



CAPE LUTHERAN CHURCH
by grace alone

**Sermon Text
and
Readings
for the 2nd Cycle
2025-2026**

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December 2025	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>07 December 2025</u> <u>2. Sunday in Advent</u></p> <p>When these things begin to take place, stand up and lift up your heads, because your redemption is drawing near. Luke 21,28</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Luke 21, 25-33 Old Testament: Isaiah 63,15-19 & 64,1-3 Epistle: James 5,7-8 (9-11) Gospel: Luke 21,25-33</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>14 December 2025</u> <u>3. Sunday in Advent</u></p> <p>Prepare the way for the LORD; See, the Sovereign LORD comes with power. Isaiah 40,3.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Luke 3, (1-2) 3-14 (15-17) 18 (19-20) Old Testament: Isaiah 40,1-11 Epistle: 1. Corintians 4,1-5 Gospel: Luke 1,67-79</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>21 December 2025</u> <u>4. Sunday in Advent</u></p> <p>Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice! The Lord is near. Philippians 4,4-5b</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: 2 Cor. 1, 18-22 Old Testament: Isaiah 62,1-5 Epistle: Philippians 4,4-7 Gospel: Luke 1,26-38 (39-56)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>24 December 2025</u> <u>Christmas Eve</u></p> <p>The Word became flesh and lived for a while among us. John 1, 14a</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Ezekiel 37, 24-28 Old Testament: Isaiah 9 1-6 Epistle: Galatians 4 4-7 Gospel: Luke 2,1-20</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>25 December 2025</u> <u>Christmas Day</u></p> <p>The Word became flesh and lived for a while among us. John 1, 14a</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Titus 3, 4-7 Old Testament: Isaiah 52,7-10 Epistle: Titus. 3,4-7 Gospel: John 1, 1-5, 9-14 (16-18)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>28 December 2025</u> <u>1 Sunday After Christmas</u></p> <p>We have seen His glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. (John 1:14b)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Job 42, 1-6 Old Testament: Isaiah 49,13-16 Epistle: 1 John 1,1-4 Gospel: Luke 2, (22-24)25-38 (39-40)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>31 December 2025</u> <u>Old Year's Eve</u></p> <p>My times are in your hands Psalm 31:15</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Hebrews 13, 8-9b Old Testament: Ecclesiastes 3, 1-15 Epistle: Romans 8,31-39 Gospel: Matthew 13,24-30</p>

January 2026	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>01 January 2026</u> <u>New Years Day</u></p> <p>Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Hebrews 13,18</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: John 14, 1-6 Old Testament: Joshua 1,1-9 Epistle: James 4,13-15 Gospel: Luke 4,16-21</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>04 January 2026</u> <u>2 Sunday After Christmas</u></p> <p>We have seen His glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. (John 1:14b)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Isaiah 61,1-3(4, 9)10-11 Old Testament: Isaiah 61,1-3 (4, 9) 10-11 Epistle: 1 John 5,11-13 Gospel: Luke 2,41-52</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>06 January 2026</u> <u>Epiphany</u></p> <p>The darkness is passing and the true light is already shining. 1. John 2,8</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Ephesians 3 1-7 Old Testament: Isaiah 60,1-6 Epistle: Ephesians 3,1-7 Gospel: Matthew 2, 1-12</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>11 January 2026</u> <u>1. Sunday after Epiphany</u></p> <p>Those who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. Romans 8,14</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Matthew 3, 13-17 Old Testament: Isaiah 42,1-9 Epistle: Romans 12,1-8 Gospel Matthew 3,13-17</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>18 January 2026</u> <u>2. Sunday after Epiphany</u></p> <p>The law was given through Moses: grace and truth came through Jesus Christ. John 1, 17</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Jeremiah 14, 1 (2) 3-4 (5-6) 7-9 Old Testament: Exodus 33,18-23 Epistle Reading: 1 Corinthians 2,1-10 Gospel: John 2:1-11</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>25 January 2026</u> <u>3. Sunday after Epiphany</u></p> <p>People will come from east and west and north and south and will take their places at the feast in the kingdom of God. (Luke 13,29)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Acts 10,21-35 Old Testament: 2 Kings 5, (1-8) 9-15 (16-18)19a Epistle: Romans 1,13-17 Gospel: Matthew 8,5-13</p>

February 2026	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>01 February 2026</u> <u>Last Sunday after Epiphany</u></p> <p>The Lord rises upon you and His glory appears over you. (Isaiah 60,2b)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Revelations 1,9-18 Old Testament: Exodus 3,1-8a(8b-9)10(11-12)13-14 (15) Epistle: 2 Corinthians 4,6-10 Gospel: Matthew 17,1-9</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>08 February 2026</u> <u>Sexagesimae</u></p> <p>Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts. Hebrews 3,15</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Ezekiel 2, 1-5 (6-7) 8-10; 3, 1-3 Old Testament: Isaiah 55, (6-7)8a-12 Epistle: Hebrews 4,12-13 Gospel: Luke. 8,4-8 (9-15)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>15 February 2026</u> <u>Estomihi</u></p> <p>We are going up to Jerusalem, and everything that is written by the prophets about the Son of Man will be fulfilled. Luke 18,31</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Luke 18, 31-43 Old Testament: Amos 5,21-24 Epistle: 1 Corinthians 13,1-13 Gospel: Mark 8:31-38</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>18 February 2026</u> <u>Ash Wednesday</u></p> <p>We are going up to Jerusalem, and everything that is written by the prophets about the Son of Man will be fulfilled. Luke 18,31</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Matthew 9, 14-17 Old Testament: Joel 2, 12-19 Epistle: 2.Peter. 1,2-11 Gospel: Matthew 6,16-21</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>25 February 2026</u> <u>Invocavit</u></p> <p>The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the devil's work. 1. John 3,8b</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Genesis 3, 1-19 (20-24) Old Testament: Genesis 3,1-19, (20-24) Epistle: Hebrews 4,14-16 Gospel: Matthew 4,1-11</p>

<u>March 2026</u>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>01 March 2026</u> <u>Reminiscere</u></p> <p>God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Romans 5,8</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Romans 5,1-5 (6-11) Old Testament: Isaiah 5,1-7 Epistle: Romans 5,1-5 (6-11) Gospel: John 3,14-21</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>08 March 2026</u> <u>Oculi</u></p> <p>No-one who puts his hand to the plough and looks back is fit for service in the kingdom of God. Luke 9,62</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Luke 9, 57-62 Old Testament: 1.Kings 19,1-8 (9-13a) Epistle: Ephesians 5,1-2 (3-7) 8-9 Gospel: Luke 9, 57-62</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>15 March 2026</u> <u>Laetare</u></p> <p>Unless a ear of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains only a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds. John 12,24</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Isaiah 66, 10-14 Old Testament: Isaiah 54,7-10 Epistle: 2.Corinthians 1,3-7 Gospel: John 12,20-24</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>22 March 2026</u> <u>Judica</u></p> <p>The Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many. Matthew 20,28</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Hebrews 13, 12-14 Old Testament: Genesis 22,1-14 (15-19) Epistle: Hebrews 5,(1-6)7-9 (10) Gospel: Mark 10,35-45</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>29 March 2026</u> <u>Palm Sunday</u></p> <p>The Son of Man must be lifted up, so that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life. John 3,14-15</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Mark 14, (1-2) 3-9 Old Testament: Isaiah 50,4-9 Epistle: Philippians 2,5-11 Gospel: John 12,12-19</p>

April 2026	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>02 April 2026</u> <u>Maundy Thursday</u></p> <p>He has caused his wonders to be remembered; the Lord is gracious and compassionate. Psalm 111,4</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Exodus 12,1-4(5)6-8(9)10-14 Old Testament: Exodus 12,1-4(5)6-8(9)10-14 Epistle: 1.Corinthians 11,(17-22)23-26 (27-29, 33-34a) Gospel: John 13,1-15; 34-35</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>03 April 2026</u> <u>Good Friday</u></p> <p>For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life. John 3,16</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: None/Black</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: 2.Corinthians 5, (14b-18) 19-21 Old Testament: Isaiah 52,13-15; 53, 1-12 Epistle: 2.Corinthians 5, (14b-18) 19-21 Gospel: John 19,16-30</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>05 April 2026</u> <u>Easter</u></p> <p>I am the Living One; I was dead, and behold I am alive for ever and ever! And I hold the keys of death and Hades. Rev.1, 18</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: 1 Corinthians 15 (12-18) 19-28 Old Testament: 1.Sameul 2,1-8a Epistle: 1.Corinthians 15,1-11 Gospel: Mark 16,1-8</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>12 April 2026</u> <u>1. Sunday After Easter</u> <u>Quasimodogeniti</u></p> <p>Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In His great mercy He has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. 1.Peter 1,3</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Isaiah 40, 26-31 Old Testament: Isaiah 40, 26-31 Epistle: 1 Peter 1,3-9 Gospel: John 20:19-20 (21-23)24-29</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>19 April 2026</u> <u>2. Sunday After Easter</u> <u>Misericordia Domini</u></p> <p>Christ says: I am the Good Shepherd. My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me, and I give them eternal life. John 10,11a.27-28a</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: 1 Peter 2,21b-25 Old Testament: Ezekiel 34,1-2(3-9)10-16+31 Epistle: 1 Peter 2,21b-25 Gospel: John 10,11-16 (27-30)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>26 April 2026</u> <u>3. Sunday After Easter - Jubilate</u></p> <p>If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, look the new has come. 2.Corinthians 5,17</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: John 15,1-8 Old Testament: Genesis 1,1-4a(4b-25)26-28 (29-30)31a (31b), 2,1-4a Epistle: Acts 17,22-34 Gospel: John 15,1-8</p>

<u>May 2026</u>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>03 May 2026</u></p> <p><u>4. Sunday After Easter - Cantate</u> Sing to the Lord a new song, for He has done marvellous things. Psalm 98,1</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: 2 Chronicles 5, 2-5 (6-11) 12-14 Old Testament: 1 Sam 16,14-23 Epistle: Colossians 3,12-17 Gospel: Luke 19,37-40</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>10 May 2026</u></p> <p><u>5. Sunday After Easter - Rogate</u> Praise be to God, who has not rejected my prayer or withheld His love from me! Psalm 66,20</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Matthew 6, 5-15 Old Testament: Exodus 32,7-14 Epistle: 1. Timothy 2,1-6a Gospel: Luke 11,(1-4) 5-13</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>14 May 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Ascension</u></p> <p>Christ says: I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all men to myself. John 12:32</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: John 17,20-26 Old Testament: 1 Kings 8,22-24, 26-28 Epistle: Acts 1,3-11 Gospel: Luke 24,(44-49) 50-53</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>17 May 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>6. Sunday After Easter</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Exaudi</u></p> <p>Christ says: I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all men to myself. John 12,32</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Jeremiah 31, 31-34 Old Testament: Jeremiah 31,31-34 Epistle: Ephesians 3,14-21 Gospel: John 16,5-15</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>24 May 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Pentecost</u></p> <p>Not by might nor by power, but by my Spirit, says the Lord Almighty. Zechariah 4,6</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Red</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Acts 2,1-21 Old Testament: Genesis 11,1-9 Epistle: Acts 2,1-21 Gospel: John 14,15-19(20-23a) 23b-27</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>31 May 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Trinity</u></p> <p>Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty; the whole earth is full of His glory. (Isaiah 6, 3)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Numbers 6 22-27 Old Testament: Isaiah 6,1-8 (9-13) Epistle: Romans 11,(32) 33-36 Gospel: John 3,1-8 (9-13)</p>

<u>June 2026</u>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>07 June 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>1. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>Christ says: He who listens to you listens to me; he who rejects you rejects me; he who rejects me rejects He who sent me. Luke 10,16</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon text: Acts 4, 32-37 Old Testament: Jeremiah 23:16-29 Epistle: 1 John 4,(13-16a)16b-21 Gospel: Luke 16,19-31</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>14 June 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>2. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>Christ says: Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Matthew 11,28</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Matthew 11, 25-30 Old Testament: Isaiah 55,1-5 Epistle: Ephesians 2,(11-16)17-22 Gospel: Luke 14,(15)16-24</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>21 June 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>3. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>For the Son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost. Luke 19,10</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon text: Micah 7,18-20 Old Testament: Micah 7,18-20 Epistle: 1.Timothy 1,12-17 Gospel: Luke 15,1-3, 11b-32</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>28 June 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>4. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfil the law of Christ. Galatians 6,2</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Romans 12,17-21 Old Testament: Gen 50,15-21 Epistle: Romans 12,17-21 Gospel: Luke 6,36-42</p>

<u>July 2026</u>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>05 July 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>5. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>It is by grace you have been saved through faith - and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God. Ephesians 2,8</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Luke 5,1-11 Old Testament: Gen 12,1-4a Epistle: 1. Corinthians 1,18-25 Gospel: Luke 5,1-11</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>12 July 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>6. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name; you are mine." Isaiah 43,1</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Deuteronomy 7, 6-12 Old Testament: Isaiah 43,1-7 Epistle: Romans 6,3-8 (9-11) Gospel: Matthew 28,16-20</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>19 July 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>7. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>You are no longer foreigners and aliens, but fellow citizens with God's people and members of God's household Ephesians 2,19</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Hebrews 13, 1-3 Old Testament: Exodus 16,2-3,11-18 Epistle: Acts 2,41-47 Gospel: John 6:1-15</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>26 July 2026</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>8. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>Live as children of light, for the fruit of the light consists in all goodness, righteousness and truth. Ephesians 5,8-9</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: John 9, 1-7 Old Testament: Isaiah 2,1-5 Epistle: Ephesians 5,8b-14 Gospel: Matthew 5,13-16</p>

<u>August 2026</u>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>02 August 2026</u> <u>9. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>From everyone who has been given much, much will be demanded; and from the one who has been entrusted with much, much more will be asked. Luke 12,48</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Jeremiah 1, 4-10 Old Testament: Jeremiah 1,4-10 Epistle: Philippians 3,(4b-6) 7-14 Gospel: Matthew 13,44-46</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>09 August 2026</u> <u>10. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord, the people He chose for His inheritance. Psalm 33:12</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Romans 11,25-32 Old Testament: Exodus 19,1-6 Epistle: Romans 11,25-32 Gospel: Mark 12,28-34</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>16 August 2026</u> <u>11. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble." 1 Peter 5:5b</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Luke 18,9-14 Old Testament: Samuel 12:1-10, 13-15a Epistle: Ephesians 2,4-10 Gospel: Luke 18,9-14</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>23 August 2026</u> <u>12. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>A bruised reed He will not break, and a smouldering wick He will not snuff out. Isaiah 42:3</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: 1 Corinthians 3, 9-17 Old Testament: Isaiah 29,17-14 Epistle: Acts 9,1-20 Gospel: Mark 7,31-37</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>30 August 2026</u> <u>13. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>Christ says: "Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me." Matthew 25:40</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Acts 6, 1-7 Old Testament: Leviticus 19,1-3, 13-18, 33-34 Epistle: 1 John 4,7-12 Gospel: Luke 10,25-37</p>

September 2026	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>06 September 2026</u> <u>14. Sunday after Trinity</u> Praise the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits. Psalm 103:2</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i> Sermon Text: Luke 19, 1-10 Old Testament: Genesis 28,10-19a (19b-22) Epistle: Romans 8,14-17 Gospel: Luke 17,11-19</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>13 September 2026</u> <u>15. Sunday after Trinity</u> Cast all your anxiety on Him, because He cares for you. 1 Peter 5:7</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i> Sermon Text: Genesis 2,4b-9(10-14)15(18-25) Old Testament: Genesis: 2,4-9(10-14)15(18-25) Epistle: 1 Peter 5,5b-11 Gospel: Matthew 6,25-34</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>20 September 2026</u> <u>16. Sunday after Trinity</u> Our Saviour Christ Jesus has destroyed death and has brought life and immortality to light (2.Timothy 1,10)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i> Sermon Text: 2 Timothy 1:7-10 Old Testament: Lamentations 3, 22-26, 31-32 Epistle: 2 Timothy 1:7-10 Gospel: John 11, 1(2)3; 17-27 (28-38a)38b-45</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>27 September 2026</u> <u>17. Sunday after Trinity</u> This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith. (I John 5,4)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i> Sermon Text: Matthew 15,21-28 Old Testament: Isaiah 49,1-6 Epistle: Romans 10,9-17 (18) Gospel: Matthew 15,21-28</p>

<u>October 2026</u>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>04 October 2026</u> <u>THE FESTIVAL OF HARVEST</u></p> <p>The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food in due season. Psalm 145,15</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Mark 8,1-9 Old Testament: Deuteronomy 8,7-18 Epistle: 2.Corinthians 9,6-15 Gospel: Mark 8,1-9</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>04 October 2026</u> <u>18. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>He has given us this command: whoever loves God must also love his brother. 1 John 4,21</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Deuteronomy 30, 11-14 Old Testament: Exodus 20,1-17 Epistle: Ephesians 5,15-20 Gospel: Mark 10,17-27</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>11 October 2026</u> <u>19. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>Heal me, O Lord, and I will be healed; save me and I be saved. Jeremiah 17,14</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Ephesians 4 22-32 Old Testament: Exodus 34,4-10 Epistle: James 5,13-16 Gospel: Mark 2,1-12</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>18 October 2026</u> <u>20. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>He has showed you, O man, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with your God. Micah 6,8</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Mark 2, 23-28 Old Testament: Genesis 8,18-22, + 9,12-17 Epistle: 2 Corinthians 3,3-6 (7-9) Gospel: Mark 10,2-9(10-12) 13-16</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>25 October 2026</u> <u>21. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>Do not be overcome by evil but overcome evil with good. (Romans 12, 21)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Jeremiah 29, 1,4-7 (8-9) 10-14 Old Testament: Jeremiah 29, 1,4-7 (8-9) 10-14 Epistle: Ephesians 6, 10-17 Gospel: Matthew 5, 38-48</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>31 October 2026</u> <u>Reformation</u></p> <p>For no-one can lay any foundation other than the one already laid, which is Jesus Christ. (1 Corinthians 3:11)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Red</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Matthew 10, 26-33 Old Testament: Deuteronomy 6,4-9 Epistle: Romans 3,21-28 Gospel: Matthew 5,1-10 (11-12)</p>

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<p style="text-align: center;"><u>01 November 2026</u> <u>22. Sunday after Trinity</u></p> <p>With you there is forgiveness; therefore you are feared. (Psalms 130,4)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Romans 7,14-25a Old Testament: Isaiah 44,21-23 Epistle: Romans 7,14-25a Gospel: Matthew 18,21-35</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>08 November 2026</u> <u>3rd Last Sunday of the Church</u> <u>Year</u></p> <p>Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God. Matth.5, 9</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: 1 Thessalonians 5, 1-6 (7-11) Old Testament: Micah 4,1-5 (7b) Epistle: Romans 8,18-25 Gospel: Luke 17,20-24 (25-30)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>15 November 2026</u> <u>2nd Last Sunday of the Church</u> <u>Year</u></p> <p>We must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, 2 Corinthians 5:10</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Green</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Luke 16, 1-8 (9) Old Testament: Job 14,1-6(7-12)13(14)15-17 Epistle: Romans 14, (1-6) 7-13 Gospel: Matthew 25,31-46</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>18 November 2026</u> <u>Day of Repentance</u></p> <p>Righteousness exalts a nation, but sin condemns any people. Proverbs 14:34</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Isaiah 1,10-18 Old Testament: Isaiah 1,10-18 Epistle: Romans 2,1-11 Gospel: Luke 13,(1-5)6-9</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>22 November 2026</u> <u>Eternity Sunday</u></p> <p>Be dressed ready for service and keep your lamps burning. Luke 12, 35</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Revelation 21,1-7 Old Testament: Isaiah 65,17-19 (20-22) 23-25 Epistle: Revelation 21,1-7 Gospel: Matthew 25,1-13</p>
<u>New Cycle: Year 3</u>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>29 November 2026</u> <u>1. Sunday in Advent</u></p> <p>See, your king comes to you, righteous and having salvation. Zechariah 9,9</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Zechariah 9,9-10 Old Testament: Zechariah 9,9-10 Epistle: Romans 13,8-12 Gospel: Matthew 21, 1-11</p>

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<p style="text-align: center;"><u>7 December 2026</u> <u>2. Sunday in Advent</u></p> <p>When these things begin to take place, stand up and lift up your heads, because your redemption is drawing near. Luke 21,28</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: James 5,7-8 (9-11) Old Testament: Isaiah 63,15-19 & 64,1-3 Epistle: James 5,7-8 (9-11) Gospel: Luke 21,25-33</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>14 December 2026</u> <u>3. Sunday in Advent</u></p> <p>Prepare the way for the Lord; See, the Sovereign Lord comes with power. Isaiah 40,3+10</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Luke 1,67-79 Old Testament: Isaiah 40,1-11 Epistle: 1. Corintians 4,1-5 Gospel: Luke 1,67-79</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>21 December 2026</u> <u>4. Sunday in Advent</u></p> <p>Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice! The Lord is near. Philippians 4,4-5b</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: Violet</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Genesis 18,1-2, 9-15 Old Testament: Isaiah 62,1-5 Epistle: Philippians 4,4-7 Gospel: Luke 1,26-38</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>24 December 2026</u> <u>Christmas Eve</u></p> <p>The Word became flesh and lived for a while among us. John 1, 14a</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Isaiah 11,1-10 Old Testament: Isaiah 9 1-6 Epistle: Galatians 4 4-7 Gospel: Luke 2,1-20</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>25 December 2021</u> <u>Christmas Day</u></p> <p>The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. John 1,14a</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Isaiah 52,7-10 Old Testament: Isaiah 52,7-10 Epistle: Titus. 3,4-7 Gospel: John 1, 1-5,9-14 (16-18)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>28 December 2026</u> <u>1 Sunday After Christmas</u></p> <p>We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. John 1, 14b</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Luke 2,(22-24) 25-38 (39-40) Old Testament: Isaiah 49,13-16 Epistle: 1 John 1,1-4 Gospel: Luke 2, (22-24) 25-38 (39-40)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>31 December 2026</u> <u>Old Year's Eve</u></p> <p>My times are in your hands Psalm 31:15</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Liturgical Colour: White</i></p> <p>Sermon Text: Exodus 13,20-22 Old Testament: Ecclesiastes 3,1-15 Epistle: Romans 8,31-39 Gospel: Matthew 13,24-30</p>