

LITURGICAL YEAR 2026



LITURGICAL REFERENCE GUIDE
DIOCESE OF ARLINGTON

SUMMARY *of* LITURGICAL YEAR 2026

First Sunday of Advent	Sunday, November 30, 2025
Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)	Thursday, December 25, 2025
Baptism of the Lord	Sunday, January 11, 2026
Ash Wednesday	Wednesday, February 18, 2026
Easter Sunday	Sunday, April 5, 2026
Pentecost Sunday	Sunday, May 24, 2026
Christ, King of the Universe	Sunday, November 22, 2026

Lectionary · Sundays & Solemnities	Year A
Lectionary · Weekdays	Cycle II

Hours · Vol. 1, Advent-Christmas	Nov 30, 2025 - Jan 11, 2026
Hours · Vol. 3, Ordinary Time	Jan 12, 2026 – Feb 17, 2026
Hours · Vol. 2, Lent-Easter	Feb 18, 2026 – May 24, 2026
Hours · Vol. 3, Ordinary Time	May 25, 2026 – Aug 1, 2026
Hours · Vol. 4, Ordinary Time	Aug 2, 2026 – Nov 28, 2026

ADVENT 2025

Sun	Nov	30 2025	First Sunday of Advent	<i>Year of Grace 2026 begins · Advent begins</i>
Sun	Dec	7	Second Sunday of Advent	
Mon	Dec	8	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary <i>holyday of obligation</i>	
Tue	Dec	9	Proper Feast of the Anniversary of the Dedication of the Cathedral of Saint Thomas More [ARL] *	
Fri	Dec	12	Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe [USA]	
Sun	Dec	14	Third Sunday of Advent » Catholic Charities Christmas Collection	
Sun	Dec	21	Fourth Sunday of Advent	

CHRISTMAS TIME 2025-2026

Thu	Dec	25	Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord (Christmas)	<i>Christmas Time begins</i>
Sun	Dec	28	Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph	
Thu	Jan	1 2026	Octave Day of Christmas / Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God † World Day of Peace	<i>holyday of obligation</i>
Sun	Jan	4	Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord	<i>Jubilee Year ends</i>
Sun	Jan	11	Feast of the Baptism of the Lord	

ORDINARY TIME 2026

Mon	Jan	12	Monday of the First Week in Ordinary Time	<i>Ordinary Time begins</i>
Sun	Jan	18	Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Su-Su	Jan	18-25	† Week of Prayer for Christian Unity	
Thu	Jan	22	† National Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children [USA]	
Last week in Jan			† Catholic Schools Week [USA]	
Sun	Jan	25	Third Sunday in Ordinary Time † Sunday of the Word of God » Collection for the Church in Latin America	
Sun	Feb	1	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time » Collection for Diocesan Newspaper [ARL]	

Sa-Sa	Feb	7-14	† National Marriage Week [USA]
Sun	Feb	8	Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time † World Marriage Day † World Day of Prayer and Awareness against Human Trafficking † World Day for Consecrated Life (observed this day in [USA])
Wed	Feb	11	† World Day of the Sick
Sun	Feb	15	Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

LENT & HOLY WEEK 2026

Wed	Feb	18	Ash Wednesday	<i>Lent begins</i>
			» Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe	
Sun	Feb	22	First Sunday of Lent Rite of Election [ARL] » Collection for Black and Indian Missions	
Sun	Mar	1	Second Sunday of Lent	
Sun	Mar	8	Third Sunday of Lent	
Sun	Mar	15	Fourth Sunday of Lent » Collection for Catholic Relief Services	
Thu	Mar	19	Solemnity of Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary	
Sun	Mar	22	Fifth Sunday of Lent	
Wed	Mar	25	Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord	
Sun	Mar	29	Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord	<i>Holy Week begins</i>

PASCHAL TRIDUUM & EASTER TIME 2026

Tue	Mar	31	Chrism Mass [ARL]	
Thu	Apr	2	Holy Thursday · Thursday of the Lord's Supper	<i>Paschal Triduum begins</i>
Fri	Apr	3	Good Friday · Friday of the Passion of the Lord » Collection for the Holy Land Shrines	
Sat	Apr	4	Holy Saturday · Easter Vigil in the Holy Night The Easter Vigil may begin no earlier than 8:00pm on Sat, Apr 4, 2026 [ARL]	
Sun	Apr	5	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord	<i>Easter Time begins</i>

Sun	Apr	12	Octave Day of Easter / Second Sunday of Easter † Anniversary of Episcopal Ordination of Diocesan Bishop Emeritus Most Reverend Paul S. Loverde (1988) [ARL]	<i>Divine Mercy Sunday</i>
Sun	Apr	19	Third Sunday of Easter	
Sun	Apr	26	Fourth Sunday of Easter » Catholic Home Missions Appeal † World Day of Prayer for Vocations	
Sun	May	3	Fifth Sunday of Easter	
Sun	May	10	Sixth Sunday of Easter -- Mother's Day [USA] » Collection for Special Parish Needs [ARL]	
Sun	May	17	Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord † World Communications Day » Collection for Diocesan Retired Priests [ARL] » Confirmation for Adults I [ARL]	
Fri	May	22	† National Day of Prayer and Remembrance for Mariners and People of the Sea [USA]	
Sun	May	24	Solemnity of Pentecost † World Day of Prayer for the Church in China	

ORDINARY TIME 2026

Mon	May	25	Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church	<i>Ordinary Time resumes</i>
Sun	May	31	Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity » Confirmation for Adults II [ARL]	
Sat	Jun	6	Ordination to the Priesthood [ARL]	
Sun	Jun	7	Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) » Collection for Catholic Communication Campaign [ARL]	
Fri	Jun	12	Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus † World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests	
Sun	Jun	14	Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Sun	Jun	21	Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time » Father's Day [USA]	
M-M	Jun	22-29	† Religious Freedom Week [USA]	

Mon	Jun	22	Proper Feast of Saint Thomas More, Principal Patron of the Diocese of Arlington [ARL]	
Wed	Jun	24	Solemnity of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist	
Sun	Jun	28	Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time » Collection for Peter's Pence	
Mon	Jun	29	Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles	
Sun	Jul	5	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Sun	Jul	12	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time » Pastoral Solidarity Fund for Africa [ARL]	
Sun	Jul	19	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
S-S	Jul 25-Aug 1		† Natural Family Planning Awareness Week [USA]	
Sun	Jul	26	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Sun	Aug	2	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Sun	Aug	9	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Sat	Aug	15	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	<i>not a day of obligation in 2026</i>
Sun	Aug	16	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Sun	Aug	23	Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Sun	Aug	30	Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Tue	Sep	1	† World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation	
Sat	Sep	5	Anniversary of Episcopal Ordination of Diocesan Bishop Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge (2002) [ARL]	
Sun	Sep	6	Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Tue	Sep	9	† Day of Prayer for Peace in our Communities [USA]	
Sun	Sep	13	Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time † World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly [USA] » Collection for Religious Education [ARL]	
Sun	Sep	20	Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time † Catechetical Sunday [USA] » Collection for The Catholic University of America	

Sun	Sep	27	Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time † World Day of Migrants and Refugees † Priesthood Sunday Last Week in September † National Migration Week [USA]	
Month of October			Respect Life Month & Domestic Violence Awareness Month	
Sun	Oct	4	Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time † Respect Life Sunday	
Sun	Oct	11	Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Sun	Oct	18	Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time † World Mission Sunday » Collection for World Mission Sunday	
Sun	Oct	25	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Month of November			Black Catholic History Month	
Sun	Nov	1	Solemnity of All Saints	<i>holyday of obligation</i>
Mon	Nov	2	Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)	
Sun	Nov	8	Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Sun	Nov	15	Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time † World Day of the Poor » Collection for Retirement Fund for Religious	
Sun	Nov	22	Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe/ Thirty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time † Global Celebration of Youth and Young Adults » Collection for Campaign for Human Development	
Sat	Nov	28		<i>Year of Grace 2026 ends</i>

CLARIFICATIONS *on* LITURGICAL YEAR 2026

- The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception takes place on Monday December 8, 2025 this year and is a holy day of obligation. Evening Masses on Sunday December 7, 2025 are for the Second Sunday of Advent with Vespers II of the Sunday. Masses during the day on Monday December 8 are for the Immaculate Conception. The Liturgy of the Hours is taken from the Solemnity through Night Prayer II.
- December 9 is the Anniversary of the Dedication of the Cathedral. It is celebrated as a Feast throughout the Diocese and only as a Solemnity at the Cathedral. Prayer texts and readings for the Mass are taken from the Common of the Dedication of a Church: On the Anniversary of the Dedication, II. Outside the Church that was Dedicated.
- December 25, 2025 · Christmas Day falls on a Thursday in 2025. All Masses during the day on Christmas are that of Christmas Day, with its proper prayers and readings for either “At the Mass at Dawn” or “At the Mass during the Day.” Evening Masses on Wednesday, December 24 are likewise the Mass of Christmas taken from “At the Vigil Mass” or “At the Mass during the Night” as appropriate, based on the time of the Mass. Evening Prayer I and II of Christmas are celebrated at their proper times.
- December 28, 2025 · The Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph is inscribed on the Sunday within the Octave of Christmas (or December 30th if there is no Sunday within the Octave).
- January 1, 2026 · The Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God, falls on a Thursday and is a holyday of obligation.
- January 4, 2026 · In the Dioceses of the United States of America, the Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord is transferred to the Sunday between January 2nd and January 8th. Therefore, the proper Vigil Mass of Epiphany is celebrated for Masses after 4:00pm on Saturday, January 3, either before or after Evening Prayer I of Epiphany. The Mass “during the Day” for Epiphany is celebrated at all Masses on Sunday, January 4.
- January 11, 2026 · The Feast of the Baptism of the Lord is celebrated. Ordinary Time begins after the Baptism of the Lord (Monday January 12, 2026).
- May 16-17, 2026 · In the Diocese of Arlington, the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord is transferred to Sunday. Therefore, the proper Vigil Mass of the Ascension is celebrated for Masses after 4:00pm on Saturday, May 16, 2026, either before or after Evening Prayer I of the Ascension. The Mass “during the Day” for the Ascension is celebrated at all Masses on Sunday, May 17, 2026.

- In a notification dated December 8, 1998, of the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments (Prot. n. 2671/98/L), the Obligatory Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary becomes an Optional Memorial in years when it conflicts with another Obligatory Memorial. Therefore, Saturday, June 13 is a weekday in Ordinary Time, as well as the Optional Memorials of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary, of Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church, and of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday.
- Saturday, August 15, is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. In accord with the complementary norm to canon 1246 §2 confirmed for the dioceses of the United States of America, because it is a Saturday, this year the obligation to attend Mass on this date is abrogated.

PROPER CALENDAR FOR THE DIOCESES OF
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

January 4	Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious	Memorial
January 5	Saint John Neumann, Bishop	Memorial
January 6	<i>Saint André Bessette, Religious*</i>	
January 22**	Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children	
January 23	<i>Saint Vincent, Deacon and Martyr</i> <i>Saint Marianne Cope, Virgin</i>	
March 3	<i>Saint Katharine Drexel, Virgin</i>	
May 10	<i>Saint Damien de Veuster, Priest</i>	
May 15	<i>Saint Isidore</i>	
July 1	<i>Saint Junípero Serra, Priest</i>	
July 4	<i>Independence Day</i>	
July 5	<i>Saint Elizabeth of Portugal</i>	
July 14	Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin	Memorial
July 18	<i>Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest</i>	
September 9	Saint Peter Claver, Priest	Memorial
October 5	<i>Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest</i>	
October 6	<i>Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin</i>	
October 19	Saints John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs	Memorial
October 20	<i>Saint Paul of the Cross, Priest</i>	
November 13	Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin	Memorial
November 18	<i>Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin</i>	
November 23	<i>Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro, Priest and Martyr</i>	
Fourth Thursday in November	<i>Thanksgiving Day</i>	
December 8	THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (Patronal Feastday of the United States of America)	Solemnity
December 12	OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE	Feast
Sunday between January 2 and January 8:	THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD	Feast
Sunday after the Most Holy Trinity:	THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus Christi)	Solemnity

* When the rank of the celebration is not indicated, it is an Optional Memorial.

** January 23, when January 22 falls on a Sunday.

UNIVERSAL & U.S. DAYS of PRAYER

World Day of Peace	January 1	<i>Thu Jan 1, 2026</i>
Week of Prayer for Christian Unity	January 18-25	<i>Jan 18-25, 2026</i>
National Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children	January 22 [USA] (or January 23 if January 22 is a Sunday)	<i>Thu Jan 22, 2026</i>
Sunday of the Word of God	Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	<i>Sun Jan 25, 2026</i>
World Day for Consecrated Life	Sunday following February 2 [USA]	<i>Sun Feb 8, 2026</i>
World Day of Prayer and Awareness against Human Trafficking	February 8	<i>Sun Feb 8, 2026</i>
World Marriage Day	Sunday within National Marriage Week	<i>Sun Feb 8, 2026</i>
World Day of the Sick	February 11	<i>Wed Feb 11, 2026</i>
World Day of Prayer for Vocations	Fourth Sunday of Easter	<i>Sun Apr 26, 2026</i>
World Communications Day	Seventh Sunday of Easter/Ascension	<i>Sun May 17, 2026</i>
National Day of Prayer and Remembrance for Mariners and People of the Sea	May 22	<i>Fri May 22, 2026</i>
World Day of Prayer for the Church in China	May 24	<i>Sun May 24, 2026</i>
World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests	Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	<i>Fri Jun 12, 2026</i>
Religious Freedom Week	June 22-29 [USA]	<i>Jun 22-29, 2026</i>
World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation	September 1	<i>Tue Sep 1, 2026</i>
Day of Prayer for Peace in our Communities	September 9 [USA]	<i>Wed Sep 9, 2026</i>
World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly	Sunday after Labor Day [USA]	<i>Sun Sep 13, 2026</i>
Catechetical Sunday	Third Sunday of September [USA]	<i>Sun Sep 20, 2026</i>
World Day of Migrants and Refugees	Last Sunday of September	<i>Sun Sep 27, 2026</i>
World Mission Sunday	Penultimate Sunday of October	<i>Sun Oct 18, 2026</i>
World Day of the Poor	Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	<i>Sun Nov 15, 2026</i>
Global Celebration of Youth and Young Adults	Solemnity of Christ the King	<i>Sun Nov 22, 2026</i>

NATIONAL AND DIOCESAN COLLECTIONS

Remittances should be submitted within 30 days after the collection date. All checks should be made payable to the Diocese of Arlington except for World Mission Sunday and Mission Cooperative (see note 2). The name of the collection(s) and amount(s) remitted should be clearly indicated on the check or accompanying documents.

Catholic Charities Christmas Collection	Second Sunday in December	<i>Sun Dec 14, 2025</i>
Collection for the Church in Latin America	Fourth Sunday in January	<i>Sun Jan 25, 2026</i>
Diocesan Newspaper ¹ [ARL]	First Sunday in February	<i>Sun Feb 1, 2026</i>
For the Church in Central & Eastern Europe ²	Ash Wednesday	<i>Wed Feb 18, 2026</i>
Collection for Black and Indian Missions	First Sunday of Lent	<i>Sun Feb 22, 2026</i>
Collection for Catholic Relief Services	Fourth Sunday of Lent	<i>Sun Mar 15, 2026</i>
Collection for the Holy Land	Good Friday	<i>Fri Apr 3, 2026</i>
Catholic Home Missions Appeal	Last Sunday in April	<i>Sun Apr 26, 2026</i>
Collection for Special Parish Needs ³ [ARL]	Mother's Day-Second Sunday of May	<i>Sun May 10, 2026</i>
Collection for Diocesan Retired Priests [ARL]	Third Sunday of May	<i>Sun May 17, 2026</i>
Catholic Communications Campaign	First Sunday of June	<i>Sun Jun 7, 2026</i>
Collection for Peter's Pence	Sunday nearest to June 29	<i>Sun Jun 28, 2026</i>
Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa ⁴	Second Sunday of July [ARL]	<i>Sun Jul 12, 2026</i>
Collection for Religious Education ⁵ [ARL]	Second Sunday in September	<i>Sun Sep 14, 2026</i>
The Catholic University of America	First or Second Sunday in September	<i>Sun Sep 20, 2026</i>
Collection for World Mission Sunday ⁶	Second to last Sunday in October	<i>Sun Oct 18, 2026</i>
Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA	Sunday before Veteran's Day, every 3 years	<i>Not taken in 2026</i>
Retirement Fund for Religious	Third Sunday in November*	<i>Sun Nov 15, 2026</i>
Catholic Campaign for Human Development	Sunday before Thanksgiving	<i>Sun Nov 22, 2026</i>

¹ Collection is retained by parish and recorded in appropriate income accounts. ²This collection will be conducted in the same manner as in previous years. Since participation is of free will, there is no need for your ushers to take up a special collection if you choose not to do so. However, it is suggested that you provide baskets at the doors to receive donations from your parishioners. ³Collection is retained by parish and recorded in appropriate income accounts. Each pastor is to make the determination for the necessity of this collection according to his parish's needs. The purpose of this collection is to allow each pastor to receive a collection for whatever purpose he deems necessary to his parish's welfare; e.g., repairs, replacements, fuel, etc. ⁴This collection will be conducted in the same manner as in previous years. Since participation is of free will, there is no need for your ushers to take up a special collection if you choose not to do so. However, it is suggested that you provide baskets at the doors to receive donations from your parishioners. ⁵ Collection is retained by parish and recorded in appropriate income accounts. ⁶This collection should be remitted to the Catholic Diocese of Arlington Mission Office. Please make check payable to the Catholic Diocese of Arlington Mission Office. In addition, the parish's Missionary Cooperative Collection also should be remitted to the Catholic Diocese of Arlington Mission Office. * Date adjusted to avoid a conflict.

CELEBRATIONS & OBSERVANCES *of the* DIOCESE *of* ARLINGTON

Feast of the Anniversary of the Dedication of the Cathedral of Saint Thomas More	December 9, 1961	<i>Tue Dec 9, 2025</i>
Memorial of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Secondary Patroness of the Diocese of Arlington	January 4	<i>Not observed in 2026</i>
Ordination to the Diaconate [Permanent]		<i>N/A in 2026</i>
Rite of Election	First Sunday of Lent	<i>Sun Feb 22, 2026</i>
Anniversary of Episcopal Ordination of Most Reverend Paul S. Loverde (1988)	April 12, 1988	<i>Sun Apr 12, 2026</i>
Ordination to the Diaconate [Transitional]	Saturday of the Octave Easter	<i>Moved to December 5, 2026</i>
Confirmation for Adults I	Solemnity of the Ascension	<i>Sun May 17, 2026</i>
Ordination to the Priesthood	First Saturday of June	<i>Sat Jun 6, 2026</i>
Confirmation for Adults II	Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity	<i>Sun May 31, 2026</i>
Feast of Saint Thomas More, Principal Patron of the Diocese of Arlington	June 22	<i>Mon Jun 22, 2026</i>
Anniversary of Episcopal Ordination of Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge (2002)	September 5, 2002	<i>Sat Sep 5, 2026</i>



CIVIL OBSERVANCES *in the* UNITED STATES

Poverty Awareness Month	January	<i>annually</i>
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	Third Monday of January	<i>Mon Jan 19, 2026</i>
Black History Month	February	<i>Annually</i>
International Day of Human Fraternity	February 4	<i>Wed Feb 4, 2026</i>
Presidents' Day	Third Monday of February	<i>Mon Feb 16, 2026</i>
Women's History Month	March	<i>Annually</i>
Irish American History Month	March	<i>Annually</i>
National Child Abuse Prevention Month	April	<i>Annually</i>

National Volunteer Month	April	<i>Annually</i>
Earth Day	April 22	<i>Wed Apr 22, 2026</i>
National Mental Health Awareness Month	May	<i>Annually</i>
Asian & Pacific Island National Heritage Month	May	<i>Annually</i>
National Foster Care Month	May	<i>Annually</i>
Mother's Day	Second Sunday of May	<i>Sun May 10, 2026</i>
Memorial Day	Last Monday of May	<i>Mon May 25, 2026</i>
Father's Day	Third Sunday of June	<i>Sun Jun 21, 2026</i>
Juneteenth National Independence Day	June 19	<i>Fri Jun 19, 2026</i>
World Refugee Day	June 20	<i>Annually</i>
Independence Day	July 4	<i>Annually</i>
Labor Day	First Monday of September	<i>Mon Sep 7, 2026</i>
Suicide Prevention Week	Week after Labor Day	<i>Sep 6-12, 2026</i>
Hispanic Heritage Month	September 15-October 15	<i>Annually</i>
Domestic Violence Awareness Month	October	<i>Annually</i>
Columbus Day/Indigenous People Day	Second Monday of October	<i>Mon Oct 12, 2026</i>
Black Catholic History Month	November	<i>Annually</i>
National Adoption Month	November	<i>Annually</i>
Native American Heritage Month	November	<i>Annually</i>
Election Day	Tuesday after the First Monday in November	<i>Tue Nov 3, 2026</i>
Veterans Day	November 11	<i>Annually</i>
National Adoption Day	Annually on the Saturday before Thanksgiving Day	<i>Sat Nov 21, 2026</i>
Thanksgiving	Fourth Thursday of November	<i>Thu Nov 26, 2026</i>
International Day of Persons with Disabilities	December 3	<i>Thu Dec 3, 2026</i>

ORDER of CHRISTIAN INITIATION of ADULTS

UNBAPTIZED	BAPTIZED IN ANOTHER CHURCH OR ECCLESIAL COMMUNITY	UNCATECHIZED ADULT CATHOLICS
Evangelization and Precatechumenate · OCIA 36-40	see OCIA 400-410	see OCIA 400-410
I. Entrance into the Order of Catechumens · OCIA 41-74	I. Welcoming · OCIA 411-433	I. Welcoming · OCIA 411-433
Catechumenate · OCIA 75-117 † Celebrations of the Word of God † Minor Exorcisms † Blessings of the Catechumens † Anointings of the Catechumens † [Presentations] † [Sending Catechumens for Election]	Catechesis † [Celebrations of the Word of God (with Catechumens as appropriate)] † [Sending the Candidates for Recognition by the Bishop and for the Call to Continuing Conversion] · OCIA 438-445	Catechesis † [Celebrations of the Word of God (with Catechumens as appropriate)] † [Sending the Candidates for Recognition by the Bishop and for the Call to Continuing Conversion] · OCIA 438-445
II. Election or Enrollment of Names · OCIA 118-137	II. Calling the Candidates to Continuing Conversion · OCIA 446-458	II. Calling the Candidates to Continuing Conversion · OCIA 446-458
Rite of Election 2026 February 22, 2025		
Purification and Enlightenment · OCIA 138-205 † Scrutinies · OCIA 150-156, 164-177 † Presentations · OCIA 157-163, 178-184 † Preparation Rites · OCIA 185-205	Continuing Conversion † Penitential Rite · OCIA 459-472 † Sacrament of Reconciliation	Continuing Conversion † Penitential Rite · OCIA 459-472 † Sacrament of Reconciliation
III. Sacraments of Initiation · OCIA 206-243	III. Reception into Full Communion · OCIA 473-501	III. Reception into Full Communion · OCIA 473-501
<i>The Celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation are fittingly celebrated at the Easter Vigil, and the Rite of Reception of Full Communion has come to be associated with the Easter Vigil, as well. Even so, the tradition of the Church witnesses to other days for Initiation, especially the Vigil of Pentecost and the Sundays of Easter Time. Present norms permit Initiation at times other than the Easter Vigil.</i>		
Mystagogy · OCIA 244-251	Mystagogy · adapt. OCIA 244-251	Mystagogy · adapt. OCIA 244-251

SACRAMENT of MATRIMONY

Matrimony within Mass may be celebrated on any day of the liturgical year *except* on Good Friday and Holy Saturday. Although permitted, Matrimony should generally be avoided during Holy Week. For weddings during Lent, the couple should be catechized about the season’s penitential character. On certain days, the prayers and readings must be taken from the liturgical day rather than the Ritual Mass for the Celebration of Marriage (namely, days in nos. 1-4 of the Table of Liturgical Days, outlined below in chronological order beginning with Advent).

Mass for Marriage Prayers and Readings* not permitted | Mass “of the day” is celebrated

† Nov 30, Dec 7, 14, 21, 2025 · Sundays of Advent	† Mar 30-31, Apr 1-4 · Holy Week and the Triduum	† Aug 15 · Assumption
† Dec 8 · Immaculate Conception	† Apr 5-11 Easter Octave	† Nov 1 · All Saints
† Dec 25 · Christmas	† Apr 12, 19, 26, May 3, 10 · Sundays of Easter	† Nov 2 · All Souls
† Jan 1, 2026 · Mary, Mother of God	† May 17 · Ascension	† Nov 22 · Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe (34 th Sunday in Ordinary Time)
† Jan 4 · Epiphany	† May 24 · Pentecost	† Proper Solemnities (Solemnity of the Anniversary of the Dedication of One’s Own Church; Solemnity of the Title of One’s Own Church)
† Feb 18 · Ash Wed	† May 31 · Holy Trinity	
† Feb 22, Mar 8, 15, 22, 29, Sundays of Lent	† Jun 7 · Corpus Christi	
† Mar 19 · Saint Joseph	† Jun 24 · Nativity of John the Baptist	
† Mar 25 · The Annunciation	† Jun 12 · Sacred Heart of Jesus	
	† Jun 29 · Sts Peter and Paul	

When Matrimony is celebrated within Mass on the days listed above, the elements proper to Matrimony (entrance, consent, rings, nuptial blessing, etc.) take place as indicated in *The Order of Celebrating Matrimony*. However, the prayers of Mass—Collect, Prayer over the Offerings, Preface, and Prayer after Communion—are taken from the liturgical day rather than the Ritual Mass for the Celebration of Marriage. The Solemn Blessing may be taken from the Ritual Mass for Matrimony or from the liturgical day. *The readings from Sacred Scripture are taken from the liturgical day, the second reading may be replaced with a selection from the set of readings provided for Matrimony. On these days, the Gloria is said within Mass according to the rubrics of the liturgical day. Likewise, the Creed is said within Mass according to the rubrics of the liturgical day.

Matrimony outside Mass may be celebrated any day also avoiding Holy Week insofar as possible. The celebration of Marriage on Friday of the Passion of the Lord and Holy Saturday is to be avoided altogether. The liturgical day has no impact on the prayers and readings, which are always taken from *The Order of Celebrating Matrimony*.

Notable Fridays & Saturdays and Other Important Dates in 2026

- † Sunday March 29 – Thursday April 2, 2026 · Palm Sunday and Weekdays of Holy Week | *Matrimony should generally be avoided on these days.*
- † Friday April 3, 2026 · Good Friday | *Matrimony may not be celebrated within Mass and is to be avoided altogether outside Mass.* Saturday April 4, 2026 · Holy Saturday | *Matrimony may not be celebrated within Mass and is to be avoided altogether outside Mass.*
- † Friday April 10, 2026 & Saturday April 11, 2026 · Friday & Saturday within the Octave of Easter | *Matrimony may be celebrated on these days, but when it takes place within Mass, the prayers and readings must be from the liturgical day (except one reading from Matrimony).*

FUNERALS & MASSES *for the DEAD*

Funeral Masses hold first place among Masses for the Dead. Whenever a funeral is celebrated, the readings and prayers of the Funeral Mass must be used. A Funeral Mass is permitted on any day except those listed below (in chronological order beginning with Advent).

Funeral Mass is not permitted

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| † Nov 30, Dec 7, 14, 21, 2025
· Sundays of Advent | † Feb 22, Mar 8, 15, 22, 29 ·
Sundays of Lent | † Apr 5, 12, 19, 26, May 3, 10 ·
Sundays of Easter |
| † Dec 8 · Immaculate
Conception | † Apr 2-4 ·
The Sacred Triduum | † May 17 · Ascension |
| † Dec 25 · Christmas | | † May 24 · Pentecost |

Masses for the Dead on receiving the news of a death, for the final burial, or on the first anniversary may be celebrated on any day except those listed below (in chronological order beginning with Advent).

“Mass for the Dead” Prayers and Readings not permitted | Mass “of the day” is celebrated

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| † Nov 30 · Saint Andrew | † Apr 6-11 · Easter Octave | † Sep 8 · Nativity of the
BVM |
| † Nov 30, Dec 7, 14, 21, 2025
· Sundays of Advent | † Apr 5, 12, 19, 26, May 3,
10, 17, 24 ·
Sundays of Easter | † Sep 14 · Exaltation of the
Cross |
| † Dec 8 · Immaculate
Conception | † Apr 25 · Saint Mark | † Sep 21 · Saint Matthew |
| † Dec 9 · Anniversary of
Dedication of Cathedral of
St Thomas More [ARL] | † May 3 · Saints Philip and James | † Sep 29 · Saints Michael,
Gabriel, and Raphael |
| † Dec 25 · Christmas | † May 14 · Saint Matthias | † Oct 4, 11, 18, 25 · Sundays
in Ordinary Time |
| † Dec 28 · Sunday of Christmas
Time | † May 31 · Visitation of the BVM | † Oct 18 · Saint Luke |
| † Jan 1 · Mary Mother of
God | † May 31 · Holy Trinity | † Oct 28 · Saints Simon and
Jude |
| † Jan 4 · Epiphany | † Jun 7 · Corpus Christi | † Nov 1 · All Saints |
| † Jan 11 · Baptism of the Lord | † Jun 12 · Sacred Heart of Jesus | † Nov 2 · All Souls |
| † Jan 18, 25, · Sundays in
Ordinary Time | † Jun 22 · Saint Thomas More [ARL] | † Nov 1, 8, 15, 22 · Sundays
in Ordinary Time |
| † Jan 25 · Conversion of Saint Paul | † Jun 24 · Nativity of John
the Baptist | † Nov 9 · Dedication of the
Lateran Basilica |
| † Feb 2 · Presentation of the Lord | † Jun 14, 21, 28 · Sundays in
Ordinary Time | † Nov 22 · Our Lord Jesus
Christ, King of the
Universe (34 th Sunday in
Ordinary Time) |
| † Feb 1, 8, 15, · Sundays in
Ordinary Time | † Jun 29 · Saints Peter and Paul | † Proper Solemnities
(Solemnity of the
Anniversary of the
Dedication of One’s Own
Church; Solemnity of the
Title of One’s Own
Church) |
| † Feb 18 · Ash Wed | † Jul 3 · Saint Thomas | |
| † Feb 22, Mar 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 ·
Sundays of Lent | † Jul 5, 12, 19, 26 · Sundays
in Ordinary Time | |
| † Mar 19 · St Joseph | † Jul 25 · Saint James | |
| † Mar 25 · Annunciation | † Aug 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 ·
Sundays in Ordinary Time | |
| † Mar 30 - Apr 4 · Holy Week
and the Triduum | † Aug 6 · Transfiguration | |
| | † Aug 10 · Saint Lawrence | |
| | † Aug 15 · Assumption | |
| | † Aug 24 · Saint Bartholomew | |
| | † Sep 6, 13, 20, 27 · Sundays
in Ordinary Time | |

“**Other Masses for the Dead** or ‘daily’ Masses, may be celebrated on weekdays in Ordinary Time on which Optional Memorials occur or when the Office is of the weekday, provided such Masses are actually applied for the dead” (GIRM 381).

PROPER SOLEMNITIES, FEASTS, & MEMORIALS

Background & Celebration

Proper Memorials are days that are observed as memorials in a specific place, such as a nation, a local diocese, or a parish. For the area in which a proper memorial is observed, the day is celebrated as an obligatory memorial, even if the day has a lesser rank (e.g. optional memorial) on the General Roman Calendar.

Proper Feasts are days that are observed as feasts in a specific place, even if the day has a lesser rank (e.g. memorial) in the General Roman Calendar. For Mass:

- † The Gloria is sung, even on weekdays in Advent and Lent.
- † The Liturgy of the Word includes a Reading from the Old Testament or New Testament, a Responsorial Psalm, an Alleluia (or Gospel Acclamation in Lent), and a Gospel. The readings are drawn from the readings of the saint's day.

Proper Solemnities are days that are observed as solemnities in a specific place, even if the day has a lesser rank (e.g. feast or memorial) in the General Roman Calendar. For Mass:

- † The Gloria is sung or said, even on weekdays in Advent and Lent.
- † The Liturgy of the Word includes an Old Testament Reading (or a reading from Acts of the Apostles or Revelation during Easter Time), a Responsorial Psalm, a New Testament Reading, an Alleluia (or Gospel Acclamation during Lent), and a Gospel. The readings are drawn from the readings of the saint's day. If only one reading prior to the Gospel is provided for the saint's day, then one is chosen from the appropriate Commons, keeping intact the structure of Old Testament (or Acts/Rv during Easter Time), then New Testament, and finally the Gospel.
- † The Creed is sung or said.
- † The Prayers are taken from the saint's day and, where necessary, the corresponding Commons.

For Liturgy of the Hours on Proper Solemnities, Evening Prayer I may be celebrated the evening prior, with texts taken from the appropriate Commons.

Proper Solemnities, which are the most common type of "proper celebration" at the level of the Parish, may be observed in any liturgical season, except on the following days: Sundays of Advent, Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (December 8), Nativity of the Lord (Christmas), Mary Holy Mother of God (January 1), Epiphany, Ash Wednesday, Sundays of Lent, Saint Joseph Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary (March 19), Annunciation of the Lord (March 25), Weekdays of Holy Week from Monday up to and including Thursday, Paschal Triduum of the Passion and Resurrection of the Lord, Days within the Octave of Easter, Sundays of Easter, Ascension, Pentecost, Most Holy Trinity, Corpus Christi, Sacred Heart of Jesus, Nativity of John the Baptist (June 24), Saints Peter and Paul (June 29), Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (August 15), All Saints (November 1), Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (November 2), Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe (34th Sunday in Ordinary Time).

The Anniversary of Dedication is a proper solemnity for a Parish. It is observed on the date on which the Parish's church building was solemnly dedicated. Prayers are taken from the "Common of the Dedication of a Church, I. In the Church that was Dedicated." Readings are taken from the same Common (Lectionary, nos. 701-706 [vol. 4]). It is to be noted that the date of dedication is usually distinct from the date of the parish's founding. The Office of Divine Worship, in collaboration with the Diocesan Archives, is currently compiling all known dates of dedication for parish church buildings in the Diocese of Arlington. If your parish does not have a date of dedication listed below and you have a record of the date, please contact the Office of Divine Worship.

A "Titular Solemnity" is a proper solemnity for a Parish related to the "title" of the Parish's dedicated church building. This proper solemnity is observed on the liturgical day that most closely corresponds with the "title." For churches named after the Blessed Virgin Mary, the most appropriate liturgical day is chosen: for example, August 22nd, the Queenship of Mary, for Queen of Apostles (Alexandria, VA). If no clear day is indicated, then a suitable day may be designated by the diocesan bishop. While the "title" of a church building is a technical

designation that is not required by law to correspond to the Parish's patron saint, in the Diocese of Arlington every Parish church's title is identical to its principal patron saint. Therefore, the "Titular Solemnity" coincides with the patronal feast day. In Parishes in which the title corresponds to a day already observed as a solemnity (e.g. Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception in Fredericksburg), no additional liturgical observances are added to the solemnity. However, prayer for the parish community may fittingly be highlighted through the homily, intentions of the Prayer of the Faithful, and selection of music.

Proper Feast of the Anniversary of the Dedication of the Cathedral of Saint Thomas More · December 9

Within the Diocese of Arlington, December 9 is observed as a feast (except in the Cathedral itself, which observes this day as a solemnity).

- † The Gloria is sung.
- † Prayers are from the "Common of the Dedication of a Church, II. Outside the Church that was Dedicated" (except in the Cathedral itself, in which case prayers are taken from the "Common of the Dedication of a Church, I. In the Church that was Dedicated").
- † The readings are from the "Common of the Dedication of a Church, Anniversary of Dedication" (Lectionary, nos. 701-706 [vol. 4]). The following are recommended: Reading, 1 Kings 8:22-23, 27-30 or Ephesians 1:29-22; Responsorial Psalm, Psalm 84:3, 4, 5 and 1, 11 (R/. "How lovely..." or "Here God lives..."); Alleluia Verse, Ezekiel 37:27; Gospel, John 4:19-24.

Proper Memorial of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Secondary Patroness of the Diocese · January 4

January 4th is already observed as an obligatory Memorial in the Dioceses of the United States of America.

Proper Feast of Saint Thomas More, Principal Patron of the Diocese · June 22*

Within the Diocese of Arlington, June 22nd is observed as a feast.

- † The Gloria is sung.
- † It is permissible to adapt the collect in the following manner:
O God, who in martyrdom
have brought true faith to its highest expression,
graciously grant
that, strengthened through the intercession
of Saint Thomas More,
we may confirm by the witness of our life
the faith we profess with our lips.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.
- † The readings are from St Thomas More (Lectionary, no. 585): Reading, 1 Peter 4:12-19; Responsorial Psalm, Psalm 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6 (R/. 126:5); Alleluia Verse, Matthew 5:10; Gospel, Matthew 10:34-39.

Proper Solemnities in Parishes

All Saints (Manassas)

- † August 14, 2010 · Dedication
- † November 1 · All Saints

Basilica of Saint Mary (Alexandria)

- † September 8 · Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Blessed Sacrament (Alexandria)

- † June 7, 2026 · The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ on the Sunday after the Most Holy Trinity

Cathedral of Saint Thomas More (Arlington)

- † December 9, 1961 · Dedication
- † June 22 · Saint Thomas More

Christ the Redeemer (Sterling)

Church of the Nativity (Burke)

- † December 25 · Nativity of the Lord

Corpus Christi (South Riding)

- † May 2, 2021 · Dedication
- † June 7, 2026 · The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ on the Sunday after the Most Holy Trinity

Good Shepherd (Alexandria)

Holy Family (Dale City)

- † December 28, 2025 · Sunday with the Octave of the Nativity or, if there is no Sunday, December 30

Holy Martyrs of Vietnam (Arlington)

- † November 24 · Saint Andrew Dung-Lac and Companions

Holy Spirit (Annandale)

- † May 24, 2026 · Pentecost Sunday

Holy Trinity (Gainesville)

- † February 2, 2008 · Dedication
- † May 31, 2026 · The Most Holy Trinity on the First Sunday after Pentecost

Our Lady of Angels (Woodbridge)

Our Lady of Good Counsel (Vienna)

Our Lady of Hope (Potomac Falls)

- † January 17, 2006 · Dedication

Our Lady of Lourdes (Arlington)

- † February 11 · Our Lady of Lourdes

Our Lady of the Blue Ridge (Madison)

Our Lady of the Valley (Luray)

Our Lady, Queen of Peace (Arlington)

- † August 22 · Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Precious Blood (Culpeper)

- † June 7, 2026 · The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ on the Sunday after the Most Holy Trinity

Queen of Apostles (Alexandria)

- † August 22 · Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sacred Heart (Manassas)

- † June 12, 2026 · The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus on the Friday after the Second Sunday after Pentecost

Sacred Heart of Jesus (Winchester)

- † June 12, 2026 · The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus on the Friday after the Second Sunday after Pentecost

Saint Agnes (Arlington)

- † January 21 · Saint Agnes

Saint Ambrose (Annandale)

- † July 15, 2023 · Dedication
- † December 7 · Saint Ambrose

When December 7th does not fall on a Sunday of Advent, Masses before 4:00pm are for the Titular Solemnity. Masses after 4:00pm on December 7 are for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, which takes precedence both because it is a higher rank than the Titular Solemnity and is a day of precept. On the evening of December 7th, Evening Prayer I of the Immaculate Conception is celebrated as a higher rank than the Titular Solemnity.

Saint Andrew the Apostle (Clifton)

- † November 30 · Saint Andrew the Apostle

Saint Ann (Arlington)

† July 26 · Saints Joachim and Anne

Saint Anthony of Padua (Falls Church)

† June 13 · Saint Anthony of Padua

Saint Bernadette (Springfield)

† April 16 · Saint Bernadette Soubirous

Saint Bridget of Ireland (Berryville)

† February 1 · Saint Bridget of Ireland

Saint Catherine of Siena (Great Falls)

† April 29 · Saint Catherine of Siena

Saint Charles Borromeo (Arlington)

† November 4 · Saint Charles Borromeo

Saint Clare of Assisi (Clifton)

† August 11 · Saint Clare

August 11th follows the Feast of St Lawrence (August 10th). Nevertheless, Masses after 4:00pm on August 10th may be for the T titular Solemnity and Evening Prayer I of the T titular Solemnity is celebrated because it is of a higher rank than Feasts of Saints.

Saint Elizabeth of Hungary (Colonial Beach)

† November 17 · Saint Elizabeth of Hungary

Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton (Lake Ridge)

† January 4 · Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton

Saint Francis de Sales (Kilmarnock)

† January 24 · Saint Francis de Sales

Saint Francis de Sales (Purcellville)

† January 24 · Saint Francis de Sales

Saint Francis of Assisi (Triangle)

† October 4 · Saint Francis of Assisi

Saint Isidore the Farmer (Orange)

† May 15 · Saint Isidore

Saint James (Falls Church)

† July 25 · Saint James the Apostle

Saint John the Apostle (Leesburg)

† December 27 · Saint John the Apostle & Evangelist

Saint John the Baptist (Front Royal)

Saint John the Beloved (McLean)

† December 27 · Saint John the Apostle & Evangelist

Saint John Bosco (Woodstock)

† January 31 · Saint John Bosco

Saint John the Evangelist (Warrenton)

† December 27 · Saint John the Apostle & Evangelist

Saint John Neumann (Reston)

† January 5 · Saint John Neumann

Saint Joseph (Alexandria)

† March 19 · Saint Joseph

Saint Joseph (Herndon)

† March 19 · St Joseph

Saint Jude (Fredericksburg)

† July 14, 2018 · Dedication

† October 28 · Saints Simon and Jude

Saint Lawrence (Alexandria)

† August 10 · St Lawrence

Saint Leo the Great (Fairfax)

† November 10 · Saint Leo the Great

November 10th follows the Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica (November 9th). Nevertheless, Masses after 4:00pm on November 9th may be for the T titular Solemnity and Evening Prayer I of the T titular Solemnity is celebrated because it is of a higher rank than Feasts of Saints.

Saint Louis (Alexandria)

† August 25 · Saint Louis

August 25th follows the Feast of St Bartholomew (August 24th). Nevertheless, Masses after 4:00pm on August 24th may be for the T titular Solemnity and Evening Prayer I of the T titular Solemnity is celebrated because it is of a higher rank than Feasts of Saints.

Saint Luke (McLean)

† October 18 · Saint Luke

Saint Mark (Vienna)

† April 25 · Saint Mark

Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception
(Fredericksburg)

† December 8 · The Immaculate Conception

Saint Mary of Sorrows (Fairfax)

† November 15, 2020 · Dedication

† September 15 · Saint Mary of Sorrows

September 15th follows the Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross (September 15th). Nevertheless, Masses after 4:00pm on September 14th may be for the Titular Solemnity and Evening Prayer I of the Titular Solemnity is celebrated because it is of a higher rank than Feasts of Saints.

Saint Matthew (Spotsylvania)

† September 21 · Saint Matthew

Saint Michael (Annandale)

† September 29 · Saint Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael

Saint Patrick (Fredericksburg)

† June 13, 2021 · Dedication

† March 17 · Saint Patrick

March 17th always falls within the Season of Lent. However, the Titular Solemnity outranks weekdays in Lent and so the Titular Solemnity with prayers and readings of Saint Patrick may be celebrated when March 17 occurs on a weekday.

Saint Paul Chung (Fairfax)

† October 22, 1995 · Dedication

† September 20 · Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon and Paul Chong Ha-sang and Companions

Saint Peter (Washington, VA)

† June 29 · Saints Peter and Paul

Saint Philip the Apostle (Falls Church)

† May 3 · Saints Philip and James

Saint Raymond of Peñafort (Springfield)

† January 7 · Saint Raymond of Peñafort

Saint Rita (Alexandria)

† May 22 · Saint Rita of Cascia

Saint Stephen the Martyr (Middleburg)

† December 26 · Saint Stephen the Martyr

Saint Theresa (Ashburn)

† October 1 · Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus

Saint Thomas à Becket (Reston)

† September 9, 1973 · Dedication

† December 29 · Saint Thomas à Becket

Saint Timothy (Chantilly)

† January 26 · Saints Timothy and Titus

January 26th follows the Feast of the Conversion of Saint Paul (January 25th). Nevertheless, Masses after 4:00pm on January 25th may be for the Titular Solemnity and Evening Prayer I of the Titular Solemnity is celebrated because it is of a higher rank than Feasts of Saints.

Saint Veronica (Chantilly)

† July 12 · Saint Veronica

Saint William of York (Stafford)

† June 8 · Saint William of York

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