



## **LECTIONARY CORRELATION • GRADE 3**

The Seasons of Lent and Easter, The Most Holy Trinity and the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



Every effort was made to correlate *Be My Disciples* with the Sunday or feast day Gospel reading. In some cases the strongest correlation is with the First or Second Reading, or the Responsorial Psalm. For your convenience, this correlation lists the readings used and the biblical citations. Additional connections are also offered to We Celebrate the Church Year (WCCY), Catholic Prayers and Practices (CPP), We Celebrate the Mass (WCM), and Key Teachings of the Church (KT).

First Sunday of Lent Focus: Lent	Gospel: Mark 1:12-15 Ch. 10; WCCY pp. 225 and 226 (The Year of Grace and the Liturgical Year), pp. 241-242 (Ash Wednesday, if you have not already discussed), pp. 243-244 (Lent); KT p. 277 (Liturgy and Worship)
Second Sunday of Lent Focus: The Transfiguration	Gospel: Mark 9:2-10 Ch. 1, especially p. 11
Third Sunday of Lent Focus: Ten Commandments	First Reading: Exodus 20:1-17 Ch. 18,19; CPP
Fourth Sunday of Lent Focus: Grace	Second Reading: Ephesians 2:4-10 pp. 111, 157, 160, 231; KT p. 280 (Holiness of Life and Grace)
<b>Fifth Sunday of Lent</b> Focus: Covenant	<b>First Reading: Jeremiah 31:31-34</b> p. 14; KT p. 274 (Sacred Scripture)
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Focus: Preparation for Holy Week	Gospel: Mark 14:1-15:47 or Mark 15:1-39  WCCY pp. 245-246 (Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord), pp. 247-248 (Holy Thursday), pp. 249-250 (Good Friday)
<b>Easter Sunday</b> Focus: Easter	Gospel: John 20: 1-9 p. 94; WCCY pp. 226 (The Liturgical Year), 251-252 (Easter Sunday); CPP p. 262 (The Rosary: Glorious Mysteries)
Second Sunday of Easter Focus: Thomas the Apostle	<b>Gospel: John 20: 19-31</b> p. 158
Third Sunday of Easter Focus: Commandments of	Second Reading: 1 John 2:1-5a Ch. 18, 19; CPP

God





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**Fourth Sunday of Easter** 

Focus: God's Love

Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-2

Ch. 12

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Focus: Love One Another

Second Reading: 1 John 3:18-24

Ch. 18, 19

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Focus: Love One Another

**Gospel: John 15:9-17** 

Ch. 18, 19

The Ascension of the Lord

Focus: The Ascension

Gospel: Mark 16:15-20

pp. 51, 131; WCCY pp. 253-254 (Ascension of the Lord);

CPP p. 262 (The Rosary: Glorious Mysteries);

KT p. 275 (Jesus Christ, Son of God, Son of Mary)

**Pentecost Sunday** 

Focus: Pentecost

Gospel: John 15:26-27; 16:12-15

p. 57-58, 65; WCCY pp. 255-256 (Pentecost); CPP p. 262

(The Rosary: Glorious Mysteries); KT p. 275 (The Mystery

of the Church)

The Most Holy Trinity

Focus: The Holy Trinity

Gospel: Matthew 28:16-20

p. 13, 167; KT p. 274 (The Holy Trinity)

The Most Holy Body and Blood

of Christ

Focus: The Eucharist

Gospel: Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

Ch. 14; WCCY p. 247 (Holy Thursday); WCM pp. 268-269 (The Liturgy of the Eucharist), p. 270 (The Communion

Rite); KT pp. 277-278 (The Sacraments)

