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✠ **AUGUST 26, TUESDAY**
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (426)
1 Thessalonians 2:1-8
Matthew 23:23-26
Hours: Week I of psalter

✠ **AUGUST 27, WEDNESDAY**
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time
Saint Monica. Memorial, white
Mass: of Saint Monica
Readings: (427)
1 Thessalonians 2:9-13
Matthew 23:27-32
Hours: Week I of psalter and of Saint Monica

✠ **AUGUST 28, THURSDAY**
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time
Saint Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church.
Memorial, white
Mass: of Saint Augustine
Readings: (428)
1 Thessalonians 3:7-13
Matthew 24:42-51
Hours: Week I of psalter and of Saint Augustine

✠ **AUGUST 29, FRIDAY**
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time
The Passion of Saint John the Baptist. Memorial, red
Mass: of the Passion of Saint John the Baptist. Gospel
proper, Preface proper
Readings: (429/634)
1 Thessalonians 4:1-8 (429)
Mark 6:17-29 (634)
Hours: proper to the memorial of the Passion of Saint John
the Baptist

✠ **AUGUST 19, TUESDAY**
Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green; or Saint John Eudes, Priest. Optional
memorial, white
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (420)
Judges 6:11-24a
Matthew 19:23-30
Hours: Week IV of psalter

✠ **AUGUST 20, WEDNESDAY**
Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church.
Memorial, white
Mass: of Saint Bernard
Readings: (421)
Judges 9:6-15
Matthew 20:1-16
Hours: Week IV of psalter and of Saint Bernard

✠ **AUGUST 21, THURSDAY**
Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
Saint Pius X, Pope. Memorial, white
Mass: of Saint Pius X
Readings: (422)
Judges 11:29-39a
Matthew 22:1-14
Hours: Week IV of psalter and of Saint Pius X

✠ **AUGUST 22, FRIDAY**
Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Memorial,
white
Mass: of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Readings: (423)
Ruth 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22
Matthew 22:34-40
Hours: Week IV of psalter and of Queenship of BVM

✠ **AUGUST 13, WEDNESDAY**
Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green; or Saints Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus,
Priest, Martyrs. Optional memorial, red
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (415)
Deuteronomy 34:1-12
Matthew 18:15-20
Hours: Week III of psalter

✠ **AUGUST 14, THURSDAY**
Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr. Memorial,
red
Mass: of Saint Maximilian Kolbe
Readings: (416)
Joshua 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17
Matthew 18:21—19:1
Hours: Week III of psalter and Saint Maximilian Kolbe
Evening Prayer I of the Assumption

✠ **AUGUST 15, FRIDAY – MFP**
Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time
**THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN
MARY**. Solemnity, white. Holyday of Obligation
Mass: text and Readings proper for Vigil and during the
Day. Gloria, Creed, Preface proper
Readings for the Vigil: (621)
1 Chronicles 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2
1 Corinthians 15:54b-57
Luke 11:27-28
Readings for during the Day: (622)
Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab
1 Corinthians 15:20-27
Luke 1:39-56
Hours: proper to the solemnity of the Assumption

✠ **AUGUST 7, THURSDAY**
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green; or Saint Sixtus II, Pope, and
Companions, Martyrs, red; or Saint Cajetan, Priest,
white. Optional memorials
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (410)
Numbers 20:1-13
Matthew 16:13-23
Hours: Week II of psalter

✠ **AUGUST 8, FRIDAY**
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Saint Dominic, Priest. Memorial, white
Mass: of Saint Dominic
Readings: (411)
Deuteronomy 4:32-40
Matthew 16:24-28
Hours: Week II of psalter and of Saint Dominic

✠ **AUGUST 9, SATURDAY**
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green; or Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross,
Virgin and Martyr, red; or BVM, white. Optional
memorials
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (412)
Deuteronomy 6:4-13
Matthew 17:14-20
Hours: Week II of psalter
Evening Prayer I of the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary
Time

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During Ordinary Time, on weekdays with
Optional Memorials, either the Mass of the
weekday, or that of the Optional Memorial, or
that of any Saint inscribed in the Martyrology
for that day, or any Mass for Various Needs and
Occasions or any Votive Mass can be chosen.

Your comments on this Ordo are welcome.

✠ **AUGUST 1, FRIDAY**
Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time
Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church. Memorial, white
Mass: of Saint Alphonsus Liguori
Readings: (405)
Leviticus 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37
Matthew 13:54-58
Hours: Week I of psalter and of Saint Alphonsus Liguori

✠ **AUGUST 2, SATURDAY**
Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green; or Saint Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop, white; or Saint Peter Julian Eymard, Priest, white; or BVM, white. Optional memorials
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (406)
Leviticus 25:1, 8-17
Matthew 14:1-12
Hours: Week I of psalter
Evening Prayer I of the Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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✠ **AUGUST 3, SUNDAY – MFP**
EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, green
Mass: of the Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Gloria, Creed, Preface of Sunday
Readings: (114)
Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23
Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11
Luke 12:13-21
Hours: Week II of psalter and of the Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ **AUGUST 4, MONDAY**
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Saint John Vianney, Priest. Memorial, white
Mass: of Saint John Vianney
Readings: (407)
Numbers 11:4b-15
Matthew 14:13-21
Hours: Week II of psalter and of Saint John Vianney

✠ **AUGUST 5, TUESDAY**
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green; or The Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major. Optional memorial, white
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (408)
Numbers 12:1-13
Matthew 14:22-36 or Matthew 15:1-2, 10-14
Hours: Week II of psalter

✠ **AUGUST 6, WEDNESDAY**
Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time
The Transfiguration of the Lord. Feast, white
Mass: of the Transfiguration of the Lord. Gloria, Readings proper, Preface proper
Readings: (614)
Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14
2 Peter 1:16-19
Luke 9:28b-36
Hours: proper to the feast of the Transfiguration

✠ **AUGUST 10, SUNDAY – MFP**
NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, green
Mass: of the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Gloria, Creed, Preface of Sunday
Readings: (117)
Wisdom 18:6-9
Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12
Luke 12:32-48 or 12:35-40
Hours: Week III of psalter and of the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ **AUGUST 11, MONDAY**
Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Saint Clare, Virgin. Memorial, white
Mass: of Saint Clare
Readings: (413)
Deuteronomy 10:12-22
Matthew 17:22-27
Hours: Week III of psalter and of Saint Clare

✠ **AUGUST 12, TUESDAY**
Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green; or Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious. Optional memorial, white
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (414)
Deuteronomy 31:1-8
Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Hours: Week III of psalter

✠ **AUGUST 16, SATURDAY**
Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green; or Saint Stephen of Hungary, white; or BVM, white. Optional memorials
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (418)
Joshua 24:14-29
Matthew 19:13-15
Hours: Week III of psalter
Evening Prayer I of the Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ **AUGUST 17, SUNDAY – MFP**
TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, green
Mass: of the Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Gloria, Creed, Preface of Sunday
Readings: (120)
Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10
Hebrews 12:1-4
Luke 12:49-53
Hours: Week IV of psalter and of the Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ **AUGUST 18, MONDAY**
Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (419)
Judges 2:11-19
Matthew 19:16-22
Hours: Week IV of psalter

✠ **AUGUST 23, SATURDAY**
Twentieth Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green; or Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin, white; or BVM, white. Optional memorials
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (424)
Ruth 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17
Matthew 23:1-12
Hours: Week IV of psalter
Evening Prayer I of the Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ **AUGUST 24, SUNDAY – MFP**
TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, green
Mass: of the Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time. Gloria, Creed, Preface of Sunday
Readings: (123)
Isaiah 66:18-21
Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13
Luke 13:22-30
Hours: Week I of psalter and of the Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ **AUGUST 25, MONDAY**
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green; or Saint Louis, white; or Saint Joseph Calasanz, Priest, white. Optional memorials
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (425)
1 Thessalonians 1:1-5, 8b-10
Matthew 23:13-22
Hours: Week I of psalter

✠ **AUGUST 30, SATURDAY**
Twenty-First Week in Ordinary Time
Weekday, green; or BVM. Optional memorial, white
Mass: of one's choice
Readings: (430)
1 Thessalonians 4:9-11
Matthew 25:14-30
Hours: Week I of psalter
Evening Prayer I of the Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ **AUGUST 31, SUNDAY – MFP**
TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, green
Mass: of the Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time. Gloria, Creed, Preface of Sunday
Readings: (126)
Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29
Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a
Luke 14:1, 7-14
Hours: Week II of psalter and of the Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time