

## Liturgical Calendar for RCIA and other Religious Education

### Sundays and Saints' Days

Tie the catechetical topic into the theme of the Sunday readings and/or a Saint of the week.

Note: Optional Memorials are not listed in this calendar; only globally-used memorials are included.

### Explanation of Colors:

**Violet** represents expectation, purification, or penance. Used during Lent and Advent.

**White** (or Gold) represents joy and triumph. Used during the Paschal Triduum, Easter, and Christmas, as well as for Holy Days and Feast Days.

**Red** represents royalty, or martyrdom. Used on special Feast Days and Holy Days.

**Green** is a sign of life and growth. Used for Ordinary Time.

Use the color of the day or week in your environmental set-up for class.

2009	Feast or Memorial	Scriptures
Sunday August 2	18th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15 Ps 78:3-4, 23-25, 54 Ephesians 4:17, 20-24 John 6:24-35
Tuesday August 4	Saint John Mary Vianney, priest	Ezekiel 3:17-21 or Numbers 12:1-13 Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 6-7, 12-13 Matthew 14:22-36 or Matthew 15:1-2, 10-14
Thursday August 6	Transfiguration of the Lord	Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9 2 Peter 1:16-19 Mark 9:2-10
Saturday August 8	Saint Dominic, priest	Deuteronomy 6:4-13 Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 Matthew 17:14-20
Sunday August 9	19th Sunday in Ordinary Time	1 Kings 19:4-8 Ps 34:2-9 Ephesians 4:30--5:2 John 6:41-51
Monday August 10	Saint Lawrence, deacon and martyr	2 Corinthians 9:6-10 Ps 112:1-2, 5-9 John 12:24-26
Tuesday August 11	Saint Clare, virgin	Deuteronomy 31:1-8 Deuteronomy 32:3-4ab, 7-9, 12 Matthew 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Friday August 14	Saint Maximilian Mary Kolbe, priest and martyr	Joshua 24:1-13 Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22, 24 Matthew 19:3-12