The theme for Catholic Education Week 2022 is **The Way of the Gospel**, which is based on Archbishop Peter A Comensoli’s Pastoral Letter for Pentecost 2021 [*Take the Way of the Gospel*](https://melbournecatholic.org/uploads/general/Take-the-Way-of-the-Gospel_print-friendly.pdf).

**The Way of the Gospel** challenges us to find the living Christ in our midst, and to respond and adapt to the questions that are asked in each generation:

* How might our local communities of faith continue to address the missionary call of the gospel into the future?
* How might we invite people into the fullness of the gospel of life, and do so with a sense of vibrancy and vitality?

**Other useful calendars**

Liturgy Brisbane: Liturgical [calendars](https://www.liturgybrisbane.net.au/resources/liturgical-calendars/2022-liturgical-calendar/)

Australian Catholic Bishops Conference: [Calendar](https://www.catholic.org.au/index.php?option=com_dpcalendar&view=calendar&Itemid=1570#year=2022&month=1&day=1&view=month)

Caritas Australia: Social justice calendars

Australian Catholics: [Catholic Teacher Calendar](https://www.australiancatholics.com.au/article.aspx?aeid=50530&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Catholic%20Teacher%20e-news%20People%20with%20a%20mission%20for%20others&utm_content=Catholic%20Teacher%20e-news%20People%20with%20a%20mission%20for%20others+CID_d76190b3ba79828f664b84759ff99bca&utm_source=Jescom%20Newsletters&utm_term=VIEW%20CALENDAR)

Australian Catholic Bishops Conference and Office for Justice, Ecology and Peace: [calendar](https://socialjustice.catholic.org.au/events/category/liturgy-church/)

Our Community: [Calendar](https://www.ourcommunity.com.au/calendar?fromDate=01-01-2022) of key events

Harmony Week: Calendar of Cultural and Religious Dates

Faith Communities Council of Victoria: [Multifaith Calendar](http://www.faithvictoria.org.au/calendar)

**How to read**

**Solemnities**

Liturgical memorials, feast days and Catholic events

**School dates and public holidays**

Multicultural, interfaith and secular dates

\*Note: For access to the teacher resources included in this calendar, please ensure you are already logged into the CEVN website.

| **Week** | **Sunday** | **Gospel** | **Special dates for this week** | | **Teacher resources\*** |
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| **Term 1 Friday 28 January – Friday 8 April 2022.**  *(Easter Triduum 15 April – 17 April* *2022)* | | | | | |
| **1** | **23 January**  3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 1: 1–4, 4: 14–21**  *Jesus announces the fulfilment of Isaiah.* | 24 Jan    25 Jan  **26 Jan**  27 Jan  28 Jan | Saint Francis De Sales  International Day of Education  The Conversion of Paul the Apostle  **Australia Day**  Saints Timothy and Titus, Saint Angela Merici  Saint Thomas Aquinas | [RESource](https://resource-macs.com/)  [Prayer Hub](https://cevn.cecv.catholic.edu.au/Melb/MI/Liturgy-Prayer/Prayer-Hub)  Liturgy Help[Link](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/date/2021Sep19/0)  Celebrating the sacraments [resources](https://www.catholic.org.au/cslbd/celebrating-the-sacramental-life-from-birth-to-death/sacraments)  [Prayer](https://liturgyhelp.com/ritual/schoolstaff/RitualOtherGregSunter%7COCRNSCHBOSYPRAY) for the beginning of the school year |
| **2** | **30 JANUARY**  4th Sunday in Ordinary Time ***Green*** | **Luke 4: 21–30**  *No prophet gains acceptance in his own hand.* | **31 Jan**  1 Feb  1–7 Feb  2 Feb  3 Feb  4 Feb  5 Feb | **Students return to school**  Chinese New Year  [World Interfaith Harmony Week](http://worldinterfaithharmonyweek.com/)  The Presentation of the Lord  [World Wetlands Day](http://www.worldwetlandsday.org/)  Saint Ansgar, Saint Blaise  International Day of Human Fraternity  Saint Agatha | [Ordinary Time](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/season/Ordinary%20Time) |
| **3** | **6 February**  5th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 5: 1–11**  *An abundance of fish are caught by Simon.* | 8 Feb  8 Feb  10 Feb  11 Feb  11 Feb | Saint Jerome Emiliani  Saint Josephine Bakhita  International Day of Prayer and Awareness Against Human Trafficking  Saint Scholastica  Our Lady of Lourdes  World Day of the Sick | Justice and Peace Office: [Feast Day of St Josephine Bakhita](https://justiceandpeace.org.au/feast-day-of-st-josephine-bakhita-international-day-of-prayer-and-awareness-against-human-trafficking/)  World Day of the Sick: Vatican [messages](https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/sick.html) |
| **4** | **13 February**  6thSunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 6: 17, 20–26**  *The beginning of the Sermon on the Plain (Mount).* | 13 Feb    14 Feb | Anniversary of the apology to Australia’s Indigenous peoples  Saints Cyril and Methodius |  |
| **5** | **20 February**  7th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 6: 27–38**  *Love your enemy.* | 20 Feb  21 Feb  22 Feb  23 Feb | World Day of Social Justice  International Mother Language Day  The Chair of Saint Peter the Apostle  Saint Polycarp | [World Day of Social Justice](https://www.un.org/en/observances/social-justice-day) |
| **Term 1** (continued) | | | | | |
| **6** | **27 February**  8th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 6: 39–45**  *Take the plank from your eye.* | 1 Mar  2 Mar  3 Mar  4 Mar | Shrove Tuesday  Zero Discrimination Day  Ash Wednesday  World Wildlife Day  World Day of Prayer | [The Season of Lent](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/season/lent)  Caritas Australia: [Project Compassion](https://lent.caritas.org.au/schools)  [World Day of Prayer Australia](https://www.worlddayofprayeraustralia.org/world-day-of-prayer/an-international-movement/) |
| **7** | **6 MARCH**  1st Sunday of Lent  ***Violet*** | **Luke 4: 1–13**  *Jesus is tempted in the desert.* | 7 Mar  8 Mar  9 Mar | Saints Perpetua and Felicity  Saint John of God  [International Women’s Day](https://www.internationalwomensday.com/)  Saint Frances of Rome | [The Sacrament of Penance](https://liturgyhelp.com/ritual/penance) |
| **8** | **13 MARCH**  2nd Sunday of Lent  ***Violet*** | **Luke 9: 28–36**  *Jesus is transfigured before Peter, James and John.* | **14 Mar**  **14–18 March**  **17 Mar**    18 Mar  **19 Mar** | **Labour Day**  **Catholic Education Week**  **Solemnity of Saint Patrick**  (Mass at St Patrick’s Cathedral)  Saint Cyril of Jerusalem  **Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary** | **Catholic Education Week 2022**  *‘Take the Way of the Gospel’*  Explore [St Patrick’s Cathedral](https://melbournecatholic.org/about/St%20Patrick's%20Cathedral), Melbourne |
| **9** | **20 MARCH**  3rd Sunday of Lent  ***Violet*** | **Luke 13: 1–9**  *The parable of the fig tree.* | 21 Mar  22 Mar  23 Mar  **25 Mar** | National Harmony Day  World Water Day  Saint Turibius of Mogrovejo  **The Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord** | [The Annunciation of the Lord](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/atoza/N25S1MAS) |
| **10** | **27 MARCH**  4th Sunday of Lent  ***Violet*** | **Luke 15: 1–3, 11–32**  *The parable of the prodigal son.* | 2 Apr  2 Apr | World Autism Awareness Day  Saint Francis of Paola |  |
| **11** | **3 APRIL**  5th Sunday of Lent  ***Violet*** | **John 8: 1–11**  *The Pharisees confront Jesus with an adulteress.* | 4 Apr  5 Apr  7 Apr  7 Apr | Saint Isidore  Saint Vincent Ferrer  Saint John Baptist de la Salle  World Health Day |  |
| **Term 1** (continued) | | | | | |
| **HOLY WEEK** | | | | | |
| **School Holidays** | **10 APRIL**  Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord  ***Red*** | **Luke 22: 14 – 23: 56**  *The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ.* | **10 Apr** | **Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord** |  |
| **The Easter Triduum** | **14 APRIL**  Holy Thursday of the Lord’s Supper  ***Red*** | **John 13: 1–15**  *Jesus washes the feet of his disciples.* | 14 Apr | **Thursday of Holy Week – Mass of Solemnity**  The Lord’s Supper | Triduum [Link](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/weekTR/N00HOHOI) |
| **15 APRIL**  Friday of the Passion of the Lord  ***Red*** | **John 18: 1 – 19: 42**  *The Passion narrative.* | 15 Apr  15–23 Apr | **Friday of the Passion of the Lord**  **(Good Friday)**  Jewish Passover | Stations of the Cross – [Stations of the Forest](https://www.columban.org.au/media-and-publications/educational-resources/stations-of-the-forests-(australian-version)) (Care for Creation) |
| **16­–17 APRIL**  The Easter Vigil  ***White*** | **Luke 24: 1­–12**  *The women find the tomb empty.* | **16 Apr** | **The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night**  **Easter Saturday** |  |
| **School Holidays** | **17 APRIL**  Easter Sunday of the resurrection of the lord  ***White*** | **John 20: 1–9**  *Mary Magdalene finds the tomb empty; Peter sees and believes.*  or  **Mark 16: 1–7**  *The women meet an angel at the empty tomb.*  or  **Luke 24: 13–35**  *Their eyes were opened when he broke the bread.* | 17 Apr  **18 Apr**  19 Apr  20 April  21 Apr  22 Apr  23 Apr | **Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord**  **Easter Monday**  Easter Tuesday  Easter Wednesday  Easter Thursday  Easter Friday  Easter Saturday | [Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/weekE1/N01EASUA/RefGreSun*)  [The Season of Easter](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/season/easter) |



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| **Term 2 Tuesday 26 April – Friday 24 June** | | | | | |
| **1** | **24 April**  2nd Sunday of Easter  (Divine Mercy)  ***White*** | **John 20: 19–31**  *Doubting Thomas.* | 24 Apr  **25 Apr**  **26 Apr**    27 Apr  28 Apr  29 Apr  30 Apr | Orthodox Easter  **ANZAC DAY**  **Students return to school**  Saint Mark, Evangelist  Saint Louis Grignion de Montfort  Saint Peter Chanel  Saint Catherine of Siena  Saint Pius V | [The Season of Easter](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/season/easter)  [ANZAC Day Commemoration Service](https://liturgyhelp.com/ritual/prayerritual/PrayerAndRitual%7COCRNLPNPSAZ) |
| **2** | **1 MAY**  3rd Sunday of Easter  ***White*** | **John 21: 1–19**  *Jesus questions Peter.* | 1 May    2 May  3 May | Saint Joseph the Worker  International Workers Day  Saint Athanasius  The Feasts of Saints Philip and James | [St Joseph the Worker Feast and International Workers Day](https://justiceandpeace.org.au/events/st-joseph-the-worker-feast-and-international-workers-day-or-may-day/) |
| **3** | **8 MAY**  4th Sunday of Easter  ***White*** | **John 10: 27–30**  *The gift of eternal life.* | 8 May  10 May  12 May  13 May  14 May | Mother’s Day  World Day of Prayer for Vocations  Saint John De Avila  Saints Nereus and Achilleus  Our Lady of Fatima  The Feast of Saint Matthias |  |
| **4** | **15 MAY**  5th Sunday of Easter  ***White*** | **John 13: 31–35**  *Jesus issues a new commandment, love one another.* | *15–21 May*  15 May  18 May  20 May  21 May | [CatholicCare Family Week](https://www.ccam.org.au/page/103/familyweek) *(National Families Week)*  International Day of Families  Saint John I  Saint Bernadine of Siena  World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development | CatholicCare Victoria: [Family Week](https://www.catholiccarevic.org.au/page/103/familyweek) |
| **5** | **22 MAY**  6th Sunday of Easter  ***White*** | **John 14: 23–29**  *Jesus leaves peace as his farewell.* | **24 May**    25 May      26 May    27 May  27 May – 3 June | **The Solemnity of Our Lady, Help of Christians**  Day of Prayer for the Church in China  Saint Gregory VII  Saint Mary Magdalene de Pazzi  Saint Bede  Saint Philip Neri  National Sorry Day  Saint Augustine of Canterbury  National Reconciliation Week | A Reconciliation Week [Prayer](https://www.cam1.org.au/acmv/Reconciliation-Week) |
| **Term 2** (continued) | | | | | |
| **6** | **29 MAY**  Solemnity of The Ascension of the Lord  ***White*** | **Luke 24: 46–53**  *Jesus commissions the eleven and ascends to heaven.* | 29 May – 4 June  29 May  31 May  1 Jun  2 Jun  3 Jun | Week of Prayer for Christian Unity  World Communications Day  The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary  Saint Justin  Saints Marcellinus and Peter  The Memorial of Saint Charles Lwanga and companions |  |
| **7** | **5 JUNE**  Pentecost Sunday  ***Red*** | **John 20: 19-23**  *Jesus promises the disciples the Paraclete.* | **5 Jun**  6 Jun  9 Jun  11 Jun | **Pentecost Sunday**  World Environment Day  Saint Boniface  Mary, Mother of the Church  Saint Ephrem  Saint Barnabus | [The Sacrament of Confirmation](https://liturgyhelp.com/ritual/confirmation)  Together At One Altar: [Sacraments of Initiation](https://www.togetheratonealtar.catholic.edu.au/explore/sacraments-of-initiation/) |
| **8** | **12 JUNE**  Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity  ***White*** | **John 16: 12–15**  *The Spirit will guide the Apostles to all truth.* | 12 Jun  13 Jun  **13 Jun** | World Day Against Child Labour  Saint Anthony of Padua  **Queen’s Birthday** | [The Most Holy Trinity](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/lord/NHTS1SUC) |
| **9** | **19 June**  Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)  ***White*** | **Luke 9: 11–17**  *Jesus feeds the five thousand.* | 19–25 Jun  20 Jun  21 Jun  22 Jun  23 Jun  **24 Jun**  25 June | [Refugee Week](https://www.acmro.catholic.org.au/)  World Refugee Day  Saint Aloysius Gonzaga  Saints John Fisher and Thomas More  Saint Paulinius of Nola  **Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**  Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary  **Solemnity of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist** | [The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/lord/NCCS1CCC) (Corpus Christi)  [Eucharist](https://liturgyhelp.com/ritual/eucharist)  Together At One Altar: [The Last Supper and the Mass](https://www.togetheratonealtar.catholic.edu.au/explore/the-last-supper-and-the-mass/)  Together At One Altar: [Participation in the Celebration of Eucharist](https://www.togetheratonealtar.catholic.edu.au/explore/participation-in-the-eucharist/)  [The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/lord/NSHS1FRC) |
| **Term 2** (continued) | | | | | |
| **School Holidays** | **26 June**  13th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 9: 51–62**  *You cannot look back at your hand to the plough.* | 27 Jun  28 Jun  **29 Jun**  30 Jun | Saint Cyril of Alexandra  Saint Irenaeus  **Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul**  The Feast of the First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church |  |
| **School Holidays** | **3 July**  14th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 10: 1-12, 17-20**  *Jesus sends forth the seventy two.* | 3–8 Jul  3 Jul  4 Jul  5 Jul  6 Jul  7 Jul  9 Jul | NAIDOC Week  Saint Thomas, Apostle  Saint Elizabeth of Portugal  Saint Anthony Zaccaria  Saint Maria Goretti  Blessed Peter To Rot  Saint Augustine Zhao Rong | NAIDOC Week [teaching guides](https://www.naidoc.org.au/resources/teaching-guides)  [Aboriginal Catholic Ministry Victoria](https://www.cam1.org.au/acmv/NAIDOC) |

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| **Term 3**  **Monday 11 July – Friday 16 September** | | | | | |
| **1** | **10 July**  15th Sunday in Ordinary Time  Apostleship of the Sea  ***Green*** | **Luke 10: 25–37**  *The Good Samaritan.* | 10 Jul  **11 Jul**    13 Jul  14 Jul  15 Jul  16 Jul | Apostleship of the Sea  **Students return to school**  Saint Benedict  Saint Henry  Saint Camillus de Lellis  Saint Bonaventure  Our Lady of Mount Carmel |  |
| **2** | **19 July**  16th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 10: 38–42**  *Jesus eats at the home of Martha and Mary.* | 20 Jul  21 Jul  22 Jul  23 Jul | Saint Apollinaris  Saint Laurence of Brindisi  Saint Mary Magdalene  Saint Bridget |  |
| **3** | **24 July**  17th Sunday in Ordinary Time  World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly  ***Green*** | **Luke 11: 1–13**  *Jesus teaches the disciples to pray.* | 24 Jul  25 Jul  26 Jul  29 Jul  30 Jul | World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly  Saint James, Apostle  Saints Joachim and Anne  Saints Martha, Mary and Lazarus  Saint Peter Chrysologus  International Day of Friendship  World Day Against Trafficking in Persons | [Prayer](https://www.vaticannews.va/en/pope/news/2021-07/world-day-grandparents-elderly-pope-prayer-released-dicastery-la.html) for World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly  [Australian Catholic Religious Against Trafficking in Humans](https://acrath.org.au/) |
| **4** | **31 JULY**  18th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 12: 13–21**  *Parable of the rich man with a good harvest.* | 31 Jul  1 Aug  2 Aug    3 Aug  4 Aug  6 Aug  6 Aug | Saint Ignatius of Loyola  Saint Alphonsus Liguori  Saint Eusebius of Vercelli  Saint Peter Julian Eymard  Saint Dominic  Saint John Vianney  The Transfiguration of the Lord  [Hiroshima Day](http://www.hiroshimacommittee.org/) |  |
| **Term 3** (continued) | | | | | |
| **5** | **7 August**  19th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 12: 32–48**  *Be as servants, wide awake at the return of their master.* | **8 Aug**  9 Aug  10 Aug  11 Aug  12 Aug  13 Aug  14 Aug | **Solemnity of Saint Mary of the Cross (MacKillop)**  International Day of the World’s Indigenous Peoples  Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross  Saint Lawrence  Saint Clare  Saint Jane Frances de Chantal  International Youth Day  Saints Pontian and Hippolytus  Saint Maximilian Kolbe | [Praying with Saint Mary of the Cross](https://resource-macs.com/2018/10/03/praying-with-st-mary-of-the-cross/) |
| **6** | **14 August**  20th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 12: 49–53**  *Jesus tells his disciples he has come for division.* | **15 Aug**    16 Aug  19 Aug    20 Aug  20–26 Aug  21 Aug | **Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  Saint Stephen of Hungary  Saint John Eudes  [World Humanitarian Day](https://www.worldhumanitarianday.org/)  Saint Bernard  [Children’s Book Week](https://www.cbca.org.au/cbca-book-week)  Saint Pius X | [The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/mary/N15S1AUS) |
| **7** | **21 August**  21st Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 13: 22–30**  *It is difficult to enter the kingdom of God.* | 22 Aug  23 Aug  24 Aug  25 Aug  27 Aug | The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary  Saint Rose of Lima  Saint Bartholomew  Saints Louis and Joseph of Calasanz  Saint Monica | [The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/mary/N22M1AUS) |
| **8** | **28 AUGUST**  22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 14: 1, 7–14**  *Humble yourself and be exalted.* | 28 Aug    29 Aug  **September**  1 Sep  3 Sep | Social Justice Sunday  Saint Augustine  The Passion of Saint John the Baptist  **Season of Creation**  World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation  Saint Gregory the Great | [Social Justice Sunday](https://socialjustice.catholic.org.au/event/social-justice-sunday/)  [Season of Creation](https://seasonofcreation.org/) |
| **Term 3** (continued) | | | | | |
| **9** | **4 SEPTEMBER**  23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 14: 25–33**  *Disciples must renounce all possessions.* | 4–7 Sep  4 Sep  5–11 Sep  8 Sep  8 Sep  9 Sep | National Catholic Education Commission Conference (NCEC) ‘The Future is Listening’  Father’s Day  NAPCAN [National Child Protection Week](https://www.napcan.org.au/national-child-protection-week/)  The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary  International Literacy Day  Saint Peter Claver | National Catholic Education Commission (NCEC) [Conference](https://www.ncec.catholic.edu.au/news-events/conferences-events) – ‘The Future is Listening’  [The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/mary/N08F1SES) |
| **10** | **11 September**  24th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 15: 1–32**  *Parable of the prodigal son.* | 11 Sep  12 Sep  13 Sep  14 Sep  15 Sep  16 Sep  17 Sep | Safeguarding Sunday  The Most Holy Name of Mary  Saint John Chrysostom  The Exaltation of the Holy Cross  Our Lady of Sorrows  Saints Cornelius and Cyprian  Saint Robert Bellarmine  Saint Hildergard of Bingen |  |
| **School Holidays** | **18 September**  25th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 16: 1–13**  *Parable of the wise manager.* | 20 Sep    21 Sep  23 Sep | Saints Andrew Kim Taegon and Paul Chong Hassan and companions  Saint Matthew  International Day of Peace  Saint Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio) |  |
| **School Holidays** | **25 September**  26th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke** **16: 19–31**  *Parable of the rich man and Lazarus.* | 25 Sep – 27 Sep  25 Sep  27 Sep  28 Sep    29 Sep  30 Sep  1 Oct | [Rosh Hashanah – the Jewish New Year](http://www.faithvictoria.org.au/calendar)  Migrant and Refugee Sunday  Saint Vincent de Paul  Saint Wenceslaus  Saint Lawrence Ruiz and companions  Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael  Saint Jerome  Saint Thérèse of Lisieux  International Day for Older Persons | [Migrant and Refugee Sunday](https://socialjustice.catholic.org.au/event/migrant-and-refugee-sunday-2021-09-26/) |





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| **Term 4**  **Monday 3 October – Tuesday 20 December** | | | | | |
| **1** | **2 October**  27th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 17: 5–10** *The apostles ask for increased faith.* | **October**  **3 Oct**  4 Oct  4–5 Oct  5 Oct  6 Oct  7 Oct | **World Mission Month**  **Students return to school**  Saint Francis of Assisi  Yom Kippur (Jewish)  World Teachers Day  Saint Bruno  Our Lady of the Rosary | [Prayer](https://liturgyhelp.com/ritual/schoolstudents/RitualOtherGregSunter%7COCRNSCHEXAMBLESS) before exams |
| **2** | **9 October**  28th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 17: 11–19** *Jesus cures ten lepers, one returns with thanks.* | 10 Oct  11 Oct  14 Oct  15 Oct  16 Oct | [World Mental Health Day](https://1010.org.au/)  Saint John XXIII  Saint Callistus I  Saint Teresa of Jesus (Avila)  World Food Day |  |
| **3** | **16 October**  29th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 18: 1–8**  *The widow and the irreligious judge.* | 17 Oct    18 Oct  19 Oct    22 Oct | International Day for the Eradication of Poverty  Saint Ignatius of Antioch  Saint Luke  Saints John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues  Saint Paul of the Cross  Saint John Paul II | Catholic Australia: [Anti-Poverty Week](https://www.catholicaustralia.com.au/living-the-faith/poverty) |
| **4** | **23 October**  30th Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 18: 9–14**  *Those who humble themselves will be exalted.* | 23 Oct  24 Oct  28 Oct | World Mission Day  Diwali (Hinduism)  Saints Simon and Jude | Catholic Mission [website](https://www.catholicmission.org.au/) |
| **5** | **30 OCTOBER**  31st Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 19: 1–10**  *Jesus enters the house of Zacchaeus.* | **1 Nov**  **1 Nov**  **2 Nov**  3 Nov  4 Nov  6–12 Nov | **The Solemnity of All Saints**  **Melbourne Cup Day**  **The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed (All Souls Day)**  Saint Martin de Porres  Saint Charles Borromeo  National Vocation Awareness Week | [The Solemnity of All Saints](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/atoza/N01S1NOS/RefGreSun*)  [Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/atoza/N02O1NOS/RefGreSun*) (All Souls’ Day) |
| **Term 4** (continued) | | | | | |
| **6** | **6 November**  32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 20: 27­–38**  *The Sadducees try to put Jesus in conflict with Moses.* | 9 Nov  10 Nov  **11 Nov**    12 Nov | The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica  Saint Leo the Great  **Remembrance Day**  Saint Martin of Tours  Saint Josaphat | [Remembrance Day](https://www.awm.gov.au/commemoration/remembrance-day) |
| **7** | **13 November**  33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time  ***Green*** | **Luke 21: 5–19**  *Patiently endure the trials you are sure to face for Jesus.* | 13 Nov  15 Nov  16 Nov    17 Nov  18 Nov | World Day of the Poor  Saint Albert the Great  Saint Margaret of Scotland  Saint Gertrude  Saint Elizabeth of Hungary  Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter  and Paul | World Day of the Poor: Vatican [messages](https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/poveri.html) |
| **8** | **20 November**  Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe  ***White*** | **Luke 23: 35–43**  *The Crucifixion.* | **20 Nov**  21 Nov  22 Nov  23 Nov    24 Nov  25 Nov | Universal Children’s Day, World Youth Day  Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary  Saint Cecilia  Saint Clement I  Saint Columban  Saint Andrew Dũng-Lạc and companions  Saint Catherine of Alexandra  International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women | [Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/lord/N34OROUC) |
| **Advent Begins** | | | **Liturgical Year A** | | |
| **9** | **27 NOVember**  (LITURGICAL YEAR A BEGINS)  1st Sunday of Advent  ***Violet*** | **Matthew 24: 37–44**  *The Lord is coming when you least expect.* | 30 Nov  3 Dec | Saint Andrew  Saint Francis Xavier  International Day of People with Disability | [The Season of Advent](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/season/advent) |
| **Term 4** (continued) | | | | | |
| **10** | **4 December**  2nd Sunday of Advent  ***Violet*** | **Matthew 3: 1–12**  *John the Baptist begins to preach in the desert.* | 6 Dec  7 Dec  **8 Dec**  9 Dec  10 Dec | Saint Nicholas  Saint Ambrose  **Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  Saint Juan Diego Cuauhtlatoatzin  International Human Rights Day  Our Lady of Loreto | [The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/events/mary/N08S1DES) |
| **11** | **11 December**  3rd Sunday of Advent  ***Violet*** *or* ***rose*** | **Matthew 11: 2–11**  *John asks ‘Are you the one who is to come?’* | 12 Dec  13 Dec  14 Dec | Our Lady of Guadalupe  Saint Lucy  Saint John of the Cross |  |
| **12** | **18 December**  4th Sunday of Advent  ***Violet*** | **Matthew 1: 18–24**  *An angel visits Joseph, who takes Mary as his wife.* | 18–26 Dec  18 Dec  **24 Dec** | Hanukkah (Judaism)  International Migrants Day  **Christmas Vigil** |  |
| **End of School Year** | | | | | |
| **School**  **Holidays** | **25 December**  The Nativity of the Lord  ***White*** | **John 1: 1–18**  *The beginning of John’s Gospel.* | **25 Dec**  26 Dec  **26 Dec**  27 Dec  28 Dec  29 Dec    30 Dec  31 Dec | **The Nativity of the Lord (Christmas Day)**  Saint Stephen  **Boxing Day**  Saint John  The Holy Innocents  Fifth day in the Octave of Christmas  Saint Thomas Becket  The Holy Family of Mary and Joseph  Seventh day in the Octave of Christmas  Saint Sylvester I | [The Season of Christmas](https://liturgyhelp.com/calendar/season/christmas) |