

YEAR A LECTIONARY CORRELATION • Junior High CHRIST IN THE LITURGY 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 Catholic Prayers and Practices (CPP), We Celebrate the Mass (WCM), and Key Teachings of the Church (KT).

First Sunday of Lent	Gospel: Matthew 4:1-11
Focus: Lent	page 104
Second Sunday of Lent	Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:8b-10
Focus: Holiness	KT p. 176 (Holiness of Life)
Third Sunday of Lent	Second Reading: Romans 5:1-2, 5-8
Focus: Theological Virtues	p. 63; KT p. 177 (The Virtues)
Fourth Sunday of Lent	Gospel: John 9:1-42 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38
Focus: Healing	Ch. 11; KT p. 175 (The Sacraments)
Fifth Sunday of Lent	Second Reading: Romans 8:8-11
Focus: The Holy Spirit	Ch. 3; KT p. 171 (The Holy Trinity)
Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Focus: Jesus' Sacrifice	Gospel: Matthew 26:14-27:66 or Matthew 27:11-54 Ch. 10
Easter Sunday	First Reading: Acts 10: 34a, 37-43
Focus: We are Commissioned	Disciple Power virtues (all chapters)
Second Sunday of Easter	First Reading: Acts 2:42-47
Focus: The Early Church	Ch. 2
Third Sunday of Easter Focus: Breaking of the Bread	Gospel: Luke 24:13-35 pp. 38, 89; WCM pp. 167-168 (The Liturgy of the Eucharist and the Communion Rite)
Fourth Sunday of Easter	First Reading: Acts 2:1, 4a, 36-41
Focus: Baptism	Ch. 9; page 174 (Liturgy and Worship)



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Fifth Sunday of Easter Focus: Faith	Gospel: John 14:1-12 Faith Living Skills (every chapter); KT p. 170 (Divine Revelation)
Sixth Sunday of Easter Focus: The Holy Spirit	Gospel: John 14: 15-21 Ch. 3; KT p. 170 (The Holy Trinity)
The Ascension of the Lord Focus: The Ascension	Gospel: Matthew 28: 16-20 CPP p. 164 (The Rosary: Glorious Mysteries); KT p. 172 (Jesus Christ, the Incarnate Son of God)
Pentecost Sunday Focus: Pentecost	Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 CPP p. 164 (The Rosary: Glorious Mysteries); KT p. 173 (Mystery of the Church)
The Most Holy Trinity Focus: The Holy Trinity	Gospel: John 3:16-18 Ch. 8; KT p. 171 (The Holy Trinity)
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ	Gospel: John 6:51-58
Focus: The Eucharist	Ch. 10; WCM pp. 167-168 (The Liturgy of the Eucharist and the Communion Rite); KT pp. 174-175 (The Sacraments)

