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✠ **APRIL 25, FRIDAY**

Friday within the Octave of Easter, white

Mass: of Friday within the Octave of Easter

Readings: (265)

Acts 4:1-12

John 21:1-14

Hours: proper to Friday within the Octave

✠ **APRIL 26, SATURDAY**

Saturday within the Octave of Easter, white

Mass: of Saturday within the Octave of Easter

Readings: (266)

Acts 4:13-21

Mark 16:9-15

Hours: proper to Saturday within the Octave

Evening Prayer I of the Second Sunday of Easter

✠ **APRIL 27, SUNDAY – MFP**

**SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (OR SUNDAY OF
DIVINE MERCY)**, white

Mass: of the Second Sunday of Easter. Gloria, Optional
Sequence, Creed, Preface I of Easter, proper
Communicantes and *Hanc igitur* in the Roman Canon,
double *Alleluia* at dismissal

Readings: (45)

Acts 5:12-16

Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19

John 20:19-31

Hours: proper to the Second Sunday of Easter

✠ **APRIL 19, SATURDAY**

Holy Saturday (Easter Vigil), white

Easter Vigil Mass: Lucernarium, Gloria, Creed is replaced

by Baptismal Promises, Preface I of Easter, special
commemoration of newly baptized and godparents
in Eucharistic Prayers, proper *Communicantes* and
Hanc igitur in the Roman Canon, double *Alleluia* at
dismissal.

Readings: (41)

*At least three readings from the Old Testament (always
using the Exodus reading) and their responsorial
psalms are to be used in addition to the reading from
Romans and the Gospel*

Genesis 1:1—2:2 or 1:1, 26-31a

Genesis 22:1-18 or 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18

Exodus 14:15—15:1

Isaiah 54:5-14

Isaiah 55:1-11

Baruch 3:9-15, 32—4:4

Ezekiel 36:16-17a, 18-28

Romans 6:3-11

Luke 24:1-12

Hours: proper to Holy Saturday

✠ **APRIL 20, SUNDAY – MFP**

**EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF
THE LORD**. Solemnity, white

Mass: of Easter Sunday. Gloria, Sequence, Renewal
of Baptismal Vows or Creed [not both], Preface I of
Easter, proper *Communicantes* and *Hanc igitur* in the
Roman Canon, double *Alleluia* at dismissal

Readings: (42)

Acts 10:34a, 37-43

Colossians 3:1-4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8

John 20:1-9 or Luke 24:1-12 (41)

or, at an afternoon or evening Mass,

Luke 24:13-35 (46)

Hours: proper to Easter Sunday

✠ **APRIL 14, MONDAY**

Monday of Holy Week, violet

Mass: of Monday of Holy Week

Readings: (257)

Isaiah 42:1-7

John 12:1-11

Hours: Week II of psalter and Lenten proper

✠ **APRIL 15, TUESDAY**

Tuesday of Holy Week, violet

Mass: of Tuesday of Holy Week

Readings: (258)

Isaiah 49:1-6

John 13:21-33, 36-38

Hours: Week II of psalter and Lenten proper

✠ **APRIL 16, WEDNESDAY**

Wednesday of Holy Week, violet

Mass: of Wednesday of Holy Week

Readings: (259)

Isaiah 50:4-9a

Matthew 26:14-25

Hours: Week II of psalter and Lenten proper

✠ **APRIL 7, MONDAY**

Lenten Weekday, violet [*Saint John Baptist de la Salle,*

Priest]

Mass: of Monday of the Fifth Week of Lent

Readings: (251)

Daniel 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62

John 8:12-20 (second choice)

Hours: Week I of psalter and Lenten proper

✠ **APRIL 8, TUESDAY**

Lenten Weekday, violet

Mass: of Tuesday of the Fifth Week of Lent

Readings: (252)

Numbers 21:4-9

John 8:21-30

Hours: Week I of psalter and Lenten proper

✠ **APRIL 9, WEDNESDAY**

Lenten Weekday, violet

Mass: of Wednesday of the Fifth Week of Lent

Readings: (253)

Daniel 3:14-20, 91-92, 95

John 8:31-42

Hours: Week I of psalter and Lenten proper

✠ **APRIL 10, THURSDAY**

Lenten Weekday, violet

Mass: of Thursday of the Fifth Week of Lent

Readings: (254)

Genesis 17:3-9

John 8:51-59

Hours: Week I of psalter and Lenten proper

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The American Ordo is a guide to the Mass and
the Liturgy of the Hours for each day in the U.S.
Liturgical Calendar.

On the weekdays in Lent, the Mass texts for
the current liturgical day are used; but, with the
exception of on Ash Wednesday and during Holy
Week, the Collect may be taken from a Memorial
which happens to be inscribed in the General
Calendar for that day.

On the weekdays in Easter: the Mass texts for
the current liturgical day or a Memorial for that
day may be used. Masses for Various Needs and
Occasions and Votive Masses are in principle
forbidden, but may be used in real necessity or for
pastoral advantage.

Your comments on this Ordo are welcome.

✠ **APRIL 1, TUESDAY**
Lenten Weekday, violet
Mass: of Tuesday of the Fourth Week of Lent
Readings: (245)
Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12
John 5:1-16
Hours: Week IV of psalter and Lenten proper

✠ **APRIL 2, WEDNESDAY**
Lenten Weekday, violet [*Saint Francis of Paola, Hermit*]
Mass: of Wednesday of the Fourth Week of Lent
Readings: (246)
Isaiah 49:8-15
John 5:17-30
Hours: Week IV of psalter and Lenten proper

✠ **APRIL 3, THURSDAY**
Lenten Weekday, violet
Mass: of Thursday of the Fourth Week of Lent
Readings: (247)
Exodus 32:7-14
John 5:31-47
Hours: Week IV of psalter and Lenten proper

✠ **APRIL 4, FRIDAY**
Lenten Weekday, violet [*Saint Isidore, Bishop and Doctor of the Church*]
Mass: of Friday of the Fourth Week of Lent
Readings: (248)
Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22
John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
Hours: Week IV of psalter and Lenten proper

✠ **APRIL 5, SATURDAY**
Lenten Weekday, violet [*Saint Vincent Ferrer, Priest*]
Mass: of Saturday of the Fourth Week of Lent
Readings: (249)
Jeremiah 11:18-20
John 7:40-53
Hours: Week IV of psalter and Lenten proper
Evening Prayer I of the Fifth Sunday of Lent

✠ **APRIL 6, SUNDAY – MFP**
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT, violet
Mass: of the Fifth Sunday of Lent or of Third Scrutiny.
Readings for Year A (34) permitted; must be used with Third Scrutiny. Creed, Preface proper to Fifth Sunday of Lent if using Gospel of Lazarus; if not, Preface I or II of Lent.
Readings: (36)
Isaiah 43:16-21
Philippians 3:8-14
John 8:1-11
or Year A Readings: (34)
Ezekiel 37:12-14
Romans 8:8-11
John 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45
Hours: Week I of psalter and the Fifth Sunday of Lent

The following Readings (250) may be used on any day this week:
2 Kings 4:18b-21, 32-37
John 11:1-45

✠ **APRIL 11, FRIDAY**
Lenten Weekday, violet, [*Saint Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr*]
Mass: of Friday of the Fifth Week of Lent
Readings: (255)
Jeremiah 20:10-13
John 10:31-42
Hours: Week I of psalter and Lenten proper

✠ **APRIL 12, SATURDAY**
Lenten Weekday, violet
Mass: of Saturday of the Fifth Week of Lent
Readings: (256)
Ezekiel 37:21-28
John 11:45-56
Hours: Week I of psalter and Lenten proper
Evening Prayer I of Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

✠ **APRIL 13, SUNDAY – MFP**
PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD, red
Mass: of Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord. Blessing of palms, procession replaces Introductory Rites. Creed, Preface of the Passion
Reading for Blessing of Palms/Procession: (37)
Luke 19:28-40
Readings for Mass: (38)
Isaiah 50:4-7
Philippians 2:6-11
Luke 22:14—23:56 or 23:1-49
Hours: Week II of the psalter and of Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

✠ **APRIL 17, THURSDAY**
Thursday of Holy Week (Holy Thursday), white
ChrisM Mass: Gloria, Renewal of Priestly Promises, Blessing of Oils, Preface proper
Readings: (260)
Isaiah 61:1-3a, 6a, 8b-9
Revelation 1:5-8
Luke 4:16-21
Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Gloria, Washing of Feet, Preface proper, proper *Communicantes*, *Hanc igitur*, and *Qui pridie*, transfer of the Eucharist to altar of repose
Readings: (39)
Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14
1 Corinthians 11:23-26
John 13:1-15
Hours: proper to Holy Thursday

✠ **APRIL 18, FRIDAY**
Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday), red
Celebration of the Passion of the Lord: Liturgy of the Word, Solemn Intercessions, Adoration of the Cross, Holy Communion
Readings: (40)
Isaiah 52:13—53:12
Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:7-9
John 18:1—19:42
Hours: proper to Good Friday

THROUGHOUT THE OCTAVE OF EASTER
Mass: Gloria, Optional Sequence, Preface I of Easter, proper *Communicantes* and *Hanc igitur* in the Roman Canon, double Alleluia at dismissal
Hours: Night Prayer I or II of Sunday

✠ **APRIL 21, MONDAY**
Monday within the Octave of Easter, white
Mass: of Monday within the Octave of Easter
Readings: (261)
Acts 2:14, 22-33
Matthew 28:8-15
Hours: proper to Monday within the Octave

✠ **APRIL 22, TUESDAY**
Tuesday within the Octave of Easter, white
Mass: of Tuesday within the Octave of Easter
Readings: (262)
Acts 2:36-41
John 20:11-18
Hours: proper to Tuesday within the Octave

✠ **APRIL 23, WEDNESDAY**
Wednesday within the Octave of Easter, white
Mass: of Wednesday within the Octave of Easter
Readings: (263)
Acts 3:1-10
Luke 24:13-35
Hours: proper to Wednesday within the Octave

✠ **APRIL 24, THURSDAY**
Thursday within the Octave of Easter, white
Mass: of Thursday within the Octave of Easter
Readings: (264)
Acts 3:11-26
Luke 24:35-48
Hours: proper to Thursday within the Octave

✠ **APRIL 28, MONDAY**
Easter Weekday, white or Saint Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr, red or Saint Louis Grignon de Montfort, Priest, white. Optional memorials
Mass: of Monday of the Second Week of Easter or of Saint Peter Chanel or Saint Louis Grignon
Readings: (267)
Acts 4:23-31
John 3:1-8
Hours: Week II of psalter and Easter proper

✠ **APRIL 29, TUESDAY**
Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church. Memorial, white
Mass: of Saint Catherine of Siena
Readings: (268)
Acts 4:32-37
John 3:7b-15
Hours: Week II of psalter and of Saint Catherine of Siena

✠ **APRIL 30, WEDNESDAY**
Easter Weekday, white; or Saint Pius V, Pope. Optional memorial, white
Mass: of Wednesday of the Second Week of Easter or of Saint Pius
Readings: (269)
Acts 5:17-26
John 3:16-21
Hours: Week II of psalter and Easter proper