



Liturgical Calendar 2019 (Syro-Malabar)

CMI Mission Year
(1 October 2018 to 31 October 2019)



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Mission in the World”**

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The CMI Mission Year (2018-2019) logo signifies a movement of the Spirit across the globe marked with CMI presence, and producing harvest in many folds. The dove, symbol of the Spirit, assumes the shape of a hand enshrining three stars of religious vows and ensuing missionary spirit, indicating the divine mandate and the assurance for the mission and the human response in persons acting in the world as labourers in the field of plentiful harvest. The image of the globe is shaped like a field and a seed to represent the evangelical task and potential. The rising stalks of harvest in various colours indicate the mission aspirations to produce fruits of God's Kingdom for various peoples and cultures by the CMI religious, pastoral, and missionary presence and outreach that extends "to the ends of the earth."

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January 2019

Seasons of Nativity and Epiphany

- 1 Tue Gal 6:1-10 Carry the burdens each other.
Lk 2:41-52 Child Jesus in the Temple
The Holy Name of Jesus (Circumcision)
Gen 17:1-14 The circumcision of the Israelites
Is 43:1-7 God calls us by name.
Phil 2:5-11 The name of Jesus
Mt 1:18-25 + Lk 2:21
He was named Jesus.
- New Year Day**
Eph 4:17-24 Be new creation!
Mt 6:25-34 Trust in God!
- 2 Wed 2 Cor 12:6-10 You need my grace.
Jn 6:16-24 Jesus walks on the water.
- 3 Thu **Saint Kuriakose Elias Chavara (C)**
Gen 12:1-4 God calls Abraham.
Is 44:1-4 I will bestow my grace upon your children.
1 Pet 4:12-19 Live according to God's will.
Mt 5:1-12 True happiness of the followers of Christ
- 4 Fri *First Friday*
The Divine Motherhood of Mary
Ex 15:11-21 The song of Miriam
Acts 1:12-14 Apostles in prayer together with Mary
Rom 16:17-20,25-27
God reveals the mysteries.
Lk 1:39-45 Blessed are you among women.
- 5 Sat 1 Cor 2:11-15 Spiritual discernment
Lk 12:35-40 Vigilant servant
- 6 Sun **†Epiphany: First Sunday of Epiphany**
(Day of Obligation); Syro-Malabar Mission Week Begins
Num 24:15-25 The Spirit of God came upon him.
Is 11:1-5 The Spirit of the Lord shall rest.
Tit 3:1-7 God pours out Holy Spirit upon us.
Mt 3:13-17 Baptism of Jesus
- 7 Mon Acts 14:8-15 Turn away from worthless things.
Jn 14:1-6 Jesus, the way life and truth
- 8 Tue Tit 3:8-11 Be vigilant in doing good deeds.
Lk 13:23-30 The way to salvation is narrow.

Saint Peter Thomas (C)

- Eph 2:13-22 The blood of Christ
 Jn 10:11-16 I am the good shepherd.
 9 Wed 1 Cor 6:15-20 The Temple of the Holy Spirit
 Jn 2:13-17 Do not make my Father's House a market.

Saint Andrew Corsini (C)

- Mal 2:5-7a Covenant of life and peace
 Mt 23:8-12 The greatest shall be your servant.
 10 Thu 1 Cor 2:6-10 Wisdom of God
 Lk 7:11-17 A great prophet among us

Saint John the Baptist

- Is 40:1-8 Prepare the way of the Lord.
 Acts 13:16-26 John preached a baptism of repentance.
 Eph 2:19-3:7 Saint Paul bore witness to Jesus Christ.
 Mk 6:14-29 Martyrdom of Saint John the Baptist

12 Sat *Syro-Malabar Mission Week Ends*

- Rom 9:30-33 Righteousness through faith
 Jn 10:31-39 Son does the will of the Father.

13 Sun †Second Sunday of Epiphany

- Num 10:29-36 Moses leads the people of Israel.
 Is 45:11-17 Israel is saved by the Lord.
 Heb 3:1-6 Jesus is greater than Moses.
 Jn 1:14-18 Grace and truth came through Jesus Christ.

- 14 Mon 1 Cor 11:17-22 Abuses at the Lord's Supper
 Jn 17:20-26 They may become completely one.

- 15 Tue 1 Cor 12:12-18 One body with many members
 Jn 15:1-10 Abide in my love!

- 16 Wed Eph 2:11-19 One in Christ
 Jn 21:15-19 Feed my sheep!

- 17 Thu 1 Pet 5:5-9 Entrust all the anxieties to God.
 Mk 4:35-41 Jesus has power over the wind and the sea.

18 Fri Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

- 2 Kgs 4:32-37 The child is brought to life by Elisha.
 Acts 9:36-42 Peter resuscitates Thabitha.
 2 Cor 11:21b-31 Sufferings of Paul
 Mt 16:13-19 Peter's proclamation of faith

Unity Octave Begins

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| | Eph 4:1-6 | Exhortation for unity |
| | Jn 17:6-11 | Let they may be one. |
| 19 Sat | Rom 10:10-20 | Faith and proclamation |
| | Mk 1:21-28 | Teaching with authority |
| | Saint Sebastian (20 Sunday) | |
| | Deut 32:37-43 | There is no God besides me. |
| | Is 49:1-4 | My property is God. |
| | 2 Tim 2:1-5 | The Lord's disciple should suffer. |
| | Mt 10:24-33 | Bear witness without fear. |
| 20 Sun | †Third Sunday of Epiphany | |
| | Num 11:11-20 | Moses bears the sufferings of his people. |
| | Is 45:18-46:4 | Turn to God and be saved. |
| | Heb 4:1-10 | Let us enter Lord's rest! |
| | Jn 1:29-34 | The Lamb of God takes away sins of the world. |
| 21 Mon | 1 Jn 5:1-5 | Conquer the world! |
| | Lk 12:4-12 | Give witness without fear. |
| 22 Tue | Rom 15:14-21 | Minister of God for the Gentiles |
| | Jn 17:6-11 | Let they may become one. |
| 23 Wed | 2 Cor 6:4-10 | Faithful servant of Jesus |
| | Lk 3:15-18 | Not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals |
| 24 Thu | 1 Cor 9:24-27 | Run so that you may win. |
| | Mk 10:17-22 | Jesus and the rich man. |
| | Saint Francis de Sales | |
| | Eph 3:8-13 | Paul who preached Christ to the Gentiles. |
| | Jn 15:9-17 | Remain in my love. |
| 25 Fri | Unity Octave Ends; The Conversion of Saint Paul | |
| | Ex 3:1-14 | God calls Moses. |
| | Acts 9:1-22 | The conversion of Saul. |
| | 1 Cor 15:1-10 | Jesus appears to one who is untimely born. |
| | Mt 20:1-16 | The workers in the vineyard |
| | Evangelists | |
| | 1 Kgs 18:30-39 | Elijah reveals the True God. |
| | Acts 5:12-16 | Signs by the hands of the Apostles. |
| | 1 Cor 4:9-16 | I became your father in Christ Jesus. |
| | Mt 10:1-15 | Jesus sends out the Apostles. |

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| 26 Sat | The Republic Day | |
| | 1 Cor 9:24-27 | Run after eternal things. |
| | Mk 10:17-22 | Sell and give your property to the poor. |
| | Saints Timothy and Titus | |
| | 2 Sam 22:2-4 | Lord is my redeemer. |
| | Wis 7:28-8:3 | God loves the wise. |
| | 1 Tim 6:11-16 | Fight for faith. |
| | Mt 16:24-27 | Disciple of Christ should suffer. |
| 27 Sun | †Fourth Sunday of Epiphany | |
| | Num 11:23-35 | He reveals Israel's redemption. |
| | Is 46:5-13 | I am God, and there is none like me. |
| | Heb 7:23-28 | Christ holds His priesthood permanently. |
| | Jn 2:1-11 | Jesus' glory is revealed at Cana. |
| 28 Mon | Acts 16:25-34 | Believe in Jesus Christ |
| | Lk 5:12-16 | Jesus cleanses a leper. |
| | Saint Thomas Aquinas | |
| | 1 Kgs 3:5-12 | A discerning mind is given to Solomon. |
| | Wis 7:7-14 | Those who pray will get wisdom. |
| | 1 Cor 1:18-25 | Folly of the Cross |
| | Mt 5:13-16 | You are the salt of the earth. |
| 29 Tue | Heb 4:1-7 | The rest that God promised |
| | Lk 4:22-30 | The Rejection of prophet at hometown |
| | Blessed Archangela Giralani (C) | |
| | Song 8:6-7 | Many waters cannot quench love. |
| | Lk 10:38-42 | Mary has chosen what is better. |
| 30 Wed | Gal 1:6-10 | There is no other gospel. |
| | Jn 10:1-6 | He calls his own sheep by name. |
| | World Day of Peace | |
| | Eph 2:14-22 | Jesus is our peace. |
| | Jn 14:27-31 | The peace of Jesus |
| 31 Thu | 2 Cor 5:11-14 | Love of Christ inspires us. |
| | Jn 1:35-42 | Vocation of first disciples. |
| | Saint John Bosco | |
| | Phil 4:4-9 | Do whatever you have heard from me. |
| | Mt 18:1-5 | Welcome children in my name. |

February 2019
Season of Epiphany

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| 1 | Fri | <i>First Friday; Saint Stephen (SM)</i> 1 Kgs 21:1-21 Acts 7:54-60 2 Cor 4:8-18 Mt 23:34-39 | Naboth is stoned to death. The martyrdom of Saint Stephen Carrying in the body the death of Jesus Bloodshed of the righteous for Christ |
| 2 | Sat | 1 Jn 5:13-21 Jn 8:39-47 | Those who are born of God do not sin. The one from God listens to the Word of God. |
| Presentation of Our Lord in Temple | | | |
| (Purification of Our Lady) | | | |
| | | Lev 12:1-8 Is 42:1-7 Rom 9:30-10:4 Lk 2:22-38 | Purification of mothers Servant of God Christ, the fulfilment of law Presentation of our Lord in the temple |
| 3 | Sun | †Fifth Sunday of Epiphany Deut 18:13-13 Is 48:12-20 Heb 6:9-15 Jn 3:14-21 | Blameless before the Lord. There is no peace for the wicked. Eternal priest in the order of Melchizadek You are to be born again in water and spirit. |
| 4 | Mon | Gal 3:21-25 Jn 5:41-47 Saint John Britto 1 Cor 9:19-23 Jn 15:18-25 | Law and faith Real faith is based on God's love. I became all things to all men. The world will hate you because of me. |
| 5 | Tue | 1 Jn 3:18-24 Mk 3:7-12 | Obey the commandments. Jesus heals many. |
| 6 | Wed | Col 2:6-10 Mt 12:15b-21 | Fullness of life in Christ Jesus, the elected servant |
| 7 | Thu | Eph 6:10-17 Mk 9:33-37 | Fight against the evil. Servant of all |
| 8 | Fri | Greek Fathers 1 Sam 22:11-21 Acts 22:22-29 | Persecuted for truth Trial of faith |

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| | 2 Tim 2:8-13 | Suffer hardships for the Gospel. |
| | Mt 5:1-12 | Persecuted for righteousness |
| 9 Sat | 1 Cor 3:10-17 | Foundation is Jesus Christ. |
| | Lk 11:14-23 | Jesus and Beelzebul |
| 10 Sun | †Sixth Sunday of Epiphany | |
| | Deut 24:14-22 | Be merciful to others. |
| | Is 63:7-16 | Lord redeems His people. |
| | Heb 8:1-6 | Jesus the mediator of new covenant |
| | Jn 3:22-31 | Jesus and John the Baptist |
| 11 Mon | <i>Three Days' Fast</i> | |
| | Is 64:1-9 | Remember not our iniquity for ever. |
| | Hab 3:13-19a | God, the Lord, is my strength. |
| | 1 Tim 2:1-7 | Pray for all. |
| | Mt 18:23-35 | Forgive your brother from your heart. |
| | Our Lady of Lourdes (Day of the Sick) | |
| | Rev 12:1-6 | The woman crowned with stars |
| | Jn 2:1-11 | Do whatever He tells you. |
| 12 Tue | <i>Three Days' Fast</i> | |
| | 1 Sam 7:3-9 | Return to the Lord with all your heart. |
| | Is 59:1-8 | Our iniquities separate us from God. |
| | Rom 12:1-8 | Be transformed by the renewal of your mind. |
| | Lk 18:9-14 | Pray with repentance. |
| 13 Wed | <i>Three Days' Fast</i> | |
| | Joel 2:15-19 | Return to God with your whole heart. |
| | Jon 3:1-10 | The fasting and prayer of Nineveh |
| | Rom 9:19-29 | God shows mercy. |
| | Mt 6:1-4 | God remunerates for the good deeds. |
| 14 Thu | Col 1:21-23 | Constancy in faith |
| | Lk 13:10-17 | Jesus heals a crippled woman. |
| 15 Fri | Syriac Fathers | |
| | 2 Kgs 13:14-21 | The Lord's victory over Aram |
| | Acts 13:4-12 | Paul against false prophet |
| | Heb 13:7-9,17-19 | Obey those who watch over your souls. |
| | Mt 16:24-28 | Take up your cross and follow me. |

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| 16 Sat | 1 Cor 15:50-57 | The dead will be raised imperishable. |
| | Mt 23:1-12 | Self exalters will be humbled. |
| 17 Sun | †Seventh Sunday of Epiphany | |
| | Deut 14:22-15:4 | The Lord your God will bless you. |
| | Is 42:5-9 | Light to the nations |
| | 1 Tim 6:17-21 | Rich in good works and generous to share |
| | Mt 8:5-13 | Let it be done for you according to your faith. |
| 18 Mon | 2 Pet 3:8-13 | The day of the Lord will come like a thief. |
| | Mk 13:32-37 | Keep awake! |
| 19 Tue | 1 Jn 2:12-17 | He who does the will of God lives forever. |
| | Lk 14:25-35 | Renounce everything! |
| 20 Wed | 1 Thess 2:17-20 | You are our glory and joy. |
| | Mk 10:35-45 | The request of James and John |
| 21 Thu | 2 Pet 1:10-15 | Confirm your call and election. |
| | Lk 5:33-39 | The question about fasting |
| 22 Fri | Patron of the Church | |
| | Is 41:8-16 | People chosen by God |
| | Acts 19:8-20 | The power of the Word of God |
| | 2 Cor 10:3-8 | Apostle's authority to build up the Church |
| | Mt 25:14-23 | Increase the God-given talents. |
| 23 Sat | 2 Thess 2:5-12 | Condemnation against unbelief |
| | Mt 11:20-24 | Woes to Unrepentant Cities |
| | Saint Polycarp | |
| | Ex 3:1-6 | God calls Moses. |
| | Dan 3:19-26 | Three young men in the blazing furnace |
| | 2 Cor 6:3-10 | We are servants. |
| | Lk 11:43-52 | Prophets will be persecuted. |
| 24 Sun | †Eighth Sunday of Epiphany | |
| | Ex 15:22-26 | The water of Marah |
| | Is 44:23-28 | The Lord alone is God. |
| | Eph 1:15-23 | Glorious is Lord Jesus. |
| | Mk 1:7-11 | Not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals |

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| 25 Mon | 2 Thess 3:1-5 Mt 9:18-26 | The Lord is faithful. Your faith has made you well. |
| | Blessed Martyr Rani Maria | |
| | Gen 22:1-13 | The sacrifice of Abraham |
| | 2 Mac 7:1-11 | The mother and her seven sons |
| | 2 Cor 4:7-15 | Jesus is visible in our mortal flesh. |
| | Mt 10:16-25 | Give witness to the Gospel. |
| 26 Tue | 1 Cor 15:20-28 | We will be made alive in Christ. |
| | Mt 24:37-44 | The necessity for watchfulness |
| 27 Wed | 2 Tim 4:1-6 | Proclaim the word of God. |
| | Jn 4:27-38 | I have food that you do not know about. |
| 28 Thu | 2 Pet 3:14-18 | Do not tempt the patience of our Lord. |
| | Lk 6:37-42 | Do not judge others. |

March 2019

Seasons of Epiphany and Lent

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| 1 | Fri | <i>First Friday; Commemoration of the Dead (SM)</i> Ezek 37:1-14 | The Lord promises new life to His people. |
| | | Sir 44:1-15 | Glory of Fathers |
| | | 1 Cor 15:39-49 | The resurrection of the body |
| | | Mt 25:31-40 | Crown of justice to those who do good |
| 2 | Sat | Rev 3:14-22 | You are neither cold nor hot. |
| | | Mt 15:29-31 | Jesus cures many people. |
| 3 | Sun | †First Sunday of Lent | |
| | | Ex 34:27-35 | The fasting of Moses |
| | | Is 58:1-10 | The spirit of the true fasting |
| | | Eph 4:17-24 | Clothe yourselves with a new self. |
| | | Mt 4:1-11 | Jesus overcomes temptation. |
| 4 | Mon | Vibhuti (Ash Monday); <i>Day of Fast</i> | |
| | | Gen 1:1-19 | God creates heaven and earth. |
| | | Josh 1:1-15 | Act in accordance with the laws. |
| | | Rom 1:16-25 | The sin of man and its consequence |
| | | Mt 5:17-26 | Reconciliation with brothers and sisters |
| 5 | Tue | Gen 1:20-2:7 | Creation of man |
| | | Josh 1:16-18 | People offer obedience. |
| | | Rom 2:1-6 | Do not judge others. |
| | | Mt 5:38-42 | Love generously. |
| 6 | Wed | Gen 2:18-25 | Creation of Eve |
| | | Josh 2:8-24 | Rahab protects the spies of Israel. |
| | | Rom 2:12-24 | Salvation is not through the law. |
| | | Mt 6:5-8 | Power of the secret prayer. |
| 7 | Thu | Gen 3:1-13 | Sin of the first parents |
| | | Josh 3:1-13 | I am with you. |
| | | Rom 3:9-20 | All are sinners. |
| | | Mt 6:25-34 | Depend on the divine providence. |
| 8 | Fri | Gen 4:1-16 | Punishment to Cain |
| | | Josh 3:14-4:9 | The Israelites cross the Jordan. |
| | | Rom 4:13-25 | Faith of Abraham |
| | | Mt 7:1-6 | Do not judge. |
| 9 | Sat | Rom 3:21-26 | The believed are justified. |
| | | Mt 6:9-15 | The prayer taught by Christ. |

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| 10 Sun | †Second Sunday of Lent Gen 5:19-31 Josh 4:15-24 Rom 6:15-23 Mt 7:21-27 | Persons who lived with God God dried up river Jordan. Newness of life in Christ The true disciple |
| 11 Mon | Tit 3:1-7 Mk 7:14-23 | Laws of Christian life Internal and external holiness |
| 12 Tue | Rom 8:18-25 Mt 7:7-12 | Glory to be revealed The power of prayer |
| 13 Wed | Rom 6:15-23 Mt 9:1-8 | Eternal life is the gift of God. Jesus heals the paralyzed. |
| 14 Thu | Rom 3:1-8 Mt 5:33-37 | Justice and fidelity of God Do not swear. |
| 15 Fri | Gen 6:5-12 Josh 5:1-12 Rom 7:7-12 | Sin increases. Punish those who break the commandments. Commandment of God is holy and right. |
| 16 Sat | Mk 11:27-33 1 Cor 5:9-13 Mt 11:16-19 | Authority of Jesus Keep away from immorality. Unrepentant attitude |
| 17 Sun | †Third Sunday of Lent Gen 7:6-24 Josh 5:13-6:5 Rom 7:14-25 Mt 20:17-28 | Noah and family are saved. Joshua is near Jericho. The fight against evil The first among you must be the servant. |
| 18 Mon | Rom 7:1-6 Mk 12:28-34 Saint Cyril of Jerusalem Deut 4:1-8 Sir 39:6-14 1 Cor 10:14-21 Mt 10:23-28 | Serve in the novelty of the spirit. Commandment of love Be faithful! Be proud of the Covenant of God! Get away from idol worship! Bear witness without fear! |
| 19 Tue | Death of Saint Joseph Is 41:8-16 Acts 19:11-20 2 Cor 10:3-11 Mt 1:18-25 | I have chosen you. Power of the Lord revealed through Paul The spiritual weapons Joseph, the Just |

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| 20 Wed | 1 Pet 3:8-12 Mt 5:43-48 Blessed Francis Palau y Quer (C) Rev 21:9-14 Mk 16:15-20 | Do not repay evil for evil. Love your enemies. The bride of the Lamb Preach the Gospel. |
| 21 Thu | Eph 6:1-9 Mk 12:35-40 | Lord rewards according to the deed. Jesus criticises the scribes. |
| 22 Fri | Gen 9:8-17 Josh 6:8-27 Rom 8:1-6 Mk 12:18-27 | Covenant with Noah Fall of Jericho Spiritual desires lead to life. God is the Lord of the living. |
| 23 Sat | Eph 4:25-32 Mt 21:28-32 | Evils is to be renounced. The parable of the two sons |
| 24 Sun | †Fourth Sunday of Lent Gen 11:1-9 Josh 7:10-15 Rom 8:12-17 Mt 21:33-44 | Tower of Babel and the punishment Punishment for the transgression Heirs of God They reject the Son of Man. |
| 25 Mon | Annunciation Ex 15:11-21 Acts 1:11-14 Heb 1:1-13 Lk 1:26-38 | The Lord of majesty and holiness Wait for the promise of the Father. God has spoken through His Son. The birth of Jesus foretold |
| 26 Tue | Gen 12:9-20 Josh 8:1-9 Rom 9:14-18 Jn 5:19-23 | Abraham in Egypt Destruction of Ai City Mercy of God All may honour the Son. |
| 27 Wed | Gen 13:8-18 Josh 8:18-29 Rom 10:1-13 Jn 6:60-69 | Abraham and Lot separate. Destruction of Ai City Salvation to those who believe Words of eternal life are with you. |
| 28 Thu | Gen 14:8-16 Josh 8:30-35 Rom 11:1-10 Jn 7:1-13 | God saves Lot. Joshua builds altar. Elected by the grace Feast of the Tent |
| 29 Fri | Gen 15:1-15 Josh 9:1-15 Rom 11:25-36 Jn 7:25-31 | God makes covenant with Abraham. Deception of Gibeonites Renovation of Israel Christ sent by God. |
| 30 Sat | Rom 13:1-7 Jn 7:45-53 | All authorities are from God. Unbelief of the authorities |

31 Sun †**Fifth Sunday of Lent**

Gen 16:6-16

Hagar is comforted by the Lord.

Josh 9:16-27

Cleansing water and wood for fire.

Rom 12:1-11

Present your bodies as a living sacrifice.

Jn 7:37-39,8:12-20

Living water and light of the world

April 2019

Seasons of Lent and Resurrection

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| 1 | Mon | Col 2:16-19 Lk 18:18-25 | Substance belongs to Christ. Sell and give to the poor. |
| 2 | Tue | 2 Cor 9:10-15 Lk 10:33-37 | Service of the ministry Be a good neighbour! |
| 3 | Wed | Jude 8-13 Jn 8:1-11 | Woe to those who abandon God. Do not commit sin again. |
| 4 | Thu | 1 Tim 4:6-10 Lk 18:31-34 | Duties of a real minister Glory through passion |
| 5 | Fri | <i>First Friday</i> Gen 18:1-14 Josh 14:5-12 Rom 13:8-14 Jn 8:49-59 | God visits Abraham. Advice of Joshua Wear the weapons of light. I am before Abraham. |
| 6 | Sat | 1 Cor 13:1-13 Mk 10:1-12 | Love is great of all. Don't separate what God has joined. |
| 7 | Sun | †Sixth Sunday of Lent Gen 19:15-26 Josh 21:43-22:5 Rom 14:13-23 Jn 10:11-18 | God saves Lot from Sodom. The Lord gave all the land to Israel. Do not be a scandal to your brother. Shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. |
| 8 | Mon | 1 Thess 3:6-13 Jn 12:44-50 | Foster faith and unity. Believers do not dwell in darkness. |
| 9 | Tue | 2 Pet 2:4-10 Lk 13:31-35 | Live with fear of God. Lamentation over Jerusalem |
| 10 | Wed | 1 Jn 2:7-11 Mt 18:15-20 | He who hates brother dwells in darkness. Correct each other. |
| 11 | Thu | 2 Pt 2:11-17 Lk 3:8-11 | May your behaviour be good. Produce the fruits of repentance. |
| 12 | Fri | Gen 19:27-30 Josh 22:10-20 Rom 15:7-13 Jn 11:38-45 | God saves Lot. A memorial altar East of the Jordan Exhortation to the unity Lord raises Lazarus to life. |
| 13 | Sat | Acts 20:22-38 Jn 12:1-8 | Give testimony to the Gospel. Mary anoints Jesus. |

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| 14 Sun | †Seventh Sunday of Lent; Palm Sunday Gen 49:8-12,22-26 | The sceptre shall not depart from Judah. |
| | Zech 9:9-12 | Ruler of God's people |
| | Rom 11:13-24 | You are grafted into a cultivated olive tree. |
| | Mt 21:1-17 | Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem. |
| 15 Mon | Gen 37:5-13,18-22 | Dream of Joseph |
| | Josh 22:21-29 | God is omnipotent. |
| | Heb 1:5-14 | The Son is superior to angels. |
| | Jn 11:47-57 | Plot to kill Jesus. |
| 16 Tue | Gen 37:23-36 | The brothers sell Joseph. |
| | Josh 22:30-23:1 | Lord re-establishes peace. |
| | Heb 5:1-10 | Merciful high priest |
| | Jn 12:20-26 | Whoever serves me must follow me. |
| 17 Wed | Gen 40:1-23 | Joseph interprets the dream. |
| | Josh 23:1-11 | Be faithful to God. |
| | Heb 9:15-28 | New covenant |
| | Jn 12:27-33 | Son of man should be lifted up. |
| | Blessed Baptist Spagnoli of Mantua (C) | |
| | Wis 7:7-10,15-16 | Wisdom came to me. |
| | Mt 5:13-16 | You are the salt of the earth. |
| 18 Thu | Pesaha Thursday | |
| | Ex 12:1-20 | The first Passover instituted |
| | Mal 1:10-14 | Make a pure offering. |
| | 1 Cor 11:23-29 | The institution of the Lord's Supper |
| | Jn 13:1-14 + | |
| | Mt 26:26-30 | Feet Washing and institution of Eucharist |
| 19 Fri | Passion Friday (Day of Fasting and Abstinence) | |
| | Gen 22:1-19 | Sacrifice of Abraham |
| | Is 52:13-53:9 | A man of suffering acquainted with infirmity |
| | Rom 5:6-16 | Christ died for the ungodly. |
| | Part I Lk 22:63-23:12 + Mt 27:19 + Lk 23:13-23 + | |
| | Mt 27:24-25 + Lk 23:24-45 + Mt 27:51-54 + Jn 19:23-30; | |
| | Part II Jn 19:31-42 | The Passion of Christ |

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| 20 Sat | Great Saturday Gen 22:1-19 Jon 2:1-10 Rom 6:3-11 Mt 28:1-20 | Sacrifice of Abraham Jonah in the belly of fish for three days United with Christ in death and resurrection Good news of Resurrection |
| 21 Sun | †Easter Sunday (Resurrection of Our Lord) Is 60:1-7 1 Sam 2:1-10 Rom 6:1-14 Mt 28:1-6 First Sunday of Resurrection <i>OT and Epistle readings are that of the Easter Liturgy.</i> | The glory of God in Jerusalem Rejoice in Christ. Dying and rising with Christ. Resurrection of Christ |
| 22 Mon | Jn 20:1-18 Is 60:15-22 Acts 2:29-36 Rom 4:1-8 Jn 14:18-28 | The Lord is risen. Future glory of Jerusalem Jesus is risen. Justification through faith Jesus promises the Holy Spirit. |
| 23 Tue | Is 61:1-9 Acts 2:37-47 1 Cor 15:12-19 Lk 24:13-27 | Good news of liberation Early Christian community Resurrection of the dead The walk to Emmaus |
| 24 Wed | Is 61:10-62:5 Acts 4:23-31 Eph 4:1-6 Jn 15:1-10 Saint George Dan 6:12-24 Acts 12:1-5 2 Cor 12:1-10 Mt 10:37-42 | Future of Sion Faithful are strengthened. Unify in Christ. Abide in Christ. Daniel is thrown to the lions. Martyrdom of Saint James Be happy in sufferings. Give up life for the sake of Christ. |
| 25 Thu | Saint Mark, Evangelist Gen 41:39-45 Ezek 1:10-14 2 Tim 4:6-18 Mk 16:15-20 | Joseph, ruler of Egypt The vision of Ezekiel Mark helps Paul in the mission journey. Go and preach the Gospel. |
| 26 Fri | The Feast of Martyrs (Feast of All Saints) (SM) Dan 3:25-31 Acts 6:8-15 | Song of the three young men in the furnace. Life of Jesus inspires saints. |

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| | Heb 11:3-10 | By faith our ancestors received approval. |
| | Mt 10:26-33 | Be witnesses without fear. |
| 27 Sat | Col 3:1-4 | Glory to us along with Him |
| | Mk 16:1-8 | Resurrection of Christ |
| 28 Sun | †Second Sunday of Resurrection (Sunday of Neophytes) | |
| | Is 55:4-13 | He gathers the unknown people. |
| | Acts 4:32-37 | Unity and generosity |
| | Col 1:12-20 | Jesus, the crown of creation |
| | Jn 20:19-29 | Thomas the apostle professes faith in Jesus. |
| 29 Mon | 1 Cor 1:10-17 | Live in harmony. |
| | Lk 24:28-35 | Disciples recognise the risen Christ. |
| | Saint Catherine of Sienna | |
| | 1 Jn 1:5-2:2 | Jesus wipes away the sins. |
| | Mt 11:25-30 | Hidden and mysterious knowledge. |
| 30 Tue | Acts 9:20-25 | Saul preaches the risen Christ. |
| | Jn 5:41-47 | Writings of Moses about Christ |

May 2019

Season of Resurrection

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| 1 | Wed | Gal 5:1-6 Mk 7:31-37 | Love activated through faith Jesus cures a deaf man. |
| | | Saint Joseph, the Patron of the Working Class Gen 3:17-19,23-24 | Eat bread with the sweat of your forehead. |
| | | Wis 9:10-18 | Nothing is possible without hard work. |
| | | Col 3:14-17 | Do everything in the name of the Lord. |
| | | Mt 13:53-58 | Jesus, son of a carpenter |
| 2 | Thu | Phil 1:27-30 Mt 15:21-28 | Privilege of suffering for Christ Faith of the Canaanite woman |
| | | Saint Athanasius 2 Sam 22:1-7 | David's song of deliverance |
| | | Sir 45:1-5 | Equal with angels in glory |
| | | 2 Cor 4:5-14 | Treasure in earthen vessels |
| | | Mt 10:23-28 | Suffering for Jesus |
| 3 | Fri | <i>First Friday</i> ; Saints Philip and James, Apostles Ex 15:1-6 | Song of Moses |
| | | Wis 5:1-7 | Face persecution with fortitude. |
| | | 1 Cor 9:16-23 | Preaching the good news |
| | | Jn 14:1-6 | Jesus the way, the truth, and life |
| 4 | Sat | Col 3:14-17 | Let Christ's peace rule in your hearts. |
| | | Lk 24:36-43 | Jesus appears to the disciples. |
| 5 | Sun | †Third Sunday of Resurrection Is 56:1-7 | Salvation to all who obey |
| | | Acts 5:34-42 | Jesus is the Messiah. |
| | | Eph 1:3-14 | Redemption through the blood of Jesus |
| | | Jn 14:1-14 | Jesus, the way to the Father |
| | | Saint Angelus (C) Rom 5:1-5 | God's love |
| | | Mt 28:16-20 | Go and make disciples of all nations. |
| 6 | Mon | Jas 5:7-12 Mt 25:1-13 | Wait for the coming of Christ. Be prepared to receive the Bridegroom. |

Saint Dominic Savio

1 Jn 2:14-17 Word of God abides in you.

Mk 10:13-16 Kingdom of heaven belongs to children.

7 Tue 1 Thess 5:12-22 Do good always.
Mk 4:13-20 Produce good fruits.

8 Wed Phil 1:21-26 Life is Christ and death is profit.
Mt 8:1-4 Jesus cleanses a leper.

Blessed Aloysius Rabatà (C)

2 Cor 6:4-10 Servants of God

Lk 22:24-30 Jesus, the servant of all

9 Thu 2 Cor 8:1-11 Be generous.

Mk 4:35-41 Jesus calms the sea.

10 Fri Rom 15:1-6 Make happy others.

Lk 6:6-11 Do good on Sabbath.

11 Sat Jas 2:14-17 Faith without action is dead.

Lk 6:46-49 Do the will of God.

12 Sun †**Fourth Sunday of Resurrection**

World Prayer Day for Vocations

Is 49:13-23 God will never forget us.

Acts 8:14-25 You cannot buy God's gift with money.

Eph 2:1-7 Salvation is a gift of God.

Jn 16:16-24 Your sadness will turn into gladness.

13 Mon 1 Tim 6:13-16 Obey the commandments.

Lk 20:9-16 The parable of the wicked tenants.

14 Tue 1 Tim 6:17-21 Secure the future life.

Mt 19:23-30 Everything is possible to God.

Saint Matthias, Apostle

1 Sam 16:4-13 Anointing of David

Acts 1:15-26 The election of Mathias

1 Cor 1:26-30 God chooses the foolish.

Mt 11:25-30 Jesus the comfort of poor and afflicted

15 Wed Heb 7:1-10 Priest in the order of Melchizedek

Jn 5:30-38 Fulfil the will of God.

16 Thu 2 Pet 2:1-3 Beware of false prophets.

Mt 15:1-9 Dedication of heart is important.

Saint Simon Stock (C)

Eph 6:10-13,18 Put on the armour of God.

Jn 15:9-17 Remain in my love.

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| 17 Fri | Eph 5:13-21 Mk 6:35-44 | Jesus will shine upon you. Five loaves and two fishes. |
| 18 Sat | 1 Cor 14:20-25 Mk 6:1-6 | Behave with maturity. Jesus is rejected in his home town. |
| | Mar Addai (19 Sunday) | |
| 19 Sun | 1 Cor 2:1-10 Mt 5:13-19 | The hidden knowledge of God You are the salt of the earth. |
| | †Fifth Sunday of Resurrection | |
| | Is 49:7-13 Acts 9:1-9 Heb 10:19-25 Jn 21:1-14 | God's mercy and compassion Saul encounters the Risen Lord. Approach God with true heart. The Lord cares. |
| 20 Mon | 1 Pet 4:12-19 Lk 11:29-32 | The fiery ordeal Sign of Jona |
| 21 Tue | Jas 1:22-27 Mt 21:18-22 | Hearing and doing the word. Jesus curses the fig tree. |
| 22 Wed | Col 3:5-11 Jn 3:1-8 | Put on the new man. Reborn through water and spirit |
| | Saint Joachina de Vedruna de Mas (C) | |
| | 1 Jn 3:14-18 Mk 9:34-37 | Jesus laid down his life for us. The first must be the very last. |
| 23 Thu | Heb 3:7-13 | Do not go away from the living God. |
| | Jn 5:24-29 | Life giver of all |
| 24 Fri | 1 Cor 2:1-5 Mt 15:10-20 | Message about the crucified Internal and external holiness |
| 25 Sat | Heb 7:11-17 Jn 15:26-16:4 | Jesus, the eternal priest Holy Spirit witnesses about Christ. |
| | Saint Mary Magdalen de' Pazzi (C) | |
| | Song 5:4b,8:6-7 Lk 10:38-42 | Love is as strong as death. May has chosen what is better. |
| 26 Sun | †Sixth Sunday of Resurrection Is 52:7-12 | All the earth shall see the salvation of God. |
| | Acts 10:9-16 Eph 2:11-22 Jn 17:20-26 | Salvation to Gentiles We are one in Christ. Let they may all be one. |
| 27 Mon | 1 Pet 2:1-5 Mt 23:23-28 | Living stone and chosen people Hypocrisy of Pharisees |
| 28 Tue | 2 Pet 3:10-13 Mk 13:32-37 | New heaven and new earth Keep awake! |

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| 29 Wed | Eph 5:1-5 Jn 15:11-17 | Behave like saints. Love each other. |
| 30 Thu | †Ascension of Our Lord (<i>Day of Obligation</i>) 2 Kgs 2:1-12 Acts 1:6-11 1 Tim 2:1-7 Lk 24:44-53 | Elijah is taken up to heaven. Jesus is taken to heaven. Jesus is the only mediator. Ascension of Jesus |
| 31 Fri | Phil 3:12-15 Jn 3:31-36 | New life in Christ The one coming from above is above all. |
| | Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Rom 12:9-16 Lk 1:39-45 | Share your blessings. The Blessed Virgin Mary visits Elizabeth. |

June 2019

Seasons of Resurrection and Apostles

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| 1 | Sat | 1 Cor 7:32-35 Mt 3:7-12 Saint Justin Gen 18:23-32 Wis 10:9-14 1 Cor 1:18-25 Lk 12:2-8 | Chance to serve the Lord Produce the fruit of repentance. God punishes the wicked. Wisdom rescues from trouble. Cross is the power of God. Acknowledge God without fear. |
| 2 | Sun | †Seventh Sunday of Resurrection Is 6:1-13 Acts 1:15-26 Phil 2:1-11 Mk 16:14-20 | Here I am; send me. Matthias was enrolled with the eleven apostles. Jesus Christ is the Lord. Go into all the world and preach the Gospel. |
| 3 | Mon | 2 Thess 2:13-17 Jn 4:3-15 | You are the first fruits of salvation. Jesus gives the water of life. |
| 4 | Tue | 1 Cor 8:8-13 Lk 12:13-21 | Do not be a scandal to the weak. The parable of the rich fool. |
| 5 | Wed | 1 Jn 4:12-21 Jn 17:1-5 | God gives His spirit. Knowledge of Christ provides eternal life. |
| 6 | Thu | 1 Jn 1:1-3 Lk 14:25-35 | Testimony to the word of life Cost of discipleship |
| 7 | Fri | <i>First Friday</i> 1 Jn 2:22-25 Mt 24:7-14 | Eternal life is the promise of Christ. Those who endure to the end will be saved. |
| 8 | Sat | 1 Cor 9:13-18 Mt 18:23-35 Blessed Mariam Thresia Gen 12:1-4 Sir 2:1-6 Gal 2:19-21 Mt 25:31-40 Mar Aprem (9 Sunday) Deut 26:16-19 Sir 45:1-5 | Woe to me if I do not preach the Gospel. Forgive without any limit. God calls Abraham. Trust in the Lord. Crucified with Christ Express love of God through good deeds. You are a holy people. The Glory of Moses |

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| | Rom 5:1-5 Mt 5:13-20 | Rewards of righteousness Salt of the earth and light of the world |
| 9 Sun | †First Sunday of the Apostles: The Pentecost Ex 19:1-9 Acts 2:1-13 | You are a holy people. Holy Spirit comes down on the Apostles. |
| | 1 Cor 12:1-11 Jn 16:5-15 | Gifts of the Holy Spirit The work of the Holy Spirit |
| 10 Mon | 1 Cor 14:26-33 Mt 11:25-30 | Use of spiritual gifts Jesus is the comfort for the weary. |
| 11 Tue | 2 Thess 1:3-12 Mt 20:29-34 | Accept sufferings for the Kingdom. Jesus heals two blind men. |
| | Saint Barnabas, Apostle 1 Chr 16:8-12 Acts 11:21-26 Gal 2:1-10 Mt 10:16-22 | Proclaim the works of the Lord. Barnabas' Mission Barnabas with Paul Give testimony to Christ before the Gentiles. |
| 12 Wed | 1 Cor 11:31-34a Mt 13:31-35 | Wait for one other. Parable of mustard seed and yeast |
| 13 Thu | Heb 8:7-13 Jn 2:13-25 Saint Antony of Padua 1 Cor 2:1-10 | The new covenant Jesus is the true temple. Wisdom is the power of God's Spirit. |
| 14 Fri | Lk 10:1-9 <i>Friday of Gold</i> Is 35:3-10 Acts 3:1-26 1 Cor 12:31-13:13 Lk 7:11-23 | Pray to the Lord of harvest. The glorious future A lame man is healed. Love is eternal. The blind see and the lame walk. |
| | Saint Elisha, Prophet (C) 2 Kings 2:9-15a | Inheriting double share of the spirit. |
| 15 Sat | Lk 24:28-35 1 Cor 12:12-20 Jn 6:25-29 | Were not our hearts burning? We are one body in spirit. Believe in whom He has sent. |
| 16 Sun | †Second Sunday of the Apostles Joel 2:18-26 Acts 4:8-22 | The mercy of God Salvation only through Christ |

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| | 1 Cor 6:1-11 | You have been baptized by Christ. |
| | Lk 7:36-50 | Forgiveness to the sinful women |
| | The Holy Trinity | |
| | Rom 5:1-5 | Share in the glory of God |
| | Jn 16:12-15 | Fulfilment in true spirit |
| 17 Mon | Phil 3:16-21 | Let us hold what we have attained. |
| | Jn 11:17-27 | Jesus is the resurrection and life. |
| 18 Tue | 1 Cor 9:1-12 | The right of the apostle |
| | Jn 6:64-71 | Words of eternal life are with you. |
| 19 Wed | 1 Cor 6:12-20 | We are the temple of the Holy Spirit. |
| | Jn 6:37-44 | Eternal life to those who believe in the Son |
| 20 Thu | The Body and Blood of Christ | |
| | Gen 14:17-20 | Melchizedek brings bread and wine. |
| | Mal 1:7-12 | Unceasing sacrifice offered |
| | 1 Cor 11:23-30 | This is the living bread. |
| | Jn 6:51-59 | This is the life-giving bread. |
| 21 Fri | 1 Cor 3:18-23 | Wisdom of the world is folly to God. |
| | Jn 6:45-50 | Eternal life to those who believe |
| 22 Sat | 1 Cor 10:14-22 | Sharing in the body of Christ |
| | Jn 6:1-15 | Multiplication of the bread |
| | Saints John Fisher and Thomas More | |
| | 1 Pet 4:12-19 | Suffer with Christ. |
| | Mt 10:16-22 | The Spirit will speak through you. |
| 23 Sun | †Third Sunday of the Apostles | |
| | Deut 1:5-8 | God who is faithful in His promises. |
| | Is 1:1-9 | People went astray from God. |
| | 1 Cor 7:1-7 | Every call is God's special gift. |
| | Lk 10:25-37 | The good Samaritan |
| 24 Mon | 1 Cor 12:18-27 | We are one body in Christ. |
| | Jn 6:30-36 | Those who believe in Christ do not hunger. |
| | Birth of John the Baptist | |
| | Gal 4:1-7 | You are no longer a slave but a son. |
| | Lk 1:57-66 | The birth of John the Baptist |

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| 25 Tue | 1 Cor 4:15-21 Mt 18:6-9 | Kingdom of God is in power. Do not give scandals. |
| 26 Wed | Phil 2:12-16 Jn 4:39-42 | Become sons of God. Jesus is the redeemer of the world. |
| 27 Thu | 1 Cor 3:1-9 Lk 8:4-15 | You are the field and house of God. The Word which is sown |
| 28 Fri | Sacred Heart of Jesus Gen 13:8-18 Is 52:13-53:9 Rom 10:1-10 Jn 19:30-37 Saint Irenaeus Ex 28:28-30 Mal 2:4-7 2 Tim 3:14-17 | Abraham and Lot separate. He is wounded for our sake. Jesus is the salvation for all. The pierced heart The priests who serve in the Holy place. A priest must store wisdom in his tongue. Scripture is profitable for correction. |
| 29 Sat | Jn 14:26-30 Immaculate Heart of Mary Eph 1:2-8 Lk 2:41-51 Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles (<i>Day of Obligation</i>) 2 Kgs 4:16-21,32-37 | Holy Spirit teaches us everything. We have been chosen in Christ. Mary treasured everything in her heart. Son of the Shunem woman |
| 30 Sun | Acts 9:36-42 2 Cor 11:21b-33 Jn 21:15-19 †Fourth Sunday of the Apostles Deut 1:16-18 Is 1:10-20 1 Cor 9:19-27 Lk 6:27-36 | Sign worked by Peter Paul acknowledges his weakness. Lead my sheep! Judge justly. Wipe out sin and do good. Run after eternal crown. Love for the enemies |

July 2019

Seasons of Apostles and Kaitha

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| 1 | Mon | 2 Cor 1:3-7 Mk 5:25-34 | God comforts in the afflictions. Christ rewards the faith. |
| 2 | Tue | Phil 1:12-18 Lk 10:38-42 | Proclaim the Gospel without fear. Mary has selected the good part. |
| 3 | Wed | †Dukhrana of Saint Thomas, Apostle <i>(Day of Obligation)</i> Gen 2:8-17 Man in the Garden of Eden to keep it. Pro 4:10-18 I have taught you the way of wisdom. Eph 2:19-22 Christ Jesus is the corner-stone. Jn 20:24-29 My Lord and my God! | |
| 4 | Thu | 1 Cor 8:1-6 Mk 7:24-30 | There is one God and one Lord. Faith of the Syro-Phoenician woman |
| 5 | Fri | <i>First Friday</i> Gal 2:15-18 Mk 5:21-24,35-43 | Justification through faith Jairus' daughter restored to life |
| 6 | Sat | 2 Cor 2:12-17 Mk 1:40-45 | We are the fragrance of Christ. Jesus heals the leper. |
| 7 | Sun | †Fifth Sunday of the Apostles Deut 1:33-46 Punishment for the unbelief of the people Is 1:21-31 God's anger is on the unjust. 1 Cor 14:1-12 Love is our goal. Lk 12:22-34 Become rich in the presence of God. | |
| 8 | Mon | 2 Cor 1:8-11 Jn 16:25-33 | Suffering to depend on God I have conquered the world. |
| 9 | Tue | Col 2:20-23 Mt 11:1-6 | New life in Christ Blessed are those not scandalised in Christ. |
| | | Blessed Jane Scopelli (C) Hosea 2:16-17,21-22 Lk 10:38-42 I will remove the names of Baal. Visit to Martha and Mary | |
| 10 | Wed | Rom 5:12-21 Mk 12:1-12 | Justification through Christ Servants in the vineyard |

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| 11 Thu | 2 Pet 1:3-9 Jn 6:60-63 Saint Benedict Gen 17:1-8 Wis 9:1-12 Rom 8:12-17 | Christian is called to the glory of Jesus. Spirit gives life. Covenant with Abraham Pray for wisdom. You will die if you live according to the flesh. |
| 12 Fri | Mt 5:1-12 1 Pet 3:14-18 Mt 13:24-30,36-43 | The Beatitudes Die in body and live in Spirit. Parable of weeds among the wheat |
| 13 Sat | Rom 7:7-13 Mk 12:38-44 Blessed Teresa of Jesus 'of Los Andes' (C) Phil 4:4-9 Jn 15:5, 8-17 | Sin produces death. The poor widow's offering. Rejoice in the Lord always The vine and the branches |
| 14 Sun | †Sixth Sunday of the Apostles Deut 4:1-8 Is 2:1-5 1 Cor 10:23-31 Lk 12:57-13:5 | Commandments of the Lord are perfect. Jerusalem is the centre of salvation. Everything for the glory of God Unless you repent you will perish. |
| 15 Mon | Rom 11:30-35 Mt 12:33-37 Saints Kuriakose and Julitta Dan 3:25-45 Acts 6:8-15 Heb 11:3-10 Mt 10:16-33 | The ways of God are mysterious. Discern the tree from its fruits. Praising Lord from furnace One who has God with him is saved. The faith of our fathers Bear witness to the Lord. |
| 16 Tue | 2 Cor 5:1-7 Mk 4:21-25 Our Lady of Mount Carmel 1 Kgs 18:41-46 Is 35:1-4 2 Cor 1:3-7 Lk 11:24-28 | We have eternal house in heaven. Do not cover the lamp. Elijah brings rain through prayer. The splendour of Carmel Participation in the sufferings of Christ True blessedness |
| 17 Wed | 2 Cor 1:12-15 Lk 15:8-10 | Boasting of the apostle Parable of the lost coin |

**Blessed Teresa of Saint Augustine and
Companions (C)**

Rom 8:31-39 Nothing will separate us from
God.

18 Thu Jn 15:18-21 Doing on account of my name.
Rom 11:1-10 Salvation through the grace of
God.

19 Fri Mk 10:46-52 Jesus heals Bartimaeus.

Rom 13:1-6 All powers are from God

Mt 22:15-22 Give to Caesar what is to him.

20 Sat 2 Cor 11:1-6 You are betrothed to Christ.

Jn 7:14-24 Do not judge by appearance.

Saint Elijah, Prophet and Father (C)

1 Kings 19:1-9a, 11-14a

Zealous for the Lord

1 Pet 1:8-12 Prophets prophesied of the grace.

Lk 9:28b-36 This is my beloved son.

21 Sun †**Seventh Sunday of the Apostles**

Deut 4:10-14 The Lord declared His
commandments.

Is 5:8-20 God is righteous.

1 Cor 16:1-14 Do everything in love.

Lk 13:22-30 Enter through the narrow door.

22 Mon 2 Cor 2:5-11 Forgiveness for the offender

Mt 12:38-42 Sign of Jonah

Saint Mary Magdalene

Rom 8:35-39 Who can separate us from Christ?

Jn 20:1-18 Proclaiming the risen Christ

23 Tue Rom 13:7-10 Loving the neighbour fulfils the law.

Mk 1:29-34 Jesus heals the mother-in-law of
Peter.

24 Wed 1 Cor 7:17-24 The life according to the call

Lk 16:9-17 You cannot serve two masters.

Blessed John Soreth (C)

Eze 34:12-16,23a I will rescue them.

Lk 9:57-62 I will follow you wherever you go.

25 Thu **Saint James, Apostle**

Ex 24:12-18 Moses on the Mount Sinai

Acts 11:27-12:3 Martyrdom of James

1 Cor 4:6-15 Apostles of Christ

Mt 20:20-28 Not to be served but to serve

26 Fri **Seventy Disciples of Jesus**

Is 41:17-20 Protecting love of Jesus

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| | Acts 13:16-23 Rom 8:28-39 | Proclaiming the Messiah Who will separate us from the love of Christ? |
| | Mt 10:37-42 | The cost of discipleship and reward |
| | Saints Joachim and Anna | |
| | 1 Sam 2:1-10 | Hannah's prayer |
| | Is 54:1-8 | The New Jerusalem |
| | Heb 11:8-12 | Faith of Abraham |
| | Mt 1:1-16 | The genealogy of Jesus Christ |
| 27 Sat | Saint Alphonsa (28 Sunday) | |
| | Deut 28:8-12 | Israel is God's portion. |
| | Is 53:10-12 | Suffering leads to the Kingdom of God. |
| | Gal 2:19-21 | Be crucified with Christ. |
| | Jn 12:20-26 | A grain dropped into the ground dies. |
| | Blessed Titus Brandsma (C) | |
| | 2 Tim 2:3-13 | Share in the sufferings of Jesus Christ. |
| | Lk 6:27-36 | Love your enemies. |
| 28 Sun | †First Sunday of Kaitha: Feast of 12 Apostles | |
| | 1 Kgs 18:30-39 | Elijah builds an altar with twelve stones. |
| | Acts 5:12-20 | The Apostles heal many. |
| | 1 Cor 1:9-16 | Be united in the mind. |
| | Lk 14:7-14 | The mentality of the disciple |
| 29 Mon | 1 Cor 11:17-22 | There should not be divisions. |
| | Mt 21:28-32 | Do the will of the Father. |
| | Saint Martha | |
| | 1 Jn 4:7-16 | He who lives in love lives in God. |
| | Jn 11:17-26 | Jesus, the life and resurrection |
| 30 Tue | 1 Cor 14:20-25 | Babes in evil; but mature in thinking. |
| | Lk 19:11-27 | Be faithful in a very little. |
| 31 Wed | 1 Tim 6:11-16 | Fight of the faithful. |
| | Jn 10:22-28 | My deeds give witness to me. |
| | Saint Ignatius of Loyola | |
| | 1 Cor 10:31-11:1 | Everything for the glory of God |
| | Lk 14:25-33 | Disciple of Jesus must give up everything. |

August 2019

Season of Kaitha

- 1 Thu *Fifteen Days Fast Begins*
 1 Cor 14:13-19 The gifts of the Spirit
 Jn 8:48-59 Before Abraham was, I am.
Saint Alphonse Liguori
 Rom 8:1-11 We have freedom in Jesus.
 Mk 12:28-33 Not far away from God's Kingdom
- 2 Fri *First Friday; Saint James of Nisibis*
 Is 41:8-16 I have chosen you.
 Acts 19:11-20 Signs through the Apostles
 2 Cor 10:3-11 Spiritual weapons.
 Lk 12:4-12 Bear witness fearlessly.
- 3 Sat 2 Cor 6:14-18 The Temple of God
 Mk 2:1-12 Jesus heals the paralytic.
Saint John Maria Vianny (4 Sunday)
 1 Sam 21:1-6 Priest gives bread to David.
 Ezek 36:22-27 God purifies us from sin.
 2 Cor 1:3-7 Share in the suffering of Jesus.
 Mt 9:35-10:1 Jesus feels pity on the people.
- 4 Sun **†Second Sunday of Kaitha**
 Deut 4:32-40 The eternal love of God
 Is 4:2-6 Promise of salvation to Jerusalem
 2 Cor 3:4-12 The new covenant of love in Spirit
 Lk 15:11-32 Joy in heaven over a repenting sinner.
- 5 Mon Jas 1:12-18 The crown for enduring the trial
 Mt 7:21-28 Do the will of God to enter the Kingdom.
- 6 Tue **Transfiguration of Our Lord**
 Ex 19:1-8 + 20:18-21
 Covenant on Sinai
 Acts 1:15-26 Mathias in the place of Judas
 Heb 12:18-29 We are in the city of the living God.
 Mt 17:1-9 Transfiguration of our Lord
- 7 Wed 2 Cor 4:14-5:1 Eternal building from God
 Jn 12:23-28 Grain of wheat should die.
Saint Albert of Trapani (C)
 Is 58:6-12;2 Fast to loosen the bonds of injustice.
 1 Cor 4:1-6 Servants of Christ
 Mk 10:17-30 Share with the poor.

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| 8 Thu | Jas 1:2-8 Mk 11:12-14,20-26 Saint Dominic 1 Cor 2:1-10 Lk 9:57-62 | Testing of faith produces steadfastness. Faith makes everything possible. |
| 9 Fri | Mar Mari, Disciple of Mar Addai Is 55:4-11 Acts 4:32-37 1 Cor 15:1-11 Jn 20:19-29 Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein) (C) Ester 4:12-16,23,25 Jn 4:19-24 | I made him a witness to the peoples. Believers were of one heart and soul. Apostle proclaims the Risen Christ. Risen Christ appears to the Apostles. Silence and deliverance Worship the Father in spirit and truth. |
| 10 Sat | Jas 2:1-8 Lk 14:15-24 Saint Clare (11 Sunday) Deut 17:2-9 Is 62:1-5 Phil 3:8-14 Mt 19:27-29 | God selects the poor as the heirs of heaven. Blessed are those who eat the bread of heaven. God's own holy people. People glorified by the protection of the Lord Renounce everything for Christ. A hundred fold reward |
| 11 Sun | †Third Sunday of Kaitha Deut 5:6-16 Is 5:1-7 2 Cor 7:1-11 Jn 9:1-12,35-38 | The ten commandments The vineyard of the Lord I rejoice because you felt a godly grief. A man born blind receives sight. |
| 12 Mon | Jas 2:21-26 Mt 23:34-39 | Faith accomplished through deeds Jesus mourns over Jerusalem. |
| 13 Tue | Jas 3:13-18 Lk 4:25-30 | True wisdom is humble. Prophet is neglected in his hometown. |
| 14 Wed | 2 Cor 5:15-21 Mk 1:16-20 | God reconciled the world to himself. Jesus calls the first disciples. |

Saint Maxmillian Kolbe

1 Pet 3:14-17 In suffering for doing good, we are blessed.

Lk 9:23-26 Renounce life for the sake of Christ.

15 Thu †**Assumption of Our Lady** (*Day of Obligation*);
The Indian Independence Day

Ex 15:11-18 Song of Moses

Acts 1:6-14 With Mary Church awaits the Holy Spirit.

Rom 16:17-27 Be wise about what is good.

Jn 2:1-12 Do whatever he tells you.

16 Fri Eph 3:14-21 Christ is in your heart through faith.

Mk 8:22-26 Jesus heals the blind.

17 Sat Jas 4:13-17 Boasting is evil.

Lk 9:49-56 He that is not against you is for you.

Blessed Angelus Augustine Mazzinghi (C)

Is 52:7-10 The feet of the messengers of peace

Mt 19:27-29 You will inherit eternal life.

18 Sun †**The Fourth Sunday of Kaitha**

Deut 5:16-24 The law is through Moses.

Is 9:13-21 Punishment to Israel for false doings

2 Cor 10:12-18 Be proud in the Lord Jesus.

Mk 7:1-13 Don't reject the Word of God to favour tradition.

19 Mon Jas 5:1-6 Warning to the wealthy

Lk 18:25-30 Eternal life for renouncing everything

20 Tue Jas 5:7-12 Be patient until the coming of the Lord.

Mk 13:24-31 The coming of the Son of Man

21 Wed 2 Cor 13:1-4 Warning to the sinners

Mt 9:35-10:1 Jesus' compassion for people

Saint Pius X

1 Kgs 19:3-8 God protects Elijah.

Prov 9:1-5 Stupidity leads to destruction.

1 Thess 2:2-4 We have been entrusted with the Gospel.

Jn 21:15-19 Take care of my sheep.

22 Thu Jas 4:7b-12 Humble yourselves before God.

Lk 12:49-53 I came to bring fire to the earth.

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| 23 Fri | Jas 1:9-11 Mt 22:34-40 | Let the lowly boast in their exaltation. The most important commandments |
| 24 Sat | Saint Bartholomew, Apostle Deut 18:15-19 Is 22:15-22 1 Cor 12:27-31 Lk 6:12-19 | A prophet like Moses A warning for doing the wrong We are the body of Christ. Jesus chooses the Apostles. |
| 25 Sun | † The Fifth Sunday of Kaitha Lev 23:33-44 Is 28:14-22 2 Cor 12:14-21 Lk 16:19-31 Saint Mary of Jesus Crucified (C) Rom 8:26-30 Mt 11:25-30 | The feast of the booths Warning for those who do evil Paul spends everything for others. Show concern for the poor. The Spirit intercedes for us. I am gentle and humble in heart. |
| 26 Mon | 2 Tim 3:10-17 | Persecution for leading a life in Jesus |
| 27 Tue | Mk 4:26-34 2 Tim 4:1-6 Jn 4:27-38 | Parables of the Kingdom of God. Preach the Word. I have food which you do not know. |
| 28 Wed | 1 Tim 6:17-21 Mt 7:15-20 Saint Augustine Deut 10:12-17 Wis 7:10-14 2 Cor 5:14-21 Mt 5:13-19 | Let the rich not be haughty. Know the tree from its fruits. Love God with your whole heart. Share your wisdom. Reconcile with God. Light of the world and salt of the earth |
| 29 Thu | Saint Euphrasia (C) Gen 12:1-4 Sir 2:1-6 1 Thess 4:1-8 Mk 10:35-45 | God calls Abraham. Trust in the Lord. A life pleasing to God. The first among you must be the servant. |
| 30 Fri | Saint Simoni and Her Seven Sons 2 Mac 7:1-9 Acts 7:54-60 Heb 11:32-12:2 Mt 10:16-25 | The martyrdom of seven brothers The martyrdom of Stephen Witness to faith through suffering Suffering for the sake of Christ |
| 31 Sat | 2 Thess 2:1-4 Mk 13:3-13 | The man of lawlessness False prophets |

September 2019

Seasons of Kaitha and Elijah-Cross-Moses

- 1 Sun †**The Sixth Sunday of Kaitha**
Eight Days Fast Begins
Lev 19:1-4,9-14 You shall be holy.
Is 29:19-24 The meek shall obtain joy in the Lord.
1 Thess 2:1-12 The innocent behaviour
Lk 17:11-19 Jesus cleanses ten lepers.
Saint Teresa Margaret Redi of the Sacred Heart (C)
Eph 3:8-12,14-21 The Good News to the Gentiles
Jn 15:9-17 Abide in my love.
2 Mon 1 Jn 4:7-11 Born from God
Lk 6:43-45 Know the tree from its fruits.
- 3 Tue 1 Thes 3:2-6 Advice to establish them in their faith
Mt 9:18-26 Your faith has saved you.
- 4 Wed 1 Thess 5:1-11 Sons of light and sons of the day
Mt 24:37-44 The Son of Man will come unexpectedly.
- 5 Thu Rom 15:14-21 The ministry of Paul
Mt 12:46-50 Mother and brothers of Jesus
Saint Teresa of Calcutta
Jas 2:14-17 Faith without works is dead.
Mt 25:31-40 See Christ in the needy.
- 6 Fri *First Friday*
Saint Simon Barsaba and the Co-Martyrs
Dan 3:25-28,36-42 Three young men in the furnace.
Acts 6:8-15 Stephen seized for the sake of Christ
Eph 4:7-12 Charisms for building up the body of Christ
Jn 15:18-25 The world will hate you because of me.
- 7 Sat 1 Jn 2:1-6 Christ is our mediator.
Lk 21:5-6,20-24 The fall of Jerusalem.
The Nativity of Our Lady (8 Sunday)
Gen 17:15-22 She is the mother of nations.
Is 43:1-7 Homecoming of Israel
Rev 12:1-6 A woman clothed with the sun
Mt 1:1-16 The genealogy of Jesus

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| 8 Sun | †First Sunday of Elijah-Cross-Moses Deut 6:20-25 Is 31:4-9 2 Thess 1:3-10 Lk 18:35-43 | Lord is the redeemer. Jerusalem comes back to the Lord. Steadfastness and faith in afflictions Darkness to light of Christ |
| 9 Mon | 2 Cor 12:1-6 Lk 12:35-40 | Boasting of weakness Ever vigilant servants |
| 10 Tue | Gal 3:15-20 Lk 9:23-27 | Law and promise A call to self-denial |
| 11 Wed | Gal 4:8-11 Lk 12:41-48 | Ministers of the supernatural powers Be a faithful and wise steward. |
| 12 Thu | 1 Pet 1:22-25 Lk 17:20-37 | The Word of the Lord abides for ever. The coming of the Son of Man |
| 13 Fri | Rom 8:18-25 Lk 12:54-59 | Wait for the glory to be revealed. The signs of the end |
| | Saint John Chrysostom Eph 4:1-7,11-13 Mk 4:1-9 | Service is to build up the Church. The sowed seed |
| 14 Sat | The Exaltation of the Cross Num 21:4-9 Is 42:13-17 1 Cor 1:18-25 Lk 24:13-27 | Bronze serpent The victory of God Cross, the sign of the power of God Messiah suffered and entered glory. |
| 15 Sun | †Second Sunday of Elijah-Cross-Moses (First Sunday of Cross) Deut 8:11-20 Is 33:13-24 Phil 2:1-11 Mt 4:12-17 | Those who forget God will perish. The Lord lives in Zion. Christ emptied himself. Repent, the Kingdom of God is at hand. |
| 16 Mon | Phil 4:10-14 Mt 5:43-48 | I can do anything in the name of Jesus. Love your enemy. |
| 17 Tue | 2 Pet 3:1-7 Mt 23:29-36 | The second coming of Christ The hypocrisy of Scribes and Pharisees |

Saint Albert of Jerusalem (C)

Eph 6:11-18 Put on the armour of God.

Mt 20:25-28 The greatest must be your servant.

18 Wed 1 Thess 4:13-18 God will raise up the dead.
Mt 24:29-36 The coming of the Son of Man.

19 Thu 1 Tim 1:12-17 Thanks for the grace of God.

Mt 25:31-40 Last Judgment

20 Fri 2 Tim 2:1-7 Good soldier of Christ

Lk 4:31-37 Jesus expels demon.

21 Sat **Saint Mathew, Apostle**

1 Chr 29:10-19 Blessed be God for ever.

Ezek 1:1-14 The vision of Ezekiel

Heb 11:23-26 Suffer for Christ's sake.

Mt 9:9-13 Jesus chooses Levi as disciple.

22 Sun †**Third Sunday of Elijah-Cross-Moses**

(Second Sunday of Cross)

Deut 9:1-6 Victory is the gift of God.

Is 25:1-8 Lord is the shelter and fortress.

Phil 3:1-11 All gains I count as loss for Christ.

Mt 17:14-21 Everything is possible for those who believe.

23 Mon 1 Jn 5:13-21 Born of God do not sin.

Jn 8:39-47 Those from God listen to the commandments.

24 Tue Rom 3:1-8 Justice and faithfulness of God

Mt 10:26-33 Give witness fearlessly.

25 Wed 2 Cor 13:5-10 Hold on to your faith.

Mt 21:18-22 Ask with faith and you will receive.

26 Thu 2 Pet 2:20-22 Don't defile after knowing Christ.

Mt 11:11-19 The kingdom of heaven has suffered violence.

27 Fri 2 Pet 1:20-2:3 False prophets

Mt 15:1-9 The tradition of the elders

Saint Vincent de Paul

Deut 24:10-18 Be kind to the poor.

Is 42:1-9 The servant of the Lord

1 Cor 1:26-31 God chooses us.

Mt 9:35-38 Jesus went about doing good.

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| 28 Sat | <p>2 Tim 4:6-8 Mt 26:6-13 Archangels Michael, Gabriel and Raphael (29 Sunday) Rev 12:7-12 Jn 1:43-51</p> | <p>The crown of justice Pouring of oil at Bethany Michael and angels The angels ascending and descending</p> |
| 29 Sun | <p>†Fourth Sunday of Elijah-Cross-Moses (Third Sunday of Cross) Deut 9:13-24 Is 26:1-11 Phil 4:4-9 Mt 15:21-28</p> | <p>God punishes the wrongdoers. Lord God is an everlasting rock. Rejoice, for the Lord is near. The faith of the Canaanite woman</p> |
| 30 Mon | <p>Phil 1:21-26 Mk 8:31-38 Saint Jerome Deut 7:6-11 Sir 24:12-17 2 Tim 3:12-17 Mt 13:44-52</p> | <p>Living is Christ and dying is gain. Jesus foretells His death and resurrection. You are a holy people. Wisdom roots in the portion of the Lord. Holy life is God-inspired. Parables about the kingdom of God.</p> |

October 2019
Extraordinary Mission Month
Seasons of Elijah-Cross-Moses

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| 1 | Tue | Tit 2:11-14 Mk 9:42-48 Saint Therese of Child Jesus (C) Deut 32:8-12 Is 66:12-18 Eph 3:14-19 Mt 18:1-5 | Await with hope. Do not cause one to sin. The Lord is my portion. The God who consoles like a mother. Christ's love is our strength. Be like a child. |
| 2 | Wed | 2 Thess 3:6-12 Lk 9:1-6 Guardian Angel Acts 12:6-11 Mt 18:10-14 | Be vigilant in doing good. Jesus sends the apostles. God saved me by sending his angel. Angels continually see the face of God. |
| 3 | Thu | 2 Tim 3:1-7 Mt 8:1-4 | Days of the wicked Jesus heals the leper. |
| 4 | Fri | <i>First Friday</i> Tit 2:6-10 Lk 11:5-13 Saint Francis Assisi; Patron's Day of Pope Francis Deut 15:7-11 Is 6:1-7 Gal 6:14-17 Mt 11:25-30 | Be a model for good deeds. The power of prayer Help the poor. Isaiah's revelation Crucified to the world for Christ Jesus is the comforter of the afflicted. |
| 5 | Sat | 2 Tim 1:8-14 Lk 10:17-21 | Not ashamed of testimony for the Lord. Rejoice! Your names are written in heaven. |
| 6 | Sun | †Fifth Sunday of Elijah-Cross-Moses (First Sunday of Moses) Deut 11:1-9 Is 40:12-17 2 Cor 2:12-17 Mt 20:1-16 | Promised land is God's gift. God is great. We are the aroma of Christ to God. God's righteousness surpasses man's justice. |

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| 7 | Mon | Tit 3:1-7 Lk 10:38-42 | Practise the Christian lifestyle. Mary has chosen better part. |
| 8 | Tue | Heb 4:1-11 Lk 11:14-23 | Disobedience prevents from entering God's rest. Whoever is not with me is against me. |
| 9 | Wed | 1 Cor 1:24-31 Lk 11:24-26 | Foolishness of God The return of the evil spirit |
| 10 | Thu | Heb 10:1-10 Lk 9:28-36 | Law is the shadow of good things to come. They saw his glory. |
| 11 | Fri | 1 Pet 3:1-7 Lk 20:27-40 | Obligations of husband and wife He is the God of the living. |
| 12 | Sat | Phil 2:12-16 Jn 4:46-54 | Workout your own salvation. Jesus heals an official's son. |
| 13 | Sun | †Sixth Sunday of Elijah-Cross-Moses (Second Sunday of Moses) | |
| | | Deut 11:26-32 | Obey the commandments to remain blessed. |
| | | Is 41:1-7 | Israel assured of God's help. |
| | | Gal 5:16-26 | Do not gratify the desires of the flesh. |
| | | Lk 8:41b-56 | Your faith has made you well. |
| 14 | Mon | Heb 10:19-25 | A great priest over the house of God |
| | | Mt 18:10-14 | No one shall be lost. |
| 15 | Tue | Gal 6:11-18 Lk 4:38-44 | Crucified to the world for the sake of Christ Healings at Simon's house. |
| | | Saint Theresa of Avila (C) | |
| | | Deut 11:13-17 | Abide by the laws of the Lord. |
| | | Is 61:10-11 | I rejoice in the Lord. |
| | | Col 2:20-3:4 | I will be raised with Christ. |
| | | Jn 14:18-24 | Love and the unity with God |
| 16 | Wed | Blessed Thevarparampil Kunjachan | |
| | | Gen 12:1-4 | God calls Abraham. |
| | | Is 44:1-4 | I will bestow my grace upon your children. |
| | | 1 Pet 4:12-19 | Live according to the will of God. |
| | | Jn 10:1-15 | I am the good shepherd. |
| 17 | Thu | Rom 14:10-13 Mt 25:1-13 | Shall not judge your brother. The parable of the ten bridesmaids |

Saint Ignatius of Antioch

2 Sam 22:31-35 Lord shields those who depend on Him.

Wis 3:1-6 The soul of the righteous is in God's hands.

Rom 8:35-39 Nothing should separate us from Jesus.

Jn 12:20-26 Fall and die as a grain of wheat.
 Heb 2:5-9 He crowned man with glory and honour.

Lk 16:1-8 Unjust but wise steward

Saint Luke, Evangelist

Tob 12:6-15 Declare to all people the deeds of God.

Sir 38:1-9 Doctor and healing

Col 4:10-15 Luke preached the Word with Paul.

Lk 10:1-9 Seventy disciples are sent.

Heb 12:1-11 Disciplined by God

Lk 9:18-20 The proclamation of faith by Peter

**†Seventh Sunday of Elijah-Cross-Moses
 (Third Sunday of Moses)**

Deut 13:12-18 Do not let destruction stick to your hand.

Is 41:8-16 Do not be afraid, for I am your God.

Gal 6:1-10 Bear one another's burden.

Mt 8:23-34 Even the winds and the sea obey Him.

Mission Sunday

1 Cor 9:13-18 Woe to me if I do not proclaim the Gospel.

Mt 10:1-15 Jesus sends twelve apostles.

Heb 2:10-18 Jesus was made perfect by suffering.

Mt 24:3-14 The beginning of trials

1 Thess 4:9-12 Grow in loving one another.

Jn 11:1-16 Let us go and die with him.

1 Cor 15:35-41 Body of the risen ones

Mt 25:14-30 Good and faithful servant

Heb 4:12-13 Word of God is living and active.

Lk 9:46-48 Who is the greatest?

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| 25 Fri | Heb 10:11-18 Mt 16:5-12 | The single sacrifice for the sins The leaven of the Pharisees and Sadducees |
| 26 Sat | Jude 5-7 Jn 9:17-23 | Judgement on false teachers Pharisees question the parents of the blind man. |
| 27 Sun | †Eighth Sunday of Elijah-Cross-Moses (Fourth Sunday of Moses) Deut 12:29-32 Is 42:1-9 1 Tim 5:1-10 Mt 22:23-33 | Warning against idolatry The Servant of God Set one's hope in God. He is God not of the dead, but of the living. |
| 28 Mon | Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles Ex 15:11-13 Wis 10:15-21 Eph 6:10-17 | The Lord is splendid in holiness. Wisdom will open the mouth of the dumb. Gird your loins with truth and stand firm. |
| 29 Tue | Jn 15:18-25 Heb 4:14-16 Lk 13:18-21 | Jesus has chosen us. Jesus, the great High Priest The parable of mustard seed and the yeast |
| 30 Wed | Heb 13:1-6 Lk 17:1-10 | I will never leave you or forsake you. Jesus gives instruction to the disciples. |
| 31 Thu | Rev 2:1-7 Mt 6:22-24 | You have abandoned the love you had at first. The eye is the lamp of the body. |

November 2019
Seasons of Elijah-Cross-Moses and
Dedication of the Church

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| 1 | Fri | <p><i>First Friday</i> Rev 21:1-4 The new heaven and the new earth Mt 24:15-24 The awful calamities</p> <p>Feast of All Saints 1 Jn 3:1-3 When Christ appears we shall see Him.</p> |
| 2 | Sat | <p>Mt 5:1-12 The Beatitudes 1 Tim 4:1-5 Sanctification by God's word and prayer Mt 5:38-42 Conquer the evil with good.</p> <p>Commemoration of the Dead (All Souls' Day) Ezek 37:1-14 Lord will make you alive. 2 Macc 12:38-45 The hope in the resurrection of the dead 1 Cor 15:51-58 The dead will be raised imperishable.</p> |
| 3 | Sun | <p>Jn 11:17-27 Jesus is resurrection and life. †First Sunday of Dedication of the Church Ex 40:17-29,34-38 Glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle. Is 6:1-8 The hem of His robe filled the temple. 1 Cor 13:1-13 Love is the greatest gift. Mt 16:13-19 I will build my church on this rock.</p> |
| 4 | Mon | <p>Jas 3:6-12 Control your tongue. Lk 20:1-8 The authority of Jesus</p> |
| 5 | Tue | <p>Heb 6:1-6 Grow to maturity. Lk 21:1-4 The offering of the widow</p> <p>Saints Zachariah and Elizabeth Col 1:21-23 Stability of Faith Lk 1:5-25 Lord's mercy on Zachariah and Elizabeth</p> <p>Blessed Frances d'Amboise (C) Gal 6:1-10 Bear one another's burden. Lk 12:32-34 Your heart will be where your treasure is.</p> |

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| 6 | Wed | Jas 1:19-25 Lk 8:26-39 | Keep the word. Jesus heals the man who had demons. |
| | | Saint Nuno de Santa Maria Alvares Pereira (C) Eph 6:10-18b Lk 14:25-33 | Fasten the belt of truth. Discipleship and giving up possessions |
| 7 | Thu | Rev 3:8-13 Mt 9:35-38 | Endure trials to get the crown. Ask the Lord of harvest to send out labourers. |
| 8 | Fri | 1 Pet 1:13-20 Lk 19:1-10 | Be holy as the one who called you. Conversion of Zachaeus |
| | | Saint Elizabeth of the Trinity (C) Eph 1:3-10,13-14 Jn 14:23-26 | In Him we have redemption. The Holy Spirit will teach you everything. |
| 9 | Sat | Acts 10:9-16 Lk 5:1-11 | Peter's vision of the church From now on you will be catching people. |
| 10 | Sun | †Second Sunday of Dedication of the Church Ex 40:1-16 1 Kgs 8:22-29 Heb 8:1-6 Mt 12:1-13 | Tabernacle and its accessories are sanctified. Solomon's prayer before the altar We have a High Priest. The Son of Man is Lord of the Sabbath. |
| 11 | Mon | 2 Cor 4:11-15 Mt 19:16-22 | Being given up to death for Jesus' sake Keep the commandments to enter into life. |
| 12 | Tue | 1 Cor 4:1-5 Jn 6:47-53 | We are the servants of Christ. Eternal life for the one who believes. |
| 13 | Wed | 2 Cor 11:7-15 Mk 10:28-30 | False Apostles Remuneration of following Jesus |
| 14 | Thu | 2 Cor 11:16-21 Lk 10:8-16 | Paul's sufferings as an apostle Whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me. |
| | | All Carmelite Saints (C) Rom 8:28-35,37-39 Mt 5:1-12 | The justified are also glorified. The Beatitudes |

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| 15 Fri | Gal 4:12-20 | Experience birth pang until Christ is formed. |
| | Jn 14:1-7 | Jesus is the way to the Father. |
| | All Carmelite Souls (C) | |
| | Rom 14:7-9,10c-12 | If we live, we live with the Lord. |
| | Mt 25:31-46 | Come, you that are blessed by my Father! |
| 16 Sat | 3 Jn 5-12 | Whoever does good is from God. |
| | Lk 22:24-30 | The dispute about greatness |
| 17 Sun | †Third Sunday of Dedication of the Church | |
| | World Day of Communication | |
| | Num 9:15-18 | Tent of the covenant is filled with God's glory. |
| | Is 54:1-10 | Good news about the new Jerusalem |
| | Heb 9:5-15 | Christ entered the Holy Place with his own blood. |
| | Jn 2:13-22 | The body of Christ is the temple. |
| 18 Mon | Heb 13:9-16 | Here we have no lasting city. |
| | Lk 11:1-4 | The prayer that Jesus taught. |
| 19 Tue | Jude 17-25 | Keep yourself in the love of God. |
| | Lk 8:1-3 | Women followers of Jesus Christ |
| | Saint Raphael Kalinowski (C) | |
| | Phil 3:8-14 | Loss for his sake |
| | Jn 15:9-17 | Abide in my love. |
| 20 Wed | Col 3:22-25 | Obeys your earthly masters. |
| | Mt 16:21-28 | You will be repaid when He comes in glory. |
| 21 Thu | Rev 19:5-10 | Invited to the marriage of the Lamb are blessed. |
| | Mt 22:1-14 | Many are called, but few are chosen. |
| 22 Fri | Rev 19:11-16 | Christ, the king of kings |
| | Jn 18:28-37 | My kingdom does not belong to this world. |
| 23 Sat | Rev 21:9-14 | Vision of the new Jerusalem |
| | Lk 9:10-17 | Jesus feeds five thousand people. |
| 24 Sun | †Fourth Sunday of Dedication of the Church | |
| | <i>Feast of Christ, the King</i> | |
| | 1 Kgs 6:11-19 | I will dwell among the children of Israel. |
| | Ezek 43:1-7 | Glory of the God of Israel was coming from the east. |

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| | Heb 9:16-28 | Christ entered heaven and is in the presence of God. |
| | Mt 22:41-46 | Christ sits at the right side of God. |
| 25 Mon | Rev 4:1-11 | The heavenly worship |
| | Mt 6:19-21 | Your heart will be there where your treasure is. |
| 26 Tue | 1 Thess 4:1-8 | A life pleasing to God |
| | Mk 5:25-34 | If I but touch his clothes, I will be made well. |
| 27 Wed | Heb 1:1-4 | God has spoken to us by his Son. |
| | Mk 12:18-27 | The question about resurrection |
| 28 Thu | 1 Pet 1:3-7 | Living hope |
| | Jn 17:12-19 | That they may have complete joy |
| 29 Fri | Rev 14:1-7 | The Lamb standing on Mount Zion. |
| | Lk 19:45-48 | Cleansing of the Temple |
| | Blessed Denis and Redemptus (C) | |
| | Rom 5:1-5 | God's love has been poured out into our hearts. |
| | Jn 12:24-26 | If it dies, it bears much fruit. |
| 30 Sat | Saint Andrew, Apostle | |
| | Gen 28:10-17 | Dream of Jacob |
| | Zech 8:20-23 | Let us entreat for the favour of Yahweh. |
| | Rom 10:9-18 | Great are the feet of the messengers of Gospel. |
| | Mt 4:18-22 | Jesus calls Andrew. |

December 2019

Season of Annunciation-Nativity

- 1 Sun †**First Sunday of Annunciation** (*25 Days Fast Begins*)
Gen 17:15-22 I will bless and give you a son by Sarah.
Is 43:1-7,10-11 O Israel, I have redeemed you.
Eph 5:21-6:4 The Christian household
Lk 1:5-25 The birth of John the Baptist foretold
- 2 Mon Gal 3:9-14 The just will live by faith.
Lk 9:37-43a The generation which has no faith
- 3 Tue **Saint Francis Xavier**
Deut 26:16-19 You are a holy people.
Is 45:20-24 There is no God besides me.
2 Cor 6:3-10 We are God's servants.
Mk 6:7-13 Jesus sends out His disciples.
- 4 Wed 1 Cor 1:4-9 God is faithful.
Jn 8:26-30 Jesus is sent by the Father.
- 5 Thu 1 Tim 4:11-16 Be model in holiness.
Mt 24:45-51 Be vigilant.
Blessed Bartholomew Fanti (C)
Eze 34:11-16 I will seek the lost.
Jn 15:9-17 Love one another.
- 6 Fri *First Friday*
Col 3:1-10 Seek the things that are above.
Mt 13:12-17 The purpose of the parables
- 7 Sat **Immaculate Conception of Our Lady** (8 Sunday)
Sir 24:1-14 The greatness of wisdom
Is 7:10-16 Virgin will give birth to a child.
Heb 1:1-3 + 2:16-18 God's son
Lk 1:46-55 The Magnificat
Saint Ambrose
Deut 7:1-11 You are a holy people.
Sir 15:1-6 The man of God received God's wisdom.
2 Tim 4:1-8 The crown of righteousness
Lk 14:25-33 Cost of discipleship
- 8 Sun †**Second Sunday of Annunciation**
Num 22:20-35 Balaam gets instructions.
Is 43:25-44:5 God's blessing on Israel

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| | Col 4:2-6 Lk 1:26-38 | Utilize the time fully. Announcement about the birth of Christ |
| 9 Mon | Eph 4:13-16 Jn 14:11-14 | Grow into Christ. For those who believe nothing is impossible. |
| 10 Tue | 1 Thess 5:5-11 Lk 10:21-24 | Sons of the day Those who receive the divine revelation |
| 11 Wed | Eph 1:3-12 Lk 1:34-38 | God chose us in Christ in eternity. Behold the handmaid of the Lord! |
| 12 Thu | Rom 12:9-18 Lk 1:39-45 | Let your love be genuine. Mary visits Elizabeth. |
| 13 Fri | 2 Cor 8:11-15 Lk 1:46-56 | Be ready to help others. Magnificat |
| 14 Sat | Heb 3:12-19 Lk 11:33-36 | Do not go away from God. The light of the body |
| | Saint John of the Cross (C) | |
| | 1 Cor 2:1-10 Lk 14:25-33 | Hidden and mysterious wisdom Discipleship demands sacrifice. |
| 15 Sun | †Third Sunday of Annunciation Gen 18:1-10 Judg 13:2-7,24 Eph 3:1-13 Lk 1:57-66 | A son is promised to Abraham. The birth of Samson Paul, the apostle of Gentiles Birth of John the Baptist |
| 16 Mon | 1 Cor 5:1-8 Lk 6:43-45 | Leave immorality. Be a tree which produces good fruits. |
| 17 Tue | Eph 2:1-10 Mt 3:1-6 | Salvation is the gift of God. Kingdom of heaven has come near. |
| 18 Wed | The Miraculous Cross at Mylapore Ex 17:4-6 Acts 2:29-36 | Stream from the rock God raised Jesus whom you crucified. |
| | Eph 2:14-22 Jn 14:1-6 | Peace is through the Cross. Jesus the way, the truth and the life |
| 19 Thu | Gal 3:26-29 Lk 1:67-79 | Those who have put on Christ Canticle of Zachariah |
| 20 Fri | Col 1:10-16 Mk 1:1-8 | Lead a holy life. More powerful one comes after me. |

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| 21 Sat | Gal 1:11-17 Jn 3:31-36 | Those who are called by God's grace Who is from above is above all persons. |
| 22 Sun | †Fourth Sunday of Annunciation Gen 24:50-67 1 Sam 1:1-18 Eph 5:5-21 | Isaac receives Rebekah. Samuel's birth and dedication Try to find out what is pleasing to the Lord. |
| 23 Mon | Mt 1:18-24 Eph 6:18-20 Jn 1:1-5 | God's intervention in birth of Jesus Pray continuously. The Word was in the beginning. |
| 24 Tue | Gal 4:1-7 Jn 1:6-13 | You are adopted children of God. Jesus the true light was coming into the world. |
| 25 Wed | †Christmas: The Nativity of Our Lord <i>(Day of Obligation)</i> Is 7:10-16 + 9:1-3,6-7 | The virgin's son shall be named Immanuel. |
| | Mic 4:1-3 + 5:2-5,8-9 | From you shall come forth the ruler of Israel. |
| | Gal 3:15-4:6 | In the fullness of time God sent his Son. |
| 26 Thu | Lk 2:1-20 Heb 5:11-14 Mt 12:43-45 | The birth of Jesus Christ Warning against falling away The return of the unclean spirit |
| | Saint Stephen (L) Acts 6:8-10 + 7:54-59 | The martyrdom of Saint Stephen |
| | Mt 10:16-22 | Whoever holds out to the end will be saved. |
| 27 Fri | Saint John, Apostle Ex 33:12-23 Sir 15:1-6 | God is with the people. God's servant will receive the rewards. |
| | Rom 8:35-39 | Who can separate us from the love of Christ? |
| 28 Sat | Jn 21:20-24 Holy Childhood Day (The Infants' Day) Gen 4:3-8 | The disciple whom Jesus loved Cain murders Abel. |

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| | Jer 31:15-17 | A voice of lamentation and bitter weeping |
| | Heb 11:32-38 | Persecuted for faith |
| | Mt 2:13-18 | The massacre of the infants |
| 29 Sun | †First Sunday of Nativity | |
| | Gen 21:9-21 | God protects the son of the slave woman. |
| | 1 Sam 1:21-28 | Samuel is given to the Lord. |
| | Gal 4:21-5:1 | Christ has set us free. |
| | Mt 2:1-12 | Visit of the Magi |
| | Feast of Holy Family | |
| | Gen 1:26-28 | He created them male and female. |
| | Sir 3:1-9 | The duties of the parents |
| | Col 3:18-21 | The family life in Christ |
| | Mt 2:13-14,19-23 | The flight to Egypt |
| 30 Mon | 1 Jn 3:11-17 | He who hates his brother is a murderer. |
| | Jn 8:12-19 | Jesus is the light of the world. |
| 31 Tue | 2 Cor 1:18-22 | We are instituted in Christ. |
| | Jn 13:31b-35 | Mutual love is the sign of Christ's disciple. |
| | End of the Year | |
| | 1 Tim 6:6-12 | We do not have lasting cities here. |
| | Lk 13:6-9 | Let us bear fruit! |