



Sample Reading Sets for Confirmations

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The follow are sample sets of readings that may be used as you plan your Confirmation Masses. These are not required but meant to assist in the planning for those who are not comfortable with the task of selecting readings. They follow the norms for selecting readings which are enumerated in the previous instructions given in this packet. These readings are found in Volume IV of the Lectionary which contains the Ritual, Votive, and Commons Lectionary texts. The designated numbers are given which correspond to each Lectionary.

CONFIRMATION MASS CELEBRATED ON A WEEKDAY IN ORDINARY TIME I:

First Reading	Isaiah 61:1-3abcd, 6ab, 8c-9	#764.3
Responsorial Psalm	Psalm 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 9-10a, 11-12	#766.3
Second Reading	1 Corinthians 12:4-13	#765.9
Gospel Acclamation Verse	“Come, Holy Spirit”	#767.6
Gospel	Luke 8:4-10a, 11b-15	#768.5

CONFIRMATION MASS CELEBRATED ON A WEEKDAY IN ORDINARY TIME II:

First Reading	Isaiah 11:1-4ab	#764.1
Responsorial Psalm	Psalm 104:1ab, 24, 27-28, 30-31, 33-34	#766.4
Second Reading	Galatians 5:16-17, 22-23a, 24-25	#765.10
Gospel Acclamation Verse	“Come, Holy Spirit”	#767.5
Gospel	Matthew 5:1-12a	#768.1

CONFIRMATION MASS CELEBRATED ON A WEEKDAY IN LENT I:

First Reading	Ezekiel 36:24-28	#764.4
Responsorial Psalm	Psalm 23:1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6	#766.2
Second Reading	Romans 5:1-2, 5-8	#765.6
Gospel Acclamation Verse	John 14:16	#767.1
Gospel	John 7:37b-39	#768.8

CONFIRMATION MASS CELEBRATED ON A WEEKDAY IN LENT II:

First Reading	Isaiah 42:1-3	#764.2
Responsorial Psalm	Psalm 145:2-3, 4-5, 8-9, 10-11, 15-16, 21	#766.6
Second Reading	Romans 8:26-27	#765.8
Gospel Acclamation Verse	John 15:26b, 27a	#767.2
Gospel	Matthew 16:24-27	#768.2

CONFIRMATION MASS CELEBRATED ON A WEEKDAY DURING EASTER TIME I:

First Reading	Acts 8:1bc, 4, 14-17	#765.3
Responsorial Psalm	John 15:26-27; Psalm 22:23-24ab, 26-28, 31-32 (<i>alternate</i>)	#766.1
Second Reading	Ephesians 4:1-6	#765.12
Gospel Acclamation Verse	John 15:26b, 27a	#767.2
Gospel	John 15:18-21, 26-27	#768.11

CONFIRMATION MASS CELEBRATED ON A WEEKDAY DURING EASTER TIME II:

First Reading	Acts 1:3-8	#765.1
Responsorial Psalm	Psalm 117:1bc, 2	#766.5
Second Reading	Romans 8:14-17	#765.7
Gospel Acclamation Verse	John 14:16	#767.1
Gospel	John 16:5-7, 12-13a	#768.12

CONFIRMATION MASS CELEBRATED ON A WEEKDAY DURING EASTER TIME III:

First Reading	Acts 10:1, 33-34a, 37-44	#765.4
Responsorial Psalm	Psalm 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 9-10a, 11-12	#766.3
Second Reading	Ephesians 1:3a, 4a, 13-19a	#765.11
Gospel Acclamation Verse	Revelation 1:5a, 6a	#767.4
Gospel	Mark 1:9-11	#768.4