



2026

ST PHILOMENA SCHOOL





The Last Judgment (tempera on panel 1425-1430) by Fra Angelico

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
WEEK 9	1 Girls Excursion Boys Swim Carnival Advent Feria-3V	2 Boys Excursion Girls Swim Carnival St Bibiana, VM-3R <i>Advent Feria</i>	3 LAST DAY OF TERM 4 Awards Night St Francis Xavier, C-3W <i>Advent Feria</i>	4 Dedication of St Stephen Cathedral-1W (QLD)	5 First Friday  Advent Feria-3V <i>St Sabbas, Ab</i>	6 First Saturday St Nicholas, BC-3W <i>Advent Feria</i>
7 Second Sunday of Advent-1V	8 The Immaculate Conception- 1W	9 Advent Feria-3V	10 Advent Feria-3V <i>St Melchiades, PM</i>	11 St Damasus I, PC-3W <i>Advent Feria</i>	12  Advent Feria-3V	13 St Lucy, VM-3R <i>Advent Feria</i>
14 Third Sunday of Advent (Gaudete Sunday)-1Rose	15 Advent Feria-3V	16 St Eusebius, BM-3R <i>Advent Feria</i>	17  Ember Wednesday-2V	18 Advent Feria-2V	19  Ember Friday-2V	20  Ember Saturday-2V
21 Fourth Sunday of Advent-1V	22 Advent Feria-2V	23 Advent Feria-2V	24 Vigil of THE NATIVITY-1V	25 Christmas Day  THE NATIVITY-1W	26 Boxing Day St Stephen, First Martyr-2R <i>Within the Octave of Christmas</i>	27 St John, ApE-2W <i>Within the Octave of Christmas</i>
28 Sunday within the Octave of Christmas-2W <i>Holy Innocents, Mm</i>	29 Within the Octave of Christmas-2W <i>St Thomas of Canterbury, BM</i>	30 Within the Octave of Christmas-2W	31 Within the Octave of Christmas-2W <i>St Silvester I, PC</i>			
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The Epiphany of Christ as an infant to the Magi
Altarpiece at Koln Cathedral by Stefan Lochner

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25WEEK 1	26Australia Day	27FIRST DAY OF TERM 1	28Year 6/7 Girls Recollection	29Year 6/7 Boys Recollection	30Whole School Mass🐟	31																																																																													
Third Sunday after Epiphany-2G	St Polycarp, BM-3R	St John Chrysostom, BCD-3W	St Peter Nolasco, C-3W <i>St Agnes, VM</i>	St Francis of Sales, BCD-3W	St Martina, VM-3R	St John Bosco, C-3W																																																																													
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*Presentation of Christ at
the Temple*
by Hans Holbein the Elder,
1500–01

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1 WEEK 2 Septuagesima Sunday-2V <i>Comm. St Brigid, V (Aust)</i>	2 Year 12 Boys Ignatian Year 8/9 Girls Recollection Purification of the BVM-2W	3 Year 12 Boys Ignatian Year 8/9 Girls Recollection <i>Blessing of Throats</i> Feria-4V <i>St Blaise, BM</i>	4 Year 12 Boys Ignatian Year 8/9 Boys Recollection St Andrew Corsini, BC-3W	5 Year 12 Boys Ignatian Year 8/9 Boys Recollection St Agatha, VM-3R	6 Year 12 Boys Ignatian First Friday ☿ St Titus, BC-3W <i>St Dorothy, VM</i>	7 Year 12 Boys Ignatian First Saturday St Romuald, Ab-3W																																										
8 WEEK 3 Sexagesima Sunday-2V	9 St Cyril of Alexandria, BCD-3W; St Apollonia, VM	10 P & F AGM St Scholastica, V-3W	11 Our Lady of Lourdes (Oxley)-1W	12 Seven Founders of the Servite Order, Cc-3W	13 ☿ Feria-4V	14 Our Lady on Saturdays-4W <i>St Valentine, PrM</i>																																										
15 WEEK 4 Quinquagesima Sunday-2V	16 Feria-4V	17 Feria-4V	18 Whole School Mass ☿☿☿ ASH WEDNESDAY-1V	19 ☿☿ Lenten Feria-3V	20 ☿☿☿ Lenten Feria-3V	21 ☿☿☿ Lenten Feria-3V																																										
22 WEEK 5 First Sunday in Lent-1V	23 Year 12 Girls Ignatian ☿☿ Lenten Feria-3V <i>St Peter Damian, BCD</i>	24 Year 12 Girls Ignatian ☿☿ St Matthias, Ap-2R	25 Year 12 Girls Ignatian ☿☿ Ember Wednesday-2V	26 Year 12 Girls Ignatian ☿☿ Lenten Feria-3V	27 Year 12 Girls Ignatian ☿☿☿ Ember Friday-2V <i>St Gabriel of Our Lady of Sorrows, C</i>	28 Year 12 Girls Ignatian ☿☿ Ember Saturday-2V																																										
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*Saint Joseph with the
Infant Jesus,*
by Guido Reni (c. 1635)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 WEEK 6 Second Sunday in Lent-1V	2 Lenten FERIA-3V	3 Lenten FERIA-3V	4 Lenten FERIA-3V St Casimir of Lithuania, C St Lucius I, PM	5 Lenten FERIA-3V	6 First Friday Lenten FERIA-3V Ss Perpetua, Felicity and Comps, Mm	7 First Saturday Lenten FERIA-3V St Thomas of Aquinas, CD
8 WEEK 7 Third Sunday in Lent-1V	9 Lenten FERIA-3V St Frances of Rome, W	10 Lenten FERIA-3V Forty Martyrs of Sebaste	11 NAPLAN Lenten FERIA-3V	12 NAPLAN Lenten FERIA-3V St Gregory the Great, PCD	13 NAPLAN Lenten FERIA-3V	14 Lenten FERIA-3V
15 WEEK 8 Fourth Sunday in Lent (Laetare Sunday)-1Rose	16 NAPLAN Lenten FERIA-3V	17 NAPLAN St Patrick, BC-1W Lenten FERIA	18 NAPLAN Lenten FERIA-3V St Cyril, BCD	19 St Joseph, Spouse of Our Lady, C-1W; Lenten FERIA	20 NAPLAN Lenten FERIA-3V	21 Lenten FERIA-3V St Benedict, Ab
22 WEEK 9 Passion Sunday-1V	23 NAPLAN Lenten FERIA-3V	24 Staff Twilight First Aid Lenten FERIA-3V St Gabriel the Archangel	25 Annunciation of Our Lady-1W; Lenten FERIA	26 Lenten FERIA-3V	27 Our Lady of Compassion-1W (SSPX); Lenten FERIA	28 Lenten FERIA-3V St John Capistran, C
29 WEEK 10 Palm Sunday-1V	30 Monday of Holy Week-1V	31 Pupil Free Day Primary & Secondary Parent Teacher Interview Tuesday of Holy Week-1V				
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The Resurrection of Jesus Christ,
by Raphael (1449-1502)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
WEEK 10			1 LAST DAY OF TERM 1 Cross Country	2	3 Good Friday First Friday	4 First Saturday
			Wednesday of Holy Week-1W	MAUNDY THURSDAY-1W	GOOD FRIDAY-1B	HOLY SATURDAY-1W
5 Easter Sunday	6 Easter Monday	7	8	9	10	11
EASTER SUNDAY-1W	Monday in Easter Week-1W	Tuesday in Easter Week-1W	Wednesday in Easter Week-1W	Thursday in Easter Week-1W	Friday in Easter Week-1W	Saturday in Easter Week-1W
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Low Sunday-1W	St Hermenegild, M-3R	St Justin, M-3R Ss Tiburtius, Valerian, and Maximus, Mm	Feria-4W	Feria-4W	Feria-4W St Anicetus, PM	Our Lady on Saturdays-4W
19 WEEK 1	20 FIRST DAY TERM OF 2 Year 10-11 Girls Retreat	21 Year 10-11 Girls Retreat	22 Year 10-11 Girls Retreat	23 Year 10-11 Girls Retreat	24 Year 10-11 Girls Retreat	25 Anzac Day
Second Sunday after Easter-2W	Feria-4W	St Anselm, BCD-3W	Ss Soter and Caius, PpMm-3R	Feria-4W St George, M	St Fidelis of Sigmaringen, M-3R	St Mark, E-2R Greater Litanies
26 WEEK 2	27 Year 10-11 Boys Retreat	28 Year 10-11 Boys Retreat	29 Year 10-11 Boys Retreat	30 Year 10-11 Boys Retreat		
Third Sunday after Easter-2W	St Peter Canisius, CD-3W	St Paul of the Cross, C-3W St Peter Chanel, PrM (Aust)	St Peter of Verona, M-3R	St Catherine of Siena, V-3W		
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*The Crowning of the Virgin
by the Trinity*
by Velázquez, 1645

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
WEEK 2					1 First Friday  Year 10-11 Boys Retreat St Joseph the Worker-1W	2 First Saturday St Athanasius, BCD-3W
3 WEEK 3 Fourth Sunday after Easter-2W	4 Labour Day St Monica, W-3W	5 St Pius V, PC-3W	6 Feria-4W	7 St Stanislaus, BM-3R	8  Feria-4W	9 St Gregory Nazianzen, BCD-3W
10 WEEK 4 Fifth Sunday after Easter-2W	11 Ss Philip and James, Aps-2R	12 Ss Nereus, Achilleus, Domitilla, and Pancras, Mm-3R	13 Whole School Mass Archbishop Lefebvre Dinner Year 12 Vigil of the Ascension-2W St Robert Bellarmine, BCD	14  THE ASCENSION-1W	15  St John Baptist de la Salle, C-3W	16 St Ubald, BC-3W
17 WEEK 5 Sunday after the Ascension-2W	18 St Venantius, M-3R	19 St Peter Celestine, PC-3W St Pudentiana, V	20 St Bernardine of Siena, C-3W	21 Feria-4W	22  Feria-4W	23 Vigil of Pentecost-1R
24 WEEK 6 PENTECOST-1R	25 Pentecost Monday-1R	26 Pentecost Tuesday-1R	27  Ember Wednesday of Pentecost-1R	28 Pentecost Thursday-1R	29  Ember Friday of Pentecost-1R	30  Ember Saturday of Pentecost-1R
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Holy Trinity, fresco by Luca Rossetti da Orta, 1738-9 (St. Gaudenzio Church at Ivrea, Torino)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
WEEK 7	1 Mary, Help of Christians (Patron of Australia)-1W (transferred)	2 Feria-4G <i>Ss Marcellinus and Peter, Mm, and St Erasmus, BM</i>	3 Feria-4G	4 Whole School Mass CORPUS CHRISTI-1W	5 First Friday  St Boniface, BM-3R	6 First Saturday St Norbert, BC-3W
7 Second Sunday after Pentecost-2G	8 Feria-4G	9 Prep to 3 Sport Carnival St Columba, Ab (Aust)-3W <i>Ss Primus and Felician, Mm</i>	10 4-12 Girls Sport Carnival St Margaret, QW-3W	11 4-12 Boys Sport Carnival St Barnabas, Ap-3R	12  Most Sacred Heart of Jesus-1W	13 St Anthony of Padua, CD-3W
14 Third Sunday after Pentecost-2G	15 Feria-4G <i>Ss Vitus, Modestus, and Crescentia, Mm</i>	16 Year 7-10 Exam Feria-4G	17 Year 7-10 Exam St Gregory Barbarigo, BC-3W	18 Year 7-10 Exam St Ephrem, DeCD-3W <i>Ss Mark and Marcellianus, Mm</i>	19 Year 7-10 Exam  St Juliana Falconieri, V-3W <i>Ss Gervase and Protase, Mm</i>	20 Our Lady on Saturdays-4W <i>St Silverius, PM</i>
21 Fourth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	22 LAST DAY OF TERM 2 St Paulinus, BC-3W	23 Pupil Free Day Staff Day Vigil of the Nativity of St John the Baptist-2V	24 Pupil Free Day Staff Day Nativity of St John the Baptist-1W	25 Pupil Free Day Staff Day St William, Ab-3W	26 Pupil Free Day Staff Day  Ss John and Paul, Mm-3R	27 Our Lady on Saturdays-4W
28 Fifth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	29 Ss Peter and Paul, Aps-1R	30 Commemoration of St Paul-3R <i>St Peter, Ap</i>				
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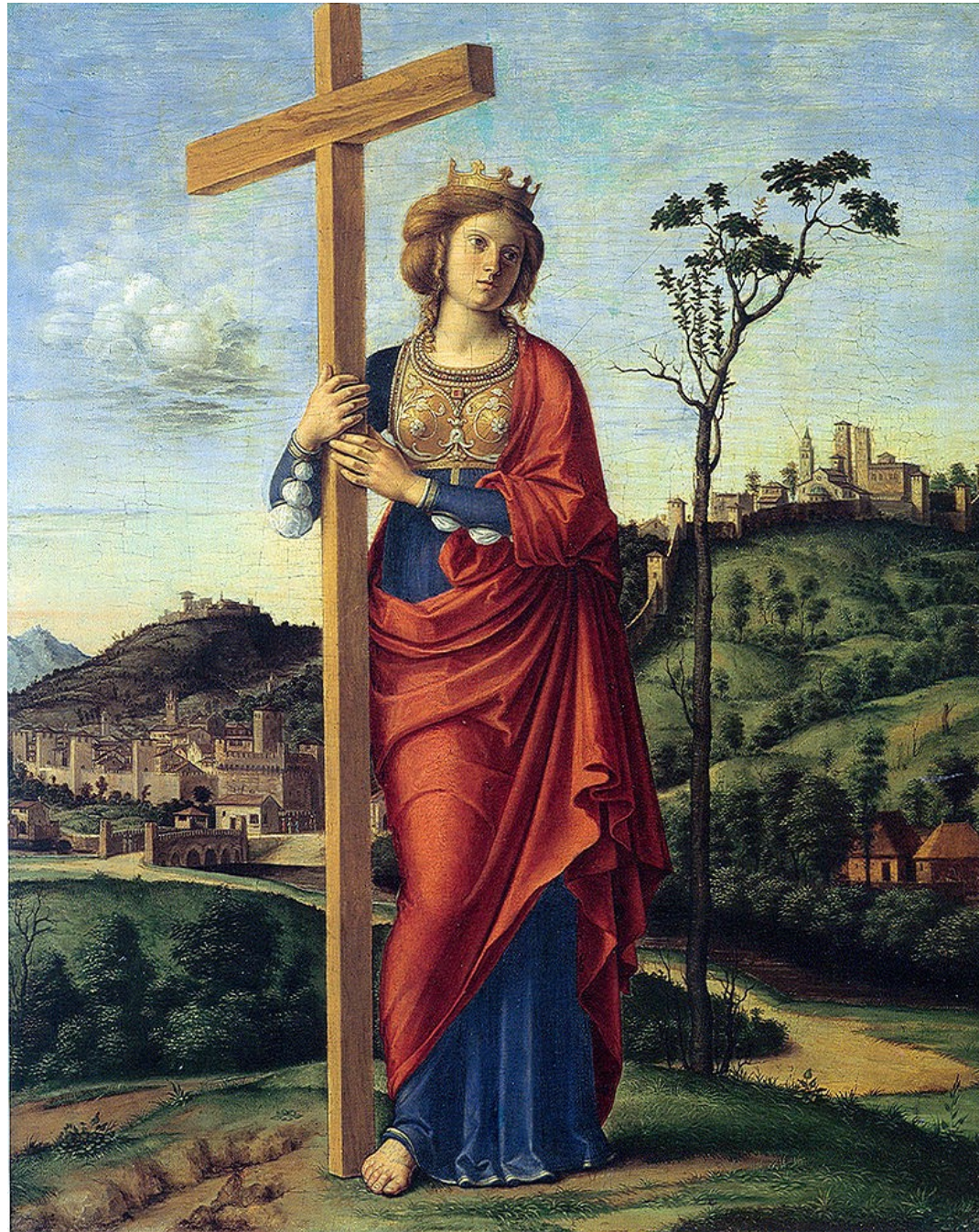
"Visitation",
from *Altarpiece of the
Virgin* (St Vaast Altarpiece)
by Jacques Daret, c. 1435

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			1 Most Precious Blood of Our Lord-1R	2 The Visitation-2W <i>Ss Processus and Martinian, Mm</i>	3 First Friday 	4 First Saturday Our Lady on Saturdays-4W																																																																																											
5 Sixth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	6 Feria-4G	7 Ss Cyril and Methodius, BbCc-3W	8 St Elizabeth, QW-3W	9 Feria-4G	10 The Seven Holy Brothers, Mm, and Ss Rufina and Secunda, VvMm-3R	11 St Oliver Plunket, BM (Aust)-3R; <i>St Pius I, PM</i>																																																																																											
12 Seventh Sunday after Pentecost-2G	13 Feria-4G	14 St Bonaventure, BCD-3W	15 St Henry, EmC-3W	16 Feria-4G <i>Our Lady of Mount Carmel</i>	17 Feria-4G <i>St Alexius, C</i>	18 St Camillus de Lellis, C-3W <i>St Symphorosa and her Sevens Sons, Mm</i>																																																																																											
19 WEEK 1 Eighth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	20 Pupil Free Day Staff Day St Jerome Emiliani, C-3W <i>St Margaret, VM</i>	21 FIRST DAY OF TERM 3 St Lawrence of Brindisi, CD-3W; <i>St Praxedes, V</i>	22 St Mary Magdalene, Pe-3W	23 St Apollinaris, BM-3R <i>St Liborius, BC</i>	24 Feria-4G <i>St Christina, VM</i>	25 St James the Greater, Ap-2R <i>St Christopher, M</i>																																																																																											
26 WEEK 2 Ninth Sunday after Pentecost-2G <i>St Anne, Mother of the BVM</i>	27 Feria-4G <i>St Pantaleon, M</i>	28 St Philomena Novena Begins (9 school days) Ss Nazarius & Celsus, Mm, St Victor I, PM, and St Innocent I, PC-3R	29 St Martha, V-3W <i>Ss Felix, Simplicius, Faustinus, Beatrice, Mm</i>	30 Feria-4G <i>St Abdon and Sennen, Mm</i>	31 St Ignatius of Loyola, C-3W																																																																																												
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						1 First Saturday Our Lady on Saturdays-4W <i>Holy Machabees Mm</i>
2 WEEK 3 Tenth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	3 Pupil Free Day Parent Teacher Interviews Feria-4G	4 St Dominic, C-3W	5 Dedication of the Church of St Mary of the Snows-3W	6 Transfiguration of Our Lord-2W; <i>Ss Sixtus, P, Felicissimus & Agapitus, Mm</i>	7 First Friday  St Cajetan, C-3W <i>St Donatus, BM</i>	8 St John Mary Vianney, C-3W <i>Ss Cyriacus, Largus, and Smaragdus, Mm</i>
9 WEEK 4 Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost-2G	10 Logan Show Day St Lawrence, M-2R	11 Whole School Mass St Philomena, VM (School)-1R; St Tiburtius, M & St Susanna, VM-3R	12 St Clare, V-3W	13 Feria-4G <i>Ss Hippolytus and Cassian, Mm</i>	14  Vigil of the Assumption-2V <i>St Eusebius, C</i>	15  The Assumption of the BVM-1W
16 WEEK 5 Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost-2G; <i>St Joachim, C (Father of Our Lady)</i>	17 St Hyacinth, C-3W	18 Feria-4G <i>St Agapitus, M; St Helen, EmpW</i>	19 St John Eudes, C-3W	20 St Bernard, AbD-3W	21  St Jane Frances de Chantal, W-3W	22 Immaculate Heart of Mary-2W <i>Ss Timohy, Hippolytus, and Symphorian, Mm</i>
23 WEEK 6 Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	24 Book Week St Bartholomew, Ap-2R	25 Book Week St Louis, KC-3W	26 Book Week Feria-4G <i>St Zephyrinus, PM</i>	27 Book Week St Joseph Calasancius, C-3W	28 Book Week  St Augustine, BCD-3W <i>St Hermes, M</i>	29 Beheading of St John the Baptist-3R; <i>St Sabina, WM</i>
30 WEEK 7 Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	31 St Raymond Nonnatus, C-3W	August 2026			July 2026 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	September 2026 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30



*Helena of Constantinople
(and the True Cross)
by Cima da Conegliano*

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WEEK 7		1 Feria-4G <i>St Giles, Ab; Twelve Holy Brothers, Mm</i>	2 St Stephen, C-3W	3 Whole School Mass St Pius X, PC-1W (SSPX)	4 First Friday 	5 First Saturday St Lawrence Justinian, BC-3W
6 WEEK 8 Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	7 Senior Secondary Exams Feria-4G	8 Senior Secondary Exams Nativity of the BVM-2W <i>St Hadrian, M</i>	9 Senior Secondary Exams Feria-4G <i>St Gorgonius</i>	10 Senior Secondary Exams St Nicholas of Tolentino, C-3W	11 Senior Secondary Exams 	12 Most Holy Name of Mary-3W
13 WEEK 9 Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	14 Senior Secondary Exams Exaltation of the Holy Cross-2R	15 Senior Secondary Exams The Seven Sorrows of the BVM-1W (SSPX)	16 Senior Secondary Exams St Cornelius, PM, & St Cyprian, BM-3R; <i>St Euphemia, VM, Ss Lucy & Geminianus, Mm</i>	17 Senior Secondary Exams Feria-4G <i>Stigmata of St Francis of Assisi, C</i>	18 Senior Secondary Exams  LAST DAY OF TERM 3	19 St Januarius, BM, & Comps, Mm-3R
20 Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	21 St Matthew, ApEv-2R	22 St Thomas of Villanova, BC-3W; <i>St Maurice & Comps, Mm</i>	23  Ember Wednesday-2V <i>St Linus, PM; St Thecla, VM</i>	24 Feria-4G <i>Our Lady of Ransom</i>	25  Ember Friday-2V	26  Ember Saturday-2V <i>Ss Cyprian and Justina, Mm</i>
27 Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	28 St Wenceslaus, M-3R	29 Dedication of St Michael the Archangel-1W	30 St Jerome, CD-3W			
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Christ Pantocrator
(*"Ruler over all"*) mosaic
from the Hagia Sophia
c 1261

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				1 Feria-4G <i>St Remigius, BC</i>	2 First Friday 	3 First Saturday St Therese of the Child Jesus, V (Aust.)-3W
4 Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost-2G WEEK 1	5 King's Birthday Feria-4G <i>St Placid and Comps, Mm</i>	6 FIRST DAY OF TERM 4 St Bruno, C-3W	7 The Most Holy Rosary-2W <i>St Mark I, PC</i>	8 St Bridget, W-3W <i>St Sergius and Comps, Mm</i>	9  St John Leonardi, C-3W <i>Ss Dionysius, Rusticus and Eleutherius, Mm</i>	10 St Francis Borgia, C-3W
11 Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost-2G <i>Maternity of the BVM</i> WEEK 2	12 Feria-4G	13 St Edward, KC-3W	14 Staff vs Student Volleyball St Callistus I, PM-3R	15 Year 12 Farewell St Teresa of Avila, V-3W	16  St Hedwig, W-3W	17 St Margaret Mary Alacoque, V- 3W
18 Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost-2G <i>St Luke, EvM</i> WEEK 3	19 Year 12 Study Week St Peter of Alcantara, C-3W	20 Year 12 Study Week St John Cantius, C-3W	21 Year 12 Study Week 4-12 Girls Swimming Carnival Feria-4G <i>St Hilarion, Ab; St Ursula & Comps, VvMm</i>	22 Year 12 Study Week 4-12 Boys Swimming Carnival Feria-4G	23 Year 12 Study Week  St Anthony Mary Claret, BC- 3W	24 St Raphael, Archangel-3W
25 CHRIST THE KING-1G WEEK 4	26 Year 12 External Exams Feria-4G <i>St Evaristus, PM</i>	27 Year 12 External Exams Feria-4G	28 Year 12 External Exams Ss Simon & Jude, ApsMm-2R	29 Year 12 External Exams Feria-4G	30 Year 12 External Exams  Feria-4G	31 Our Lady on Saturdays-4W
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The Forerunners of Christ with Saints and Martyrs
Painting by Fra Angelico (about 1423-24)

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1 WEEK 5 ALL SAINTS-1W	2 Year 12 External Exams Whole School Mass ALL SOULS-1B	3 Year 12 External Exams Feria-4G	4 Year 12 External Exams St Charles Borromeo, BC-3W <i>Ss Vitalis and Agricola, M</i>	5 Year 12 External Exams Feria-4G	6 Year 12 External Exams First Friday 	7 First Saturday Our Lady on Saturdays-4W
8 WEEK 6 Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	9 Year 12 External Exams Dedication of the Basilica of Our Saviour-2W <i>St Theodore, M</i>	10 Year 12 External Exams St Andrew Avellino, C-3W <i>Ss Tryphon & Respicius, Mm, and St Nympha, VM</i>	11 Year 12 External Exams Remembrance Day St Martin of Tours, BC-3W <i>St Mennas, M</i>	12 Year 12 External Exams St Martin I, PM-3R	13 Year 12 External Exams  Sports Awards St Didacus, C-3W	14 St Josaphat, BM-3R
15 WEEK 7 Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost-2G	16 Year 12 External Exams St Gertrude, V-3W	17 Year 12 External Exams St Gregory Thaumaturgis, BC-3W	18 Year 12 External Exams Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss Peter & Paul-3W	19 Year 7 -10 Exams Graduation Dinner St Elizabeth of Hungary, W-3W; <i>St Pontianus, PM</i>	20 Year 7 -10 Exams 	21 Presentation of the BVM-3W
22 WEEK 8 Last Sunday after Pentecost-2G	23 Year 7 -10 Exams St Clement I, PM-3R <i>St Felicitas, M</i>	24 Year 7 -10 Exams St John of the Cross, CD-3W <i>St John Chrysogonus, M</i>	25 Secondary Pastoral Excursion St Catherine of Alexandria, VM-3R	26 St Sylvester, Ab-3W <i>St Peter of Alexandria, BM</i>	27 LAST DAY OF TERM 4 Awards Night Whole School Mass 	28 Our Lady on Saturdays-4W
29 WEEK 9 First Sunday of Advent-1V	30 Pupil Free Day Staff Day St Andrew, ApM-2R					
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Adoration of the Shepherds by Gerard van Honthorst, 1622

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WEEK 9		1 Pupil Free Day Staff Day	2 Pupil Free Day Staff Day	3 Pupil Free Day Staff Lunch	4 First Friday ☿	5 First Saturday
		Advent FERIA-3V	St Bibiana, VM-3R <i>Advent FERIA</i>	St Francis Xavier, C (Aust.)- 3W; <i>Advent FERIA</i>	Dedication of St Stephen Cathedral (Brisbane)-1W	Advent FERIA-3V <i>St Sabbas, Ab</i>
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Second Sunday of Advent-1V	St Ambrose, BCD-3W <i>Advent FERIA</i>	The Immaculate Conception- 1W	Advent FERIA-3V	Advent FERIA-3V <i>St Melchiades, PM</i>	St Damasus I, PC-3W <i>Advent FERIA</i>	Advent FERIA-3V
13	14	15	16 ☿	17	18 ☿	19 ☿
Third Sunday of Advent (Gaudete Sunday)-1Rose	Advent FERIA-3V	Advent FERIA-3V	Ember Wednesday-2V <i>St Eusebius, BM</i>	Advent FERIA-2V	Ember Friday-2V	Ember Saturday-2V
20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas Day ✝	26 Boxing Day
Fourth Sunday of Advent-1V	St Thomas, Ap-2R <i>Advent FERIA</i>	Advent FERIA-2V	Advent FERIA-2V	VIGIL of the NATIVITY-1V	THE NATIVITY-1W	St Stephen, First Martyr-2R <i>Octave Day of Christmas</i>
27	28 Boxing Day Holiday	29	30	31		
Within the Octave of Christmas-2W <i>St John, ApE</i>	Holy Innocents, Mm-2R <i>Within the Octave of Christmas</i>	Within the Octave of Christmas-2W <i>St Thomas of Canterbury, BM</i>	Within the Octave of Christmas-2W	Within the Octave of Christmas-2W <i>St Silvester I, PC</i>		
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					1 New Year's Day First Friday ✠	2 First Saturday
					Octave Day of Christmas-1W (Circumcision of Our Lord)	Our Lady on Saturdays-4W
3 The Most Holy Name of Jesus-2W	4 Feria-4W	5 Feria-4W St Telesphorus, PM	6 The Epiphany-1W	7 Feria-4W	8 Feria-4W	9 Our Lady on Saturdays-4W
10 Feast of the Holy Family-2W	11 Feria-4W St Hyginus, PM	12 Feria-4W	13 Baptism of Our Lord-2W	14 St Hilary, BCD-3W St Felix, PrM	15 St Paul, First Hermit, C-3W St Maurus, Ab	16 St Marcellus I, PM-3R
17 Second Sunday after Epiphany-2G	18 Feria-4G St Prisca, VM	19 Feria-4G Ss Marius, Martha, Audifax, and Abachum, Mm; St Canute, KM	20 Ss Fabian, P, and Sebastian, Mm-3R	21 St Agnes, VM-3R	22 Ss Vincent and Anastasius, Mm-3R	23 St Raymond of Penafort, C-3W St Emerentiana, VM
24 Septuagesima Sunday-2V	25 Conversion of St Paul-3W St Peter, Ap	26 St Polycarp, BM-3R	27 St John Chrysostom, BCD-3W	28 St Peter Nolasco, C-3W St Agnes, VM	29 St Francis of Sales, BCD-3W	30 St Martina, VM-3R
31 Sexagesima Sunday-2V		January 2027			December 2026 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	February 2027 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

LEGEND

		Abbreviations				Symbols	Colour
[Day]–[Number][Letter]	[Saint's Name], [Abbreviations]	Ab Abbot	D Doctor	P Pope		 Obligatory Abstinence	 School day
• E.g. The Epiphany –1W	• E.g. St Hilary, BCD	Ap Apostle	E Evangelist	Pp Popes		 Traditional Abstinence	
• Number indicates the class of the liturgical Day	• The abbreviations are juxtaposed e.g. BCD	Aps Apostles	Em Emperor	Pe Penitent		 Obligatory Day of Fast	 Non-school day
1-first, 2-second, 3-third, 4-fourth	denotes Bishop, Confessor and Doctor of the Church	B Bishop	Emp Empress	Pr Priest		 Traditional Day of Fast	Public Holiday
• Letter denotes the liturgical colour	<i>Italicization</i> of names denote a commemoration	Bb Bishops	K King	St Saint		 Holy Day of Obligation	
B lack, R ed, V iolet, W hite, G reen		BVM Blessed Virgin Mary	Q Queen	Ss Saints		 Traditional Holy Day of Obligation	
		C Confessor	M Martyr	V Virgin			
		Cc Confessors	Mm Martyrs	Vv Virgins			
		Comps Companions		W Widow			

The Church's Present Days of Fast and Abstinence

Fast and Abstinence, under pain of mortal sin, must be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday

Abstinence forbids the eating of meat and meat products for everyone over the age of seven. Everyone aged between 21 and 59 years inclusive is bound to observe the laws of **Fast**. On the days of Fast only one full meal is allowed, supplemented by two small collations (which combined should not equal the full meal) as required to maintain strength and according to one's needs. The full meal may include meat except on days of Abstinence. Eating between meals is not permitted but liquids including milk and fruit juices are allowed. When health or ability to work would be seriously affected the law does not oblige.

Traditional Days of Fast and Abstinence

Abstinence alone on all Fridays of the year unless a Holy Day of Obligation falls on Friday.

Fast alone on all days in Lent, Ember Wednesday and Ember Saturday

Fasting and Abstinence on Ash Wednesday, all Fridays in Lent and Ember Fridays.

Fasting or penance during Advent is a more ancient tradition, but is highly recommended to prepare oneself for the anniversary of the birth of Our Lord and Redeemer.

The Church's Present Holy Days of Obligation

All Sundays in the year
The Ascension of Our Lord (solemnised the following Sunday)
The Assumption of Our Lady – 15 August
Christmas Day – 25 December

On these days, every Catholic is obliged, under pain of mortal sin, to hear Mass. Since Our Lord suffered death in order to institute Holy Mass, it requires a very serious inconvenience such as sickness or notable damage to one's health or property, to excuse one from this obligation.

Traditional Holy Days of Obligation

All Sundays in the year
The Circumcision of Our Lord – 1 January
The Ascension
The Assumption of Our Lady – 15 August
All Saints' – 1 November
Christmas Day – 25 December

