

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

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SATURDAY



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May Christ our Savior bring light into the darkness of this world, and to us, as we wait for his coming.

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29 First Sunday of Advent

Light one purple candle on your Advent wreath.

30 St. Andrew the Apostle

Their message goes out to all the earth.

1 Pray Psalm 25.

Wait in silence before God with an open heart to hear God's Word to you today.

2 The Four Church Women

Give us strength to proclaim your Word and to serve your people.

3 St. Francis Xavier

Lord, help us to see all people as our neighbors and to reach out in love.

4 St. John of Damascus

May we use our gifts to give glory to God and serve all of creation.

5 Reflect on Isaiah 11:1–10.

"A little child shall lead them."

6 Second Sunday of Advent

Light two purple candles on your Advent wreath.

7 St. Ambrose

Teach us to love the unexpected, Lord, and to answer when you call.

8 Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Help me to see your face, O Lord, in everyone I meet today.

10 Pray Isaiah 61.

In what way is God calling you to live these words today?

11 Pope Damasus I

Those who follow you, Lord, will have the light of life.

12 Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Look upon us with compassion.

13 Third Sunday of Advent

Light two purple candles and the pink candle.

14 St. John of the Cross

"Where there is no love, put love and you will find love."

15 Pray Psalm 1.

Where will your roots find water today?

16 Hum the refrain to "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel."

How joyful are you at the presence of God in our midst?

May you be filled with all spiritual wisdom and understanding.

O Wisdom

Read about Joseph's dream in Matthew 1:18–24.

O Adonai (Lord)

Read about Zechariah and the angel in Luke 1:5–25.

O Flower of Jesse's Stem

December 17–23: Pray the "O" Antiphons and sing "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel."

20 Fourth Sunday of Advent

Light all four candles.

O Key of David

21 St. Peter Canisius

Be glad and exult with all your heart.

O Radiant Dawn

Read Luke 1:39–45 and then pray the Hail Mary.

O King of All Nations

Read Mary's Canticle in Luke 1:46–56, and then pray the Magnificat.

O Emmanuel

How do you experience the coming of God within your life?

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MERRY CHRISTMAS!

