

ELCIC'S WORSHIP PLANNING CALENDAR

ADVENT, 2005 ☩ REIGN OF CHRIST, 2006
THE YEAR OF MARK ☩ YEAR B

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Legend Sundays, Principal Festivals and Days of Special Devotion are printed flush left.
LESSER FESTIVALS and other days are indented. ☩ = Principal Sunday celebration ◊ = Vigil into Sunday
B = Blue P = Purple W = White G = Green R = Red S = Scarlet BK = Black GO = Gold

☩ Advent 1 - Sunday, November 27, 2005 (B/P)
Isaiah 64:1-9 † Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19 (LBW Psalm 80:1-7, 16-18)
1 Corinthians 1:3-9 † Mark 13:24-37

HOLY INNOCENTS - Wednesday, December 28, 2005 (R)
Jeremiah 31:15-17 † Psalm 124
1 Peter 4:12-19 † Matthew 2:13-18

☩ Advent 2 - Sunday, December 4, 2005 (B/P)
Isaiah 40:1-11 † Psalm 85:1-2, 8-13
2 Peter 3:8-15a † Mark 1:1-8

☩ Christmas 1 - Sunday, January 1, 2006 (W)
Isaiah 61:10—62:3 † Psalm 148
Galatians 4:4-7 † Luke 2:22-40

☩ Advent 3 - Sunday, December 11, 2005 (B/P)
Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11 † Psalm 126 or Luke 1:47-55
1 Thessalonians 5:16-24 † John 1:6-8, 19-28

In some communities, the Holy Communion of Christmas 1 includes Propers for the Name of Jesus.

☩ Advent 4 - Sunday, December 18, 2005 (B/P)
2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16 † Luke 1:47-55 or Psalm 89:1-4, 19-26
Romans 16:25-27 † Luke 1:26-38

NAME OF JESUS - Sunday, January 1, 2006 (W)
Numbers 6:22-27 † Psalm 8
Galatians 4:4-7 or Philippians 2:5-11 † Luke 2:15-21

ST. THOMAS - Wednesday, December 21, 2005 (R)
Judges 6:36-40 † Psalm 136:1-4, 23-26
Ephesians 4:11-16 † John 14:1-7

Epiphany of Our Lord - Friday, January 6, 2006 (W)
Isaiah 60:1-6 † Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14
Ephesians 3:1-12 † Matthew 2:1-12

Nativity of Our Lord - Saturday, December 24, 2005 (W)
Christmas Eve
Isaiah 9:2-7 † Psalm 96
Titus 2:11-14 † Luke 2:1-14 (15-20)

☩ Baptism of Our Lord [Proper 1] - Sunday, January 8, 2006 (W)
Genesis 1:1-5 † Psalm 29
Acts 19:1-7 † Mark 1:4-11

Nativity of Our Lord - Sunday, December 25, 2005 (W)
Christmas Day/Dawn
Isaiah 62:6-12 † Psalm 97
Titus 3:4-7 † Luke 2:(1-7) 8-20

☩ Epiphany 2 [Proper 2] - Sunday, January 15, 2006 (G)
1 Samuel 3:1-10 (11-20) † Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18
(LBW Psalm 139:1-5, 12-17)
1 Corinthians 6:12-20 † John 1:43-51

Nativity of Our Lord - Sunday, December 25, 2005 (W)
Christmas Day
Isaiah 52:7-10 † Psalm 98
Hebrews 1:1-4 (5-12) † John 1:1-14

CONFESSION OF ST. PETER - Wednesday, January 18, 2006 (W)
Acts 4:8-13 † Psalm 18:1-7, 17-20
1 Corinthians 10:1-5 † Matthew 16:13-19

ST. STEPHEN - Monday, December 26, 2005 (R)
2 Chronicles 24:17-22 † Psalm 17:1-9, 16
Acts 6:8—7:2a, 51-60 † Matthew 23:34-39

☩ Epiphany 3 [Proper 3] - Sunday, January 22, 2006 (G)
Jonah 3:1-5, 10 † Psalm 62:5-12 (LBW Psalm 62:6-14)
1 Corinthians 7:29-31 † Mark 1:14-20

ST. JOHN - Tuesday, December 27, 2005 (W)
Genesis 1:1-5, 26-31 † Psalm 116:10-17
1 John 1:1—2:2 † John 21:20-25

CONVERSION OF ST. PAUL - Wednesday, January 25, 2006 (W)
Acts 9:1-22 † Psalm 67
Galatians 1:11-24 † Luke 21:10-19

✠ Epiphany 4 [Proper 4] - Sunday, January 29, 2006 (G)
Deuteronomy 18:15-20 ✠ Psalm 111
1 Corinthians 8:1-13 ✠ Mark 1:21-28

PRESENTATION OF OUR LORD - Thursday, February 2, 2006 (W)
Malachi 3:1-4 ✠ Psalm 84 *or* Psalm 24:7-10
Hebrews 2:14-18 ✠ Luke 2:22-40

✠ Epiphany 5 [Proper 5] - Sunday, February 5, 2006 (G)
Isaiah 40:21-31 ✠ Psalm 147:1-11, 20c
1 Corinthians 9:16-23 ✠ Mark 1:29-39

✠ Epiphany 6 [Proper 6] - Sunday, February 12, 2006 (G)
2 Kings 5:1-14 ✠ Psalm 30
1 Corinthians 9:24-27 ✠ Mark 1:40-45

✠ Epiphany 7 [Proper 7] - Sunday, February 19, 2006 (G)
Isaiah 43:18-25 ✠ Psalm 41
2 Corinthians 1:18-22 ✠ Mark 2:1-12

ST. MATTHIAS - Friday, February 24, 2006 (R)
Isaiah 66:1-2 ✠ Psalm 56
Acts 1:15-26 ✠ Luke 6:12-16

✠ Transfiguration of Our Lord - Sunday, February 26, 2006 (W)
2 Kings 2:1-12 ✠ Psalm 50:1-6
2 Corinthians 4:3-6 ✠ Mark 9:2-9

Ash Wednesday - Wednesday, March 1, 2006 (BK/P)
Joel 2:1-2, 12-17 *or* Isaiah 58:1-12 ✠ Psalm 51:1-17
(LBW Psalm 51:1-18)
2 Corinthians 5:20b—6:10 ✠ Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21

✠ Lent 1 - Sunday, March 5, 2006 (P)
Genesis 9:8-17 ✠ Psalm 25:1-10 (LBW Psalm 25:1-9)
1 Peter 3:18-22 ✠ Mark 1:9-15

✠ Lent 2 - Sunday, March 12, 2006 (P)
Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16 ✠ Psalm 22:23-31 (LBW Psalm 22:22-30)
Romans 4:13-25 ✠ Mark 8:31-38

✠ Lent 3 - Sunday, March 19, 2006 (P)
Exodus 20:1-17 ✠ Psalm 19
1 Corinthians 1:18-25 ✠ John 2:13-22

ANNUNCIATION OF OUR LORD - Saturday, March 25, 2006 (W)
Isaiah 7:10-14 ✠ Psalm 45 *or* Psalm 40:5-10
(LBW Psalm 40:5-11)
Hebrews 10:4-10 ✠ Luke 1:26-38

✠ Lent 4 - Sunday, March 26, 2006 (P)
Numbers 21:4-9 ✠ Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22
Ephesians 2:1-10 ✠ John 3:14-21

✠ Lent 5 - Sunday, April 2, 2006 (P)
Jeremiah 31:31-34 ✠ Psalm 51:1-12 (LBW Psalm 51:1-13)
or Psalm 119:9-16
Hebrews 5:5-10 ✠ John 12:20-33

✠ Sunday of the Passion/Palm Sunday - Sunday, April 9, 2006 (S/P)
Liturgy of the Palms
Mark 11:1-11 *or* John 12:12-16
Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29
Liturgy of the Passion
Isaiah 50:4-9a ✠ Psalm 31:9-16
Philippians 2:5-11 ✠ Mark 14:1—15:47 *or* Mark 15:1-39 (40-47)

Monday in Holy Week - Monday, April 10, 2006 (S/P)
Isaiah 42:1-9 ✠ Psalm 36:5-11 (LBW Psalm 36:5-10)
Hebrews 9:11-15 ✠ John 12:1-11

Tuesday in Holy Week - Tuesday, April 11, 2006 (S/P)
Isaiah 49:1-7 ✠ Psalm 71:1-14
1 Corinthians 1:18-31 ✠ John 12:20-36

Wednesday in Holy Week - Wednesday, April 12, 2006 (S/P)
Isaiah 50:4-9a ✠ Psalm 70
Hebrews 12:1-3 ✠ John 13:21-32

Maundy Thursday - Thursday, April 13, 2006 (S/W)
Exodus 24:3-11 ✠ Psalm 116:10-17
1 Corinthians 10:16-17 (18-21) ✠ Mark 14:12-26

Good Friday - Friday, April 14, 2006 (No Colour)
Isaiah 52:13—53:12 ✠ Psalm 22
Hebrews 10:16-25 *or* Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:7-9 ✠ John 18:1—19:42

Holy Saturday - Saturday, April 15, 2006 (No Colour)
Job 14:1-14 *or* Lamentations 3:1-9, 19-24 ✠ Psalm 31:1-4, 15-16
1 Peter 4:1-8 ✠ Matthew 27:57-66 *or* John 19:38-42

✠ Resurrection of Our Lord - Easter Vigil -
Saturday/Sunday, April 15/16, 2006 (W)
Genesis 1:1—2:4a and Psalm 136:1-9, 23-26
Genesis 7:1-5, 11-18; 8:6-18; 9:8-13 and Psalm 46
Genesis 22:1-18 and Psalm 16
Exodus 14:10-31; 15:20-21 and Exodus 15:1b-13, 17-18
Isaiah 55:1-11 and Isaiah 12:2-6
Baruch 3:9-15, 32—4:4 *or*
Proverbs 8:1-8, 19-21; 9:4b-6 and Psalm 19
Ezekiel 36:24-28 and Psalm 42 and 43
Ezekiel 37:1-14 and Psalm 143
Zephaniah 3:14-20 and Psalm 98
Romans 6:3-11
Psalm 114
Mark 16:1-8

✠ Resurrection of Our Lord - Easter Day -
Sunday, April 16, 2006 (GO/W)
Acts 10:34-43 *or* Isaiah 25:6-9 ✠ Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24
1 Corinthians 15:1-11 *or* Acts 10:34-43
John 20:1-18 *or* Mark 16:1-8

Resurrection of Our Lord - Easter Evening -
Sunday, April 16, 2006 (W)
Isaiah 25:6-9 ✠ Psalm 114
1 Corinthians 5:6b-8 ✠ Luke 24:13-49

✠ Easter 2 - Sunday, April 23, 2006 (W)

Acts 4:32-35 ✠ Psalm 133

1 John 1:1—2:2 ✠ John 20:19-31

ST. MARK - Tuesday, April 25, 2006 (R)

Isaiah 52:7-10 ✠ Psalm 57

2 Timothy 4:6-11, 18 ✠ Mark 1:1-15

✠ Easter 3 - Sunday, April 30, 2006 (W)

Acts 3:12-19 ✠ Psalm 4

1 John 3:1-7 ✠ Luke 24:36b-48

ST. PHILIP AND ST. JAMES - Monday, May 1, 2006 (R)

Isaiah 30:18-21 ✠ Psalm 44:1-3, 20-26

2 Corinthians 4:1-6 ✠ John 14:8-14

✠ Easter 4 - Sunday, May 7, 2006 (W)

Acts 4:5-12 ✠ Psalm 23

1 John 3:16-24 ✠ John 10:11-18

✠ Easter 5 - Sunday, May 14, 2006 (W)

Acts 8:26-40 ✠ Psalm 22:25-31 (LBW Psalm 22:24-30)

1 John 4:7-21 ✠ John 15:1-8

✠ Easter 6 - Sunday, May 21, 2006 (W)

Acts 10:44-48 ✠ Psalm 98

1 John 5:1-6 ✠ John 15:9-17

Ascension of Our Lord - Thursday, May 25, 2006 (W)

Acts 1:1-11 ✠ Psalm 47 *or* Psalm 93

Ephesians 1:15-23 ✠ Luke 24:44-53

✠ Easter 7 - Sunday, May 28, 2006 (W)

Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 ✠ Psalm 1

1 John 5:9-13 ✠ John 17:6-19

VISITATION - Wednesday, May 31, 2006 (W)

1 Samuel 2:1-10 ✠ Psalm 113

Romans 12:9-16b ✠ Luke 1:39-57

✠ Vigil of Pentecost - Saturday/Sunday, June 3/4, 2006 (R)

Exodus 19:1-9 *or* Acts 2:1-11 ✠ Psalm 33:12-22 *or* Psalm 130

Romans 8:14-17, 22-27 ✠ John 7:37-39a

✠ Day of Pentecost - Sunday, June 4, 2006 (R)

Acts 2:1-21 *or* Ezekiel 37:1-14 ✠ Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

(LBW Psalm 104:25-35, 37)

Romans 8:22-27 *or* Acts 2:1-21 ✠ John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

✠ Holy Trinity - Sunday, June 11, 2006 (W)

Isaiah 6:1-8 ✠ Psalm 29

Romans 8:12-17 ✠ John 3:1-17

In some communities, the Holy Communion of Holy Trinity includes Propers for St. Barnabas.

ST. BARNABAS - Sunday, June 11, 2006 (R)

Isaiah 42:5-12 ✠ Psalm 112

Acts 11:19-30; 13:1-3 ✠ Matthew 10:7-16

✠ Pentecost 2 - [Proper 11] - Sunday, June 18, 2006 (G)

1 Samuel 15:34—16:13 ✠ Psalm 20

2 Corinthians 5:6-10,(11-13),14-17 ✠ Mark 4:26-34

NATIVITY OF JOHN THE BAPTIST - Saturday, June 24, 2006 (W)

Malachi 3:1-4 ✠ Psalm 141

Acts 13:13-26 ✠ Luke 1:57-67 (68-80)

✠ Pentecost 3 - [Proper 12] - Sunday, June 25, 2006 (G)

1 Samuel 17:(1a, 4-11, 19-23) 32-49 and Psalm 9:9-20

or 1 Samuel 17:57—18:5, 10-16 and Psalm 133

2 Corinthians 6:1-13 ✠ Mark 4:35-41

ST. PETER AND ST. PAUL - Thursday, June 29, 2006 (R)

Ezekiel 34:11-16 ✠ Psalm 87:1-2, 4-6

1 Corinthians 3:16-23 ✠ Mark 8:27-35

✠ Pentecost 4 - [Proper 13] - Sunday, July 2, 2006 (G)

2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27 ✠ Psalm 130

2 Corinthians 8:7-15 ✠ Mark 5:21-43

✠ Pentecost 5 - [Proper 14] - Sunday, July 9, 2006 (G)

2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10 ✠ Psalm 48

2 Corinthians 12:2-10 ✠ Mark 6:1-13

✠ Pentecost 6 - [Proper 15] - Sunday, July 16, 2006 (G)

2 Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19 ✠ Psalm 24

Ephesians 1:3-14 ✠ Mark 6:14-29

ST. MARY MAGDALENE - Saturday, July 22, 2006 (W)

Ruth 1:6-18 *or* Exodus 2:1-10 ✠ Psalm 73:23-29

Acts 13:26-33a ✠ John 20:1-2, 11-18

✠ Pentecost 7 - [Proper 16] - Sunday, July 23, 2006 (G)

2 Samuel 7:1-14a ✠ Psalm 89:20-37

Ephesians 2:11-22 ✠ Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

ST. JAMES THE ELDER - Tuesday, July 25, 2006 (R)

1 Kings 19:9-18 ✠ Psalm 7:1-11

Acts 11:27—12:3a ✠ Mark 10:35-45

✠ Pentecost 8 - [Proper 17] - Sunday, July 30, 2006 (G)

2 Samuel 11:1-15 ✠ Psalm 14 (LBW Psalm 53)

Ephesians 3:14-21 ✠ John 6:1-21

✠ Pentecost 9 - [Proper 18] - Sunday, August 6, 2006 (G)

2 Samuel 11:26—12:13a ✠ Psalm 51:1-12 (LBW Psalm 51:1-13)

Ephesians 4:1-16 ✠ John 6:24-35

✠ Pentecost 10 - [Proper 19] - Sunday, August 13, 2006 (G)

2 Samuel 18:5-9, 15, 31-33 ✠ Psalm 130

Ephesians 4:25—5:2 ✠ John 6:35, 41-51

MARY, MOTHER OF OUR LORD - Tuesday, August 15, 2006 (W)

Isaiah 61:7-11 ✠ Psalm 45:11-16

Galatians 4:4-7 ✠ Luke 1:46-55

✠ Pentecost 11 - [Proper 20] - Sunday, August 20, 2006 (G)

1 Kings 2:10-12; 3:3-14 ✠ Psalm 111

Ephesians 5:15-20 ✠ John 6:51-58

ST. BARTHOLOMEW - Thursday, August 24, 2006 (R)

Exodus 19:1-6 † Psalm 12

1 Corinthians 12:27-31a † John 1:43-51

✠ Pentecost 12 - [Proper 21] - Sunday, August 27, 2006 (G)

1 Kings 8:(1, 6, 10-11) 22-30, 41-43 † Psalm 84

Ephesians 6:10-20 † John 6:56-69

✠ Pentecost 13 - [Proper 22] - Sunday, September 3, 2006 (G)

Song of Solomon 2:8-13 † Psalm 45:1-2, 6-9

(LBW Psalm 45:1-2, 7-10)

James 1:17-27 † Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

✠ Pentecost 14 - [Proper 23] - Sunday, September 10, 2006 (G)

Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23 † Psalm 125

James 2:1-10 (11-13) 14-17 † Mark 7:24-37

HOLY CROSS DAY - Thursday, September 14, 2006 (R)

Numbers 21:4b-9 † Psalm 98:1-5 *or* Psalm 78:1-2, 34-38

1 Corinthians 1:18-24 † John 3:13-17

✠ Pentecost 15 - [Proper 24] - Sunday, September 17, 2006 (G)

Proverbs 1:20-33 † Psalm 19 *or* Wisdom of Solomon 7:26—8:1

James 3:1-12 † Mark 8:27-38

ST. MATTHEW - Thursday, September 21, 2006 (R)

Ezekiel 2:8—3:11 † Psalm 119:33-40

Ephesians 2:4-10 † Matthew 9:9-13

✠ Pentecost 16 - [Proper 25] - Sunday, September 24, 2006 (G)

Proverbs 31:10-31 † Psalm 1

James 3:13—4:3, 7-8a † Mark 9:30-37

ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS - Friday, September 29, 2006 (W)

Daniel 10:10-14; 12:1-3 † Psalm 103:1-5, 20-22

Revelation 12:7-12 † Luke 10:17-20

✠ Pentecost 17 - [Proper 26] - Sunday, October 1, 2006 (G)

Esther 7:1-6, 9-10; 9:20-22 † Psalm 124

James 5:13-20 † Mark 9:38-50

✠ Pentecost 18 - [Proper 27] - Sunday, October 8, 2006 (G)

Job 1:1; 2:1-10 † Psalm 26

Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12 † Mark 10:2-16

In some communities, Thanksgiving Propers are transferred to the Holy Communion of the preceding Sunday. The ELCIC Sunday Bulletin Series reflects this option for 2006.

Thanksgiving Day - Monday, October 9, 2006 (W)

Joel 2:21-27 † Psalm 126

1 Timothy 2:1-7 † Matthew 6:25-33

✠ Pentecost 19 - [Proper 28] - Sunday, October 15, 2006 (G)

Job 23:1-9, 16-17 † Psalm 22:1-15

Hebrews 4:12-16 † Mark 10:17-31

ST. LUKE - Wednesday, October 18, 2006 (R)

Isaiah 43:8-13 *or* Isaiah 35:5-8 † Psalm 124

2 Timothy 4:5-11 † Luke 1:1-4; 24:44-53

✠ Pentecost 20 - [Proper 29] - Sunday, October 22, 2006 (G)

Job 38:1-7 (34-41) † Psalm 104:1-9, 24, 35c

(LBW Psalm 104:1-9, 25, 37)

Hebrews 5:1-10 † Mark 10:35-45

ST. SIMON AND ST. JUDE - Saturday, October 28, 2006 (R)

Jeremiah 26: (1-6) 7-16 † Psalm 11

1 John 4:1-6 † John 14:21-27

✠ Pentecost 21 - [Proper 30] - Sunday, October 29, 2006 (G)

Job 42:1-6, 10-17 † Psalm 34:1-8 (19-22)

Hebrews 7:23-28 † Mark 10:46-52

In some communities, Reformation Propers are transferred to the Holy Communion of the last Sunday in October. The ELCIC Sunday Bulletin Series reflects this option for 2006.

REFORMATION DAY - Tuesday, October 31, 2006 (R)

Isaiah 2:2-4 † Psalm 133

Ephesians 4:1-6 † John 17:15-23

ALL SAINTS DAY - Wednesday, November 1, 2006 (W)

Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-9 *or* Isaiah 25:6-9 † Psalm 24

Revelation 21:1-6a † John 11:32-44

In some communities, All Saints Propers are transferred to the Holy Communion of the first Sunday in November. The ELCIC Sunday Bulletin Series reflects this option for 2006.

✠ Pentecost 22 - [Proper 31] - Sunday, November 5, 2006 (G)

Ruth 1:1-18 † Psalm 146

Hebrews 9:11-14 † Mark 12:28-34

✠ Pentecost 23 - [Proper 32] - Sunday, November 12, 2006 (G)

Ruth 3:1-5; 4:13-17 † Psalm 127

Hebrews 9:24-28 † Mark 12:38-44

✠ Pentecost 24 - [Proper 33] - Sunday, November 19, 2006 (G)

1 Samuel 1:4-20 † 1 Samuel 2:1-10

Hebrews 10:11-14 (15-18) 19-25 † Mark 13:1-8

✠ Christ the King *or* Reign of Christ - [Proper 34] - Sunday, November 26, 2006 (W)

2 Samuel 23:1-7 † Psalm 132:1-12 (13-18)

(LBW Psalm 132:1-13 (14-19))

Revelation 1:4b-8 † John 18:33-37

ST. ANDREW - Thursday, November 30, 2006 (R)

Ezekiel 3:16-21 † Psalm 19:1-6

Romans 10:10-18 † John 1:35-42

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