4-10 Psalm 71:1-6 1 Corinthians 14:12b-20 Luke 4:21-32	“Souper Bowl of Caring”		

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February 7 5 Epiphany	Isaiah 6:1-8 (9-13) Psalm 138 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 Luke 5:1-11	Theological Education Sunday		
February 14 Last Epiphany	Exodus 34:29-35 Psalm 99 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2 Luke 9:28-36, (37-43a)	Valentine's Day		Presidents' Day – February 15 th Shrove Tuesday – February 16 th Ash Wednesday – February 17 th
LENT				
February 21 1 Lent	Deuteronomy 26:1-11 Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16 Romans 10:8b-13 Luke 4:1-13		VBS planning	
February 28 2 Lent	Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18 Psalm 27 Philippians 3:17-4:1 Luke 13:31-35			
March 7 3 Lent	Exodus 3:1-15 Psalm 63:1-8 1 Corinthians 10:1-13 Luke 13:1-9			
March 14 4 Lent	Joshua 5:9-12 Psalm 32 2 Corinthians 5:16-21 Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32			
March 21 5 Lent	Isaiah 43:16-21 Psalm 126 Philippians 3:4b-14 John 12:1-18			
March 28 Palm Sunday	Isaiah 50:4-9a Psalm 31:9-16 Philippians 2:5-11 Luke 22:14-23:56			Maundy Thursday Good Friday Great Vigil of Easter

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EASTER				
April 4 Easter Day	Acts of the Apostles 10:34-43 or Isaiah 65:17-25 Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 1 Corinthians 15:19-26 John 20:1-18 or Luke 24:1-10			
April 11 2 Easter	Acts of the Apostles 5:27-32 Psalm 118:14-29 or Psalm 150 Revelation to John 1:4-8 John 20:19-31		Review curriculum	
April 18 3 Easter	Acts of the Apostles 9:1-6, 7-20 Psalm 30 Revelation to John 5:11-4 John 21:1-19			Earth Day – April 22 nd
April 25 4 Easter	Acts of the Apostles 9:36-43 Psalm 23 Revelation to John 7:9-17 John 10:22-30			
May 2 5 Easter	Acts of the Apostles 11:1-18 Psalm 148 Revelation to John 21:1-6 John 13:31-35			
May 9 6 Easter	Acts of the Apostles 16:9-15 Psalm 67 Revelation to John 21:10, 22-22:5 John 14:23-29 or John 5:1-9	Mother's Day		Ascension Day – May 13 th
May 16 7 Easter	Acts of the Apostles 16:16-34 Psalm 97 Revelation to John 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21 John 17:20-26	Sunday after the Ascension		

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PENTECOST				
May 23 Pentecost	Acts of the Apostles 2:1-21 Genesis 11:1-9 Psalm 104:25-35, 37 Romans 8:14-17 John 14:8-17, (25-27)		Baptisms	
TRINITY SUNDAY				
May 30 Trinity Sunday	Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31 Psalm 8 or Canticles 2 or 13 Romans 5:1-5 John 16:12-15			Memorial Day – May 31 st
PENTECOST – ORDINARY TIME				
June 6 2 Pentecost	1 Kings 17:8-16 (17-24) Psalm 146 Galatians 1:11-24 Luke 7:11-17		Recognize teachers Recognize graduates	
June 13 3 Pentecost	1 Kings 21:1-10 (11-14), 15-21a Psalm 5:1-8 Galatians 2:15-21 Luke 7:36-83			
June 20 4 Pentecost	1 Kings 19:1-4, (5-7), 8-15a Psalm 42 and Psalm 43 Galatians 3:23-29 Luke 8:26-39	Father's Day		
June 27 5 Pentecost	2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14 Psalm 77:1-2, 11-20 Galatians 5:1, 13-25 Luke 9:51-62			
July 4 6 Pentecost	2 Kings 5:1-14 Psalm 30 Galatians 6:(1-6), 7-16 Luke 10:1-11, 16-20	Independence Day		

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July 11 7 Pentecost	Amos 7:7-17 Psalm 82 Colossians 1:1-14 Luke 10:25-37			
July 18 8 Pentecost	Amos 8:1-12 Psalm 52 Colossians 1:15-28 Luke 10:38-42			
July 25 9 Pentecost	Hosea 1:2-10 Psalm 85 Colossians 2:6-15, (16-19) Luke 11:1-13			
August 1 10 Pentecost	Hosea 11:1-11 Psalm 107:1-9, 43 Colossians 3:1-11 Luke 12:12-21			
August 8 11 Pentecost	Isaiah 1:1, 10-20 Psalm 50:1-8, 23-24 Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16 Luke 12:32-40			
August 15 12 Pentecost	Isaiah 5:1-17 Psalm 80:1-2, 8-18 Hebrews 11:29-12:2 Luke 12:49-56			

Events to “plug in”:

- Teacher trainings and meetings, including regional and national workshops and conferences
- Advent & Lenten projects and events
- Christmas Pageant with rehearsals dates
- Annual Church meetings and picnics, including intergenerational events
- School vacations
- Confirmation classes and service date
- Holy Week activities
- Seasonal events: Shrove Tuesday, Ash Wednesday, Blessing of Animals, Rogation Days
- Mission Trips
- Vacation Bible School