

HOLY WEEK READINGS

Psalm Sunday of the Lord's Passion, April 5 (A)

Matthew 21:1-11

Isaiah 50:4-7

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

My face I did not shield from buffets and spitting, knowing that I shall not be put to shame.

Psalm 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24

Philippians 2:6-11

Matthew 26:14—27:66 OR

Matthew 27:11-54

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

Christ humbled himself. Because of this God greatly exalted him.

The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Monday of Holy Week, April 6 (ABC)

Isaiah 42:1-7

He will not cry out, nor make his voice heard in the street.

(First oracle of the Servant of the Lord.)

Psalm 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14

John 12:1-11

The Lord is my light and my salvation.

Let her keep this for the day of my burial.

Tuesday of Holy Week, April 7 (ABC)

Isaiah 49:1-6

I will make you a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth. (Second oracle of the Servant of the Lord.)

Psalm 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5ab-6ab,P, 17

John 13:21-33, 36-38

I will sing of your salvation.

One of you will betray me; the cock will not crow before you deny me three times.

Wednesday of Holy Week, April 8 (ABC)

Isaiah 50:4-9a

My face I did not shield from buffets and spitting.

(Third oracle of the Servant of the Lord.)

Psalm 69:9-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34

Matthew 26:14-25

Lord, in your great love, answer me.

The Son of Man indeed goes, as it is written of him, but woe to that man by whom the Son of Man is betrayed.

Thursday of Holy Week - Mass of Chrism, April 9 (ABC)

Isaiah 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9

The LORD anointed me and sent me to bring glad tidings to the lowly, and to give them oil of gladness.

Psalm 89:21-22, 25, 27

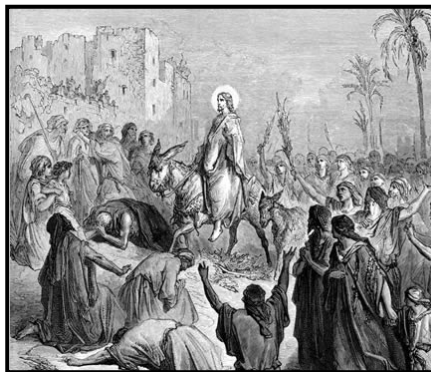
Revelation 1:5-8

Luke 4:16-21

For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.

Christ has made us into a kingdom, priests for his God and Father.

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because of which he has anointed me.



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READINGS FOR THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM

Holy Thursday - Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper, April 9

Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14	The law regarding the Passover meal.
Psalm 116:12-13, 15-16bc, 17-18	Our blessing-cup is a communion with the Blood of Christ.
1 Corinthians 11:23-26	For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord.
John 13:1-15	Jesus loved them to the end.

Good Friday - Celebration of the Lord's Passion, April 10

Isaiah 54:13 – 53:12	He himself was wounded for our sins. (Fourth oracle of the Servant of the Lord.)
Psalm 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25	Father, into your hands I commend my spirit.
Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:7-9	Jesus learned obedience and became the source of salvation for all who obey him.
John 18:1 – 19:42	The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord: The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night, April 11

Genesis 1:1 – 2:2 <i>or</i> 1:1, 26-31a	God looked at everything he had made, and he found it very good.
Psalm 104:1-2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-14, 24, 35 <i>OR</i>	Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth.
Psalm 33:4-5, 6-7, 12-13, 20 and 22	The earth is full of the goodness of the Lord.
Genesis 22:1-18 <i>or</i>	The sacrifice of Abraham our father in faith.
Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18	
Psalm 16:5, 8-9, 11	You are my inheritance, O Lord.
Exodus 14:15 – 15:1	The Israelites marched on dry land through the midst of the sea.
Exodus 15:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 17-18	Let us sing to the Lord; he has covered himself in glory.
Isaiah 54:5-14	With enduring love, the Lord your redeemer takes pity on you.
Psalm 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13	I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.
Isaiah 55:1-11	Come to me that you may have life. I will renew with you an everlasting covenant.
Isaiah 12:2-3, 4, 5-6	You will draw water joyfully from the springs of salvation.
Baruch 3:9-15, 32 – 4:4	Walk toward the splendor of the Lord.
Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 11	Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.
Ezekiel 36:16-17a, 18-28	I shall sprinkle clean water upon you and I shall give you a new heart.
Psalm 42:3, 5; 43:3, 4	Like a deer that longs for running streams, my soul longs for you, my God.
<i>OR</i> Isaiah 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6	You will draw water joyfully from the springs of salvation.
<i>OR</i> Psalm 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19	Create a clean heart in me, O God.
Romans 6:3-11	Christ, raised from the dead, dies no more.
Psalm 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23	Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
Matthew 28:1-10	He has been raised from the dead and is going before you to Galilee.
Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord: Mass During the Day, April 12	
Acts 10:34a, 37-43	We ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead.
Psalm 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23	This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad. (<i>OR</i> Alleluia)
Colossians 3:1-4	Seek what is above, where Christ is.
<i>OR</i> 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8	Clear out the old yeast, so that you may become a fresh batch of dough.
SEQUENCE	<i>Victimae paschali laudes</i>
John 20:1-9	He had to rise from the dead.
<i>OR</i> Matthew 28:1-10	He has been raised from the dead and is going before you to Galilee.
<i>OR</i> Luke 24:13-35	Stay with us it is almost evening. [at an afternoon or evening Mass]