

SUNDAYS & SPECIAL DAYS 2023 Calendar

SUNDAYS DETERMINED BY ANNUAL CONFERENCE:

Christian Education, Disability Awareness, Golden Cross Sunday, International Day, Rural Life

<p>JANUARY 1 Epiphany Sunday (White or Gold) Isa 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-7, 10-14 (UMH 795); Eph 3:1-12; Matt 2:1-12</p>	<p>APRIL 02 Passion / Palm Sunday (Purple or Red) <u>Palms Lit.</u>: Matt 21:1-11; Ps 118:1-2, 19-29 (UMH 839) <u>Passion Lit.</u>: Isa 50:4-9a; Ps 31:9-16 (UMH 764); Phil 2:5-11; Matt 26:14-27:66 or Matt 27:11-54</p>
<p>JANUARY 06 Epiphany of the Lord (White or Gold) Isa 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-7 (UMH 795), 10-14; Eph 3:1-12; Matt 2:1-12</p>	<p>APRIL 03 Monday of Holy Week (Purple or Red) Isa 42:1-9; Ps 36:5-11 (UMH 771); Heb 9:11-15; John 12:1-11</p>
<p>JANUARY 08 Baptism of the Lord (White or Gold) Isa 42:1-9; Ps 29 (UMH 761); Acts 10:34-43; Matt 3:13-17</p>	<p>APRIL 04 Tuesday of Holy Week (Purple or Red) Isa 49:1-7 (UMH 794); Ps 71:1-14; 1 Cor 1:18-31; John 12:20-36</p>
<p>JANUARY 15 2nd Sunday After the Epiphany (Green) Isa 49:1-7; Ps 40:1-11 (UMH 774); 1 Cor 1:1-9; John 1:29-42</p>	<p>APRIL 05 Wednesday of Holy Week (Purple or Red) Isa 50:4-9a; Ps 70 (UMH 793); Heb 12:1-3; John 13:21-32</p>
<p>JANUARY 22 3rd Sunday After the Epiphany (Green) Isa 9:1-4; Ps 27:1, 4-9 (UMH 758); 1 Cor 1:10-18; Matt 4:12-23</p>	<p>APRIL 06 Maundy Thursday (Purple or Red) Ex 12:1-4, (5-10), 11-14; Ps 116:1-2, 12-19 (UMH 837); 1 Cor 11:23-26; John 13:1-17, 31b-35</p>
<p>JANUARY 29 4th Sunday After the Epiphany (Green) Mic 6:1-8; Ps 15 (UMH 747); 1 Cor 1:18-31; Matt 5:1-12</p>	<p>APRIL 07 Good Friday (No Color) Isa 52:13-53:12; Ps 22 (UMH 752); Heb 10:16-25; John 18:1-19:42</p>
<p>FEBRUARY 05 5th Sunday After the Epiphany (Green) Isa 58:1-9a (9b-12); Ps 112:1-9 (10) (UMH 833); 1 Cor 2:1-12 (13-16); Matt 5:13-20</p>	<p>APRIL 08 Holy Saturday / Easter Eve (White or Gold) Job 14:1-14; Ps 31:1-4, 15-16; 1 Pet 4:1-8; Matt 27:57-66</p>
<p>FEBRUARY 12 6th Sunday After the Epiphany; Scouting Sunday (Green) Deut 30:15-20; Ps 119:1-8 (UMH 840); 1 Cor 3:1-9; Matt 5:21-37</p>	<p>APRIL 09 Easter Sunday; Easter Vigil (White or Gold) Acts 10:34-43; Ps 118:1-2, 14-24 (UMH 839); Col 3:1-4; John 20:1-18 or Matt 28:1-10</p>
<p>FEBRUARY 19 Transfiguration Sunday (White or Gold) Ex 24:12-18; Ps 99 (UMH 819); 2 Pet 1:16-21; Matt 17:1-9</p>	<p>APRIL 16 2nd Sunday of Easter (White or Gold) Acts 2:14a, 22-32; Ps 16 (UMH 748); 1 Pet 1:3-9; John 20:19-31</p>
<p>FEBRUARY 22 Ash Wednesday (Purple or Grey) Joel 2:1-2, 12-17; Ps 51:1-17 (UMH 785); 2 Cor 5:20b-6:10; Matt 6:1-6, 16-21</p>	<p>APRIL 23 3rd Sunday of Easter; Native American Ministries Sunday (White or Gold) Acts 2:14a, 36-41; Ps 116:1-4, 12-19 (UMH 837); 1 Pet 1:17-23; Luke 24:13-35</p>
<p>FEBRUARY 26 First Sunday in Lent (Purple) Gen 2:15-17; 3:1-7; Ps 32 (UMH 766); Rom 5:12-19; Matt 4:1-11</p>	<p>APRIL 30 4th Sunday of Easter (White or Gold) Acts 2:42-47; Ps 23 (UMH 754 or 137); 1 Pet 2:19-25; John 10:1-10</p>
<p>MARCH 05 2nd Sunday in Lent (Purple) Gen 12:1-4a; Ps 121 (UMH 844); Rom 4:1-5, 13-17; John 3:1-17</p>	<p>MAY 07 5th Sunday of Easter (White or Gold) Acts 7:55-60; Ps 31:1-5, 15-16 (UMH 764); 1 Pet 2:2-10; John 14:1-14</p>
<p>MARCH 12 3rd Sunday in Lent (Purple) Ex 17:1-7; Ps 95 (UMH 814); Rom 5:1-11; John 4:5-42</p>	<p>MAY 14 6th Sunday of Easter; Heritage Sunday; Mother's Day (White or Gold) Acts 17:22-31; Ps 66:8-20 (UMH 790); 1 Pet 3:13-22; John 14:15-21</p>
<p>MARCH 19 4th Sunday in Lent (Purple) 1 Sam 16:1-13; Ps 23 (UMH 754 or 137); Eph 5:8-14; John 9:1-41</p>	<p>MAY 21 7th Sunday of Easter; Ascension Sunday (White or Gold) Acts 1:6-14; Ps 68:1-10, 32-35 (UMH 792); 1 Pet 4:12-14, 5:6-11; John 17:1-11</p>
<p>MARCH 26 5th Sunday in Lent (Purple) Ezek 37; 1-14; Ps 130 (UMH 848); Rom 8:6-11; John 11:1-45</p>	<p><u>Ascension of the Lord Lections:</u> Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47 (UMH 781); Eph 1:15-23; Luke 24:44-53</p>

<p>MAY 28 Pentecost (Red) Acts 2:1-21; Ps 104:24-34, 35b (<i>UMH 826</i>); 1 Cor 12:3b-13; John 7:37-39</p>	<p>OCTOBER 01 18th Sunday After Pentecost; World Communion Sunday (Green) Ex 17:1-7; Ps 78:1-4, 12-16 (<i>UMH 799</i>); Phil 2:1-13; Matt 21:23-32</p>
<p>JUNE 04 Trinity Sunday; Peace with Justice Sunday (White or Gold) Gen 1:1-2:4a; Ps 8 (<i>UMH 743</i>); 2 Cor 13:11-13; Matt 28:16-20</p>	<p>OCTOBER 08 19th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Ex 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20; Ps 19 (<i>UMH 750</i>); Phil 3:4b-14; Matt 21:33-46</p>
<p>JUNE 11 2nd Sunday after Pentecost (Green) Gen 12:1-9; Ps 33:1-12 (<i>UMH 767</i>); Rom 4:13-25; Matt 9:9-13, 18-26</p>	<p>OCTOBER 15 20th Sunday After Pentecost; Laity Sunday (Green) Ex 32:1-14; Ps 106:1-6, 19-23 (<i>UMH 829</i>); Phil 4:1-9; Matt 22:1-14</p>
<p>JUNE 18 3rd Sunday after Pentecost; Father's Day (Green) Gen 18:1-15, (21:1-7); Ps 116:1-2, 12-19 (<i>UMH 837</i>); Rom 5:1-8; Matt 9:35-10:8, (9-23)</p>	<p>OCTOBER 22 21st Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Ex 33:12-23; Ps 99 (<i>UMH 819</i>); 1 Thess 1:1-10; Matt 22:15-22</p>
<p>JUNE 25 4th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Gen 21:8-21; Ps 86:1-10, 16-17 (<i>UMH 749</i>); Rom 6:1b-11; Matt 10:24-39</p>	<p>OCTOBER 29 22nd Sunday After Pentecost; Reformation Sunday (Green) Deut 34:1-12; Ps 90:1-6, 13-17 (<i>UMH 809</i>); 1 Thess 2:1-8; Matt 22:34-46</p>
<p>JULY 02 5th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Gen 22:1-14; Ps 13 (<i>UMH 746</i>); Rom 6:12-23; Matt 10:40-42</p>	<p>NOVEMBER 05 23rd Sunday After Pentecost; All Saints Sunday (White) Josh 3:7-17; Ps 107:1-7, 33-37 (<i>UMH 830</i>); 1 Thess 2:9-13; Matt 23:1-12</p>
<p>JULY 09 6th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Gen 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67; Ps 45:10-17; Rom 7:15-25a; Matt 11:16-19, 25-30</p>	<p>NOVEMBER 12 24th Sunday after Pentecost; Organ & Tissue Donor Sunday (Green) Josh 24:1-3a, 14-25; Ps 78:1-7 (<i>UMH 799</i>); 1 Thess 4:13-18; Matt 25:1-13</p>
<p>JULY 16 7th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Gen 25:19-34; Ps 119:105-112; Rom 8:1-11; Matt 13:1-9, 18-23</p>	<p>NOVEMBER 19 25th Sunday after Pentecost (Green) Judg 4:1-7; Ps 123; 1 Thess 5:1-11; Matt 25:14-30</p>
<p>JULY 23 8th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Gen 28:10-19a; Ps 139:1-12, 23-24 (<i>UMH 854</i>); Rom 8:12-25; Matt 13:24-30, 36-43</p>	<p>NOVEMBER 23 Lections for Thanksgiving Day (No Color) Deut 8:7-18; Ps 65 (<i>UMH 821</i>); 2 Cor 9:6-15; Luke 17:11-19</p>
<p>JULY 30 9th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Gen 29:15-28; Ps 105:1-11, 45b (<i>UMH 828</i>); Rom 8:26-39; Matt 13:31-33, 44-52</p>	<p>NOVEMBER 26 26th Sunday After Pentecost; Reign of Christ (White or Gold) Ezek 34:11-16, 20-24; Ps 100 (<i>UMH 821</i>); Eph 1:15-23; Matt 25:31-46</p>
<p>AUGUST 06 10th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Gen 32:22-31; Ps 17:1-7, 15 (<i>UMH 749</i>); Rom 9:1-5; Matt 14:13-21</p>	<p>DECEMBER 03 1st Sunday of Advent (Purple or Blue) Isa 64:1-9; Ps 80:1-7, 17-19 (<i>UMH 801</i>); 1 Cor 1:3-9; Mark 13:24-37</p>
<p>AUGUST 13 11th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Gen 37:1-4, 12-28; Ps 105:1-6, 16-22, 45b (<i>UMH 828</i>); Rom 10:5-15; Matt 14:22-33</p>	<p>DECEMBER 10 2nd Sunday of Advent (Purple or Blue) Isa 40:1-11; Ps 85:1-2, 8-13 (<i>UMH 806</i>); 2 Pet 3:8-15a; Mark 1:1-8</p>
<p>AUGUST 20 12th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Gen 45:1-15; Ps 133 (<i>UMH 850</i>); Rom 11:1-2a, 29-32; Matt 15:(10-20), 21-28</p>	<p>DECEMBER 17 3rd Sunday of Advent (Purple or Blue) Isa 61:1-4, 8-11; Ps 126 (<i>UMH 847</i>); 1 Thess 5:16-24; John 1:6-8, 19-28</p>
<p>AUGUST 27 13th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Ex 1:8-2:10; Ps 124 (<i>UMH 846</i>); Rom 12:1-8; Matt 16:13-20</p>	<p>DECEMBER 24 4th Sunday of Advent; Christmas Eve (White or Gold) 2 Sam 7:1-11, 16; Luke 1:46b-55 (<i>UMH 199</i>); Rom 16:25-27; Luke 1:26-38 Christmas Eve: Isa 9:2-7; Ps 96 (<i>UMH 815</i>); Titus 2:11-14; Luke 2:1-14 (15-20)</p>
<p>SEPTEMBER 03 14th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Ex 3:1-15; Ps 105:1-6, 23-26, 45b (<i>UMH 828</i>); Rom 12:9-21; Matt 16:21-28</p>	<p>DECEMBER 25 Christmas Day (White or Gold) Isa 52:7-10; Ps 98 (<i>UMH 818</i>); Heb 1:1-4, (5-12); John 1:1-14</p>
<p>SEPTEMBER 10 15th Sunday After Pentecost; Grandparent's Day (Green) Ex 12:1-14; Ps 149 (<i>UMH 861</i>); Rom 13:8-14; Matt 18:15-20</p>	<p>DECEMBER 31 1st Sunday after Christmas Day (White or Gold) Isa 61:10-62:3; Ps 148 (<i>UMH 861</i>); Gal 4:4-7; Luke 2:22-40</p>
<p>SEPTEMBER 17 16th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Ex 15:1b-11, 20-21; Ps 114 (<i>UMH 135</i>); Rom 14:1-12; Matt 18:21-35</p>	<p>NOTES: Lections for Easter Vigil <u>Old Testament Readings & Psalms:</u> Gen 1:1-2:4a and Ps 136:1-9, 23-26; Gen 7:1-5, 11-18; 8:6-18; 9:8-13 and Ps 46; Gen 22:1-18 and Ps 16; Ex 14:10-31; 15:20-21 and Ex 15:1b-13, 17-18; Isa 55:1-11 and Isa 12:2-6; Bar 3:9-15, 3:32-4:4 or Prov 8:1-8, 19-21; 9:4b-6 and Ps 19; Ezek 36:24-28 and Ps 42, 43; Ezek 37:1-14 and Ps 143; Zeph 3:14-20 and Ps 98; <u>New Testament Reading & Psalm:</u> Rom 6:3-11 and Ps 114; <u>Gospel:</u> Matt 28:1-10</p>
<p>SEPTEMBER 24 17th Sunday After Pentecost (Green) Ex 16:2-15; Ps 105:1-6, 37-45 (<i>UMH 828</i>); Phil 1:21-30; Matt 20:1-16</p>	