

ADVENT LECTIONARY FOR YEAR C

Principal Service

First Sunday of Advent

Jeremiah 33:14-16
Psalm 25:1-10
1 Thessalonians 3:9-13
Luke 21:25-36

Second Sunday of Advent

Baruch 5:1-9 *or* Malachi 3:1-4
Canticle: Benedictus
(Luke 1:68-79)
Philippians 1:3-11
Luke 3:1-6

Third Sunday of Advent

Zephaniah 3:14-20
Canticle: Isaiah 12:2-6
Philippians 4:4-7
Luke 3:7-18

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Micah 5:2-5a
Canticle: Magnificat
(Luke 1:46b-55)
or Psalm 80:1-7
Hebrews 10:5-10
Luke 1:39-45 (46-55)

Christmas Day

Any of the following sets of readings may be used on the evening of Christmas Eve and on Christmas Day. Set III should be used at some service during the celebration.

- I* Isaiah 9:2-7; Psalm 96; Titus 2:11-14; Luke 2:1-14 (15-20)
- II* Isaiah 62:6-12; Psalm 97; Titus 3:4-7; Luke 2:(1-7) 8-20
- III* Isaiah 52:7-10; Psalm 98; Hebrews 1:1-4 (5-12); John 1:1-14