

**Աստուածաշնչական Ճաշու Ընթերցուածներ – 2017**

**Ըստ Հայաստանեայց Առաքելական Եկեղեցւոյ Տօնացոյցին**

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**Daily Bible Readings for 2017**

**According to the Lectionary of the Armenian Apostolic Church**

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**January 2017**

**1.** **Third Day of the Fast of the Nativity**

Isaiah 51:15-52:3; Hebrews 13:18-25; Luke 22:24-30

2. Fourth Day of the Fast of the Nativity

 Hebrews 7:26-8:13; Luke 20:1-8

3. Fifth Day of the Fast of the Nativity

 Hebrews 10:1-18; Luke 20:9-18

4. Sixth Day of the Fast of the Nativity

 Hebrews 12:5-17; Luke 20:41-21:4

 **5. Christmas Eve**

 Divine Liturgy: Titus 2:11-15; Matthew 2:1-12; Dismissal: Luke 2:8-14

**6. Christmas and Epiphany**

 Titus 2:1-15; Matthew 1:18-25;

 **Blessing of Water:** 1 Corinthians 10:1-4; Matthew 3:1-17

7. Second Day of Nativity

 Acts 6:8-8:2; John 12:24-26

**8. Third Day of Nativity**

 Hebrews 1:1-12; Matthew 2:13-23

9. Fourth Day of Nativity
Galatians 4:1-7; Luke 1:26-38

10. Hebrews 12:18-27; Luke 1:39-56

11. 1 Thessalonians 4:12-17; John 11:1-46

12. Romans 1:1-7; Luke 2:1-7

**13. Eighth Day of Nativity**—**Naming of our Lord Jesus Christ**

 Colossians 2:8-15; Luke 2:21

14. Birth of St. John the Forerunner

 Proverbs 8:4-11; Malachi 4:5-7; Isaiah 40:3-5; Acts 13:25-33; Luke 1:57-80

**15. First Sunday after Nativity**

 Isaiah 54:1-14; 1 Timothy 1:1-11; John 2:1-11

16. Sts. Peter the Patriarch, Bishop Blaise and Deacon Absolom

 Wisdom 5:1-8; Baruch 3:31-4:4; Romans 8:28-39; John 10:11-16

17. St. Anthony the Hermit

 Proverbs 21:16-24; Jeremiah 19:19-21; Hebrews 11:32-40; Matthew 10:37-42

18. 1 Timothy 2:8-3:13; John 2:12-22

19. Theodosius the great emperor and the Holy Children of Ephesus

 Wisdom 6:2-10; Jeremiah 45:1-2; 1 Timothy 2:1-7; Luke 7:1-10

20. 1 Timothy 4:1-12; John 2:23-3:12

21. Sts. Athanasius and Cyril the Church Fathers

 Proverbs 11:2-11; Isaiah 61:3-7; Hebrews 13:7-9; John 16:33-17:8

**22. Second Sunday after Nativity**

 Isaiah 58:13-59:7; John 3:13-21

23. Giragos and his mother Julita

 Proverbs 14:1-6; Zechariah 8:4-5; Isaiah 60:8-9; Hebrews 2:14-18; Luke 9:44-48

24. St. Vahan of Koghtan

 Proverbs 7:1-7; Ezekiel 12:17-19; Romans 8:12-27; Luke 9:23-27

25. 1 Timothy 5:17-6:5; John 3:22-36

26. St. Macarius

 Zephaniah 3:19-20; 2 Corinthians 10:3-6; Matthew 10:23-33

27. 2 Timothy 2:3-14; John 5:31-47

28. St. Gregory the Theologian

 Proverbs 8:33-36; Hosea 10:12; Amos 5:10-14; Acts 20:25-32; John 10:11-16

**29. Third Sunday after Nativity**

 Isaiah 62:1-11; 2 Timothy 2:15-19; John 6:39-47

30. The Hoy Maccabees, Eleazar the priest, shamooneh and her seven sons

 Proverbs 29:2-7; 2 Maccabees 6:18-7:42; Hebrews 11:32-40; Matthew 5:17-20

31. The Twelve Holy Prophets

Hosea 10:11-12; Amos 5:10-14; Micah 7:7-9; Joel 2:12-13; Obadiah 1:20-21; Jonah 4:2; Nahum 1:7-9; Habakkuk 1:2-3; Zephaniah 1:7-8; Haggai 2:6-9; Zechariah 7:9-13; Malachi 1:4-6; Romans 11:2-5; Luke 13:31-35

**February 2017**

1. 2 Timothy 2:20-26; John 6:48-55

2. St. Sophia and her three daughters Pistis, Elpis, Agape

 Proverbs 11:30-12:4; Hosea 14:6-9; 2 Corinthians 4:6-14; Luke 12:2-10

3. 2 Timothy 3:1-7; John 6:64-72

4. Sons and grandsons of St. Gregory the Illuminator: Sts. Arisdages, Vrtanes, Hoosig, Krikoris, and Taniel

 Jeremiah 17:7-8; Isaiah 61:3-7; 2 Timothy 1:6-14; Luke 11:29-32

**5. Fourth Sunday after Nativity** (Eve of the Fast of the Catechumens)

Isaiah 61:10-62:9; 2 Timothy 2:15-26; John 6:15-21

6. No Readings

7. No Readings

8. No Readings

9. No Readings

10. Jonah 1:1-4:11

11. St. Sarkis

 Proverbs 3:13-17; Isaiah 41:1-3; Ephesians 6:10-17; Luke 21:10-19

**12. Fifth Sunday after Nativity**

Isaiah 63:7-18; 2 Timothy 3:1-12; John 6:22-38

13. Sts. Adom and Generals and Sts. Sookias and Martyrs

 Wisdom 6:12-21; Isaiah 18:7-19:7; 2 Corinthians 4:10-5:5; John16:1-5

**14. Presentation of the Lord**

 Evening (February 13): Leviticus 12:6-8; Proverbs 8:22-24; Ezekiel 44:1-2; Malachi 3:1-4;
 Galatians 3: 24-29; Luke 2:22-40. Morning: same lections as above.

 Isaiah 24:21-25:8; Acts 7:47-50; Galatians 4:1-7; Luke 2:41-52

15. 2 Timothy 3:16-4:8; John 7:1-13

16. Sts. Voski and Priests

 Proverbs 24:1-12; Jeremiah 30:18-22; 2 Timothy 3:10-12; Matthew 5:1-12

17. 2 Timothy 4:8-22; John 7:14-23

18. St. Sahag Bartev

 Wisdom 7:12-18; Isaiah 61:3-7; Hebrews 13:17-21; John 10:11-16

**19. Sixth Sunday after Nativity**

Isaiah 63:18-64:12; Titus 1:1-11; John 7:37-52

20. Zechariah 8:1-3; Romans 8:28-39; John 15:17-21

21. Sts. Ghevond and Priests

 Wisdom 5:16-23; Isaiah 35:1-2; Isaiah 61:6-7; 1 Peter 1:3-9; Luke 12:4-10

22. Titus 1:12-2:10; John 8:12-20

23. Sts. Vartanank

 Wisdom 3:1-8; Isaiah 49:8-9; Hebrews 12:1-7; Luke 6:20-26

24. Titus 3:1-15; John 8:21-30

25. The 150 Holy Fathers of the Holy Council of Constantinople (381 A.D.)

 Ezekiel 3:16-19; 2 Corinthians 6:1-14; Matthew 12:22-32

**26. *Poon Paregentan* (Eve of Great Lent)**

Isaiah 58:1-14; Romans 13:11-14:23; Matthew 6:1-21

27. First day of Lent

 Isaiah 1:16-20

28. Ezekiel 18:20-23

**March 2017**

 1. Exodus 1:1-2:10; Joel 1:14-20

2. Romans 6:3-14

3. Deuteronomy 6:4-7:10; Job 6:13-7:13; Isaiah 40:1-8

4. St. Theodore the Warrior

Wisdom 8:19-9:5; Isaiah 62:6-9; Romans 8:28-39; Matthew 10:16-22

**5. Second Sunday of Great Lent – Expulsion**

 Isaiah 33:2-22; Romans 12:1-13:10; Matthew 5:17-48

6. 1 Samuel 1:1-23; Proverbs 1:1-33; Jeremiah 1:1-10

7. 1 Samuel 1:23-2:26; Proverbs 2:1-3:10; Jeremiah 1:11-2:3

8. Exodus 2:11-22; Joel 2:1-11; Micah 3:1-7

9. 1 Samuel 3:21-4:18; Proverbs 3:11-4:14; Jeremiah 2:31-3:16

10. Deuteronomy 7:11-8:1; Job 9:1-10:2; Isaiah 40:9-17

11. St. Cyril of Jerusalem

Proverbs 11:2-11; Isaiah 61:3-7; 2 Timothy 4:1-8; John 10:11-16

**12. Third Sunday of Great Lent – The Prodigal Son**

 Isaiah 54:11-55:13; 2 Corinthians 6:1-7:1; Luke 15:1-32

13. Colossians 2:8-3:4

14. Hebrews 11:1-31

15. Exodus 2:23-3:15; Joel 2:21-32

16. Isaiah 45:17-26; Ephesians 3:14-4:13

17. Deuteronomy 8:11-9:10; Job 12:1-13:6; Isaiah 42:1-8

18. Sts. John of Jerusalem, and our Holy Fathers John of *Otsoon* (*Hovnan Otsnetsi*), John of *Vorodan* (*Hovnan Vorodnetsi*), and Gregory of *Datev* (*Krikor Datevatsi*)

Proverbs 20:6-22; Jeremiah 4:21-24; 2 Corinthians 4:1-11; John 9:39-10:10

**19. Fourth Sunday of Great Lent – The Steward**

 Isaiah 56:1-57:21; Ephesians 4:17-5:14; Luke 16:1-31

20. Jeremiah 32:19-44

21. Job 38:1-39:30

22. Median Day of Great Lent

 Exodus 3:16-22; Joel 3:1-8

23. 1 Corinthians 8:5-9:23

24. Deuteronomy 9:11-23; Job 16:1-17:16; Isaiah 43:22-44:8

25. Forty Martyrs of Sebastia (Karasoon Manoog)

Wisdom 3:1-8; Nahum 2:1-4; Isaiah 43:1-3; Ephesians 6:10-18; Matthew 13:43-52

**26.** **Fifth Sunday of Great Lent – The Judge**

 Isaiah 65:8-25; Philippians 3:1-4:9; Luke 17:20-18:14

27. Hebrews 1:1-14

28. Isaiah 8:5-10

29. Exodus 4:1-21; Joel 3:9-21

30. Isaiah 53:1-54:5; 1 Corinthians 15:1-28

31. Deuteronomy 10:1-15; Job 19:1-29; Isaiah 45:1-13

**April 2017**

1. St. Gregory the Illuminator—His Passion and Descent into the Pit

Wisdom 1:15-2:22; Micah 7:7-10; Philippians 1:12-21; Matthew 16:24-28

**2. Sixth Sunday of Great Lent – Advent**

 Isaiah 66:1-24; Colossians 2:8-3:17; Matthew 22:34-23:39

3. Daniel 7:2-27; 1 Corinthians 12:1-7

4. Corinthians 12:8-27

5. Exodus 4:21-5:3; Zechariah 9:9-16

6. Ezekiel 37:1-14; 1 Timothy 3:14-16

7. **Annunciation of the Holy Mother of God**

Deuteronomy 11:10-25; Job 21:1-34; Isaiah 46:3-47:4

Readings for Annunciation: Song of Songs 1:1-11; Proverbs 11:30-12:4; Isaiah 52:7-10; Zechariah 2:10-13; Malachi 3:1-2; 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1; Luke 1:26-38

8. **Remembrance of Christ’s Raising Lazarus**

 Proverbs 14:27-35; 1 Thessalonians 4:12-17; John 11:55-12:11

**9. Palm Sunday—Christ’s Triumphal Entry Into Jerusalem**

 Song of Songs 1:1-2:3; Zechariah 9:9-15; Philippians 4:4-7; Matthew 20:29-21:17

10. **Great Monday**

 Morning: Matthew 21:18-22:14

 Evening: Genesis 1:1-3:24; Proverbs 1:1-9; Isaiah 40:1-8; Matthew 20:17-28

11. **Great Tuesday**

 Morning: Mark 12:13-44

 Evening: Genesis 6:9-9:17; Proverbs 9:1-10:6; Isaiah 40:9-17; Matthew 24:1-26:2

12. **Great Wednesday** Morning: Mark 14:1-11

 Evening: Genesis 18:1-19:30; Proverbs 1:10-19; Zechariah 11:11-14; Matthew 26:3-16

13. **Great Thursday**

 Morning: John 12:27-43

**Office of Penitents:** Isaiah 60:20-22; Ezekiel 36:24-31; Hebrews 10:19-31; Luke 7:36-50

 **Holy Eucharist:** Genesis 22:1-18; Isaiah 61:1-7; Acts 1:15-26; Mark 14:1-26;

 1 Corinthians 11:23-32; Matthew 26:17-30

**Washing of the Feet:** Exodus 30:17-21; 1 Kings 7:38-40; 2 Chronicles 4:2-6; Isaiah 44:2-6;

1 Corinthians 10:1-4; 1 John 4:7-21; John 13:1-11; John 13:12-15

14. **Great Friday**

**Passion:** John 13:16-18:1; Luke 22:1-65; Mark 14:27-72; Matthew 26:31-56; Matthew 26:47-75; John 18:2-27; John 18:28-19:16

**Crucifixion:** Zechariah 11:11-14; Galatians 6:14-18; Isaiah 3:9-15; Philippians 2:5-11; Isaiah 50:4-9; Romans 5:6-11; Amos 8:9-12; 1 Corinthians 1:18-31; Isaiah 52:13-53:12; Hebrews 2:11-18; Matthew 27:1-56; Isaiah 63:1-6; Hebrews 9:11-28; Mark 15:1-41; Jeremiah 11:18-12:8; Hebrews 10:19-31; Luke 22:66-23:49; Zechariah 14:5-11; 1 Timothy 6:13-16; John 19:17-37

**Burial:** Jeremiah 11:18-12:8; Isaiah 52:13-53:12; Wisdom 2:1-22; Zechariah 12:8-14;
1 Peter 3:17-20; Matthew 27:57-61

15. **Great Saturday - Easter Eve**

 Morning: Matthew 27:62-66

 Easter Eve: Genesis 1:1-3:24; Genesis 22:1-18; Exodus12:1-24; Jonah 1:1-4:11;

 Exodus 13:24-15:21; Isaiah 60:1-13; Job 38:1-28; Joshua 1:1-9; 2 Kings 2:1-22;

 Jeremiah 31:31-34; Ezekiel 37:1-14; Daniel 3:1-90; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11;

 Matthew 28:1-20

**16.** **Easter**

Acts 1:15-26; Mark 16:2-8

Evening Readings: Acts 1:1-8; Luke 24:13-36; John 20:1-18; John 5:24-30; John 19:31-37; John 20:19-25

17. Acts 2:22-41; Luke 24:1-12

 Evening Gospels: Mark 16:2-8; Luke 24:1-12

18. Acts 2:42-3:21; Luke 24:13-35

 Evening Gospels: Luke 24:1-12; Luke 24:13-35

19. Acts 3:22-4:12; James 1:1-12; Luke 24:36-40

 Evening Gospels: Luke 24:13-35; Luke 24:36-40

20. Acts 4:13-31; James 1:13-27; Matthew 5:1-12

 Evening Gospels: Luke 24:36-40; Matthew 5:1-12

21. Acts 4:32-5:11; James 2:1-13; John 21:1-14

 Evening Gospels: Matthew 5:1-12; John 21:1-14

22. Beheading of St. John the Baptist

Proverbs 8:4-11; Isaiah 40:3-8; Malachi 4:4-6; Acts 13:26-33; Mark 6:14-29 Acts 5:12-33; James 2:14-26;

 Evening Gospels: John 21:1-14; John 21:15-25

**23. New Sunday**

Luke 4:14-30; Acts 5:31-6:7; James 3:1-12; John 1:1-17;

Evening Gospels: John 21:15-25; Matthew 27:50-61; John 20:26-31

24. **Commemoration of the Holy Martyrs of 1915**

 [[1]](#footnote-1)\*1) Luke 4:31-41; 2) Acts 6:8-7:29; James 3:13-4:6; John 1:18-28; 3) Matthew 4:12-25;

 4) Mark 1:14-20

25. 1) Luke 4:42-5:11; 2) Acts 7:30-8:2; James 4:7-17; John 1:29-34; 3) Matthew 5:1-16;

 4) Mark 1:21-34

26. 1) Luke 5:12-16; 2) Acts 8:3-13; James 5:1-11; John 1:35-42; 3) Matthew 5:17-48

 4) Mark 1:35-45

27. 1) Luke 5:17-26; 2) Acts 8:14-25; James 5:12-20; John 1:43-51; 3) Matthew 6:1-21;
 4) Mark 2:1-12

28. 1) Luke 5:27-39; 2) Acts 8:26-40; 1 Peter 1:1-12; John 2:1-11; 3) Matthew 6:22-34;
4) Mark 2:13-22

29. 1) Luke 6:1-11; 2) Acts 9:1-22; 1 Peter 1:13-25; John 2:12-22; 3) Matthew 7:1-8:17;

 4) Mark 2:23-3:5

**30. Green Sunday**

 1) Luke 6:12-45; 2) Acts 9:23-31; 1 Peter 2:1-10; John 2:23-3:12; 3) Matthew 8:18-9:8

 4) Mark 3:6-12

**May 2017**

1. 1) Luke 7:1-10; 2) Acts 9:32-43; 1 Peter 2:11-17; John 3:13-21; 3) Matthew 9:9-17;

 4) Mark 3:13-19

2. 1) Luke 7:11-35; 2) Acts 10:1-23; 1 Peter 2:18-25; John 3:22-36; 3) Matthew 9:18-26;

 4) Mark 3:20-30

3. 1) Luke 7:36-50; 2) Acts 10:24-48; 1 Peter 3:1-9; John 4:1-23; 3) Matthew 9:27-34;

 4) Mark 3:31-35

4. 1) Luke 8:1-21; 2) Acts 11:1-26; 1 Peter 3:10-22; John 4:24-42; 3) Matthew 9:35-10:15;

 4) Mark 4:1-9

5. 1) Luke 8:22-56; 2) Acts 11:27-12:24; 1 Peter 4:1-11; John 4:43-54; 3) Matthew 10:16-42;

 4) Mark 4:10-20

6. 1) Luke 9:1-17; 2) Acts 12:25-13:15; 1 Peter 4:12-19; John 5:1-18; 3) Matthew 11:1-24;

 4) Mark 4:21-25

**7. Red Sunday**

1) Luke 9:18-36; 2) Acts 13:16-43; 1 Peter 5:1-14; John 5:19-30; 3) Matthew 11:25-30;
4) Mark 4:26-24

8. 1) Luke 9:37-50; 2) Acts 13:44-14:6; 2 Peter 1:1-11; John 5:31-47; 3) Matthew 12:1-21;

 4) Mark 4:35-5:20

9. 1) Luke 9:51-62; 2) Acts 14:7-17; 2 Peter 1:12-19; John 6:1-14; 3) Matthew 12:22-37;

 4) Mark 5:21-34

10. 1) Luke 10:1-24; 2) Acts 14:18-27; 2 Peter 1:20-2:8; John 6:15-21; 3) Matthew 12:38-50;

 4) Mark 5:35-43

11. 1) Luke 10:25-42; 2) Acts 15:1-29; 2 Peter 2:9-22; John 6:22-38; 3) Matthew 13:1-23;

 4) Mark 6:1-6

12. 1) Luke 11:1-13; 2) Acts 15:30-16:5; 2 Peter 3:1-9; John 6:39-72; 3) Matthew 13:24-35;

 4) Mark 6:7-13

13. 1) Luke 11:14-32; 2) Acts 16:6-40; 2 Peter 3:10-18; John 7:1-13; 3) Matthew 13:36-52;

 4) Mark 6:14-29

14. **Apparition of the Holy Cross**

 Readings for the Apparition of the Holy Cross (morning): Galatians 6:14-18; Matthew 24:30-36

1. Luke 11:33-12:12; 2) Acts 17:1-15; 1 John 1:1-10; John 7:14-23; 3) Matthew 13:53-58;

John 19:25-30; 4) Mark 6:30-44

15. 1) Luke 12:13-31; 2) Acts 17:16-34; 1 John 2:1-6; John 7:24-36; 3) Matthew 14:1-12;

 4) Mark 6:45-56

16. 1) Luke 12:32-48; 2) Acts 18:1-11; 1 John 2:7-17; John 7:37-8:11; 3) Matthew 14:13-21;

 4) Mark 7:1-16

17. 1) Luke 12:49-13:9; 2) Acts 18:12-28; 1 John 2:18-23; John 8:12-20; 3) Matthew 14:22-36;

 4) Mark 7:17-30

18. 1) Luke 13:10-21; 2) Acts 19:1-20; 1 John 2:24-25; John 8:21-30; 3) Matthew 15:1-20;

 4) Mark 7:31-37

19. 1) Luke 13:22-35; 2) Acts 19:21-40; 1 John 2:26-28; John 8:31-59; 3) Matthew 15:21-28;

 4) Mark 8:1-9

20. 1) Luke 14:1-24; 2) Acts 9:1-16; 1 John 2:28-3:1; John 9:1-38; 3) Matthew 15:29-16:12;

 4) Mark 8:10-26

**21. Sixth Sunday of Easter**

1) Luke 14:25-15:32; 2) Acts 20:17-38; 1 John 3:2-6; John 9:39-10:10; 3) Matthew 16:13-17:134) Mark 8:27-9:13

22. 1) Luke 16:1-31; 2) Acts 21:1-14; 1 John 3:7-10; John 10:11-21; 3) Matthew 17:14-20;

 4) Mark 9:14-28

23. 1) Luke 17:1-19; 2) Acts 21:15-26; 1 John 3:10-20; John 10:22-42; 3) Matthew 17:21-18:9;

 4) Mark 9:29-49

24. 1) Luke 17:20-37; 2) Acts 21:27-36; 1 John 3:21-4:6; John 11:1-46; 3) Matthew 18:10-35;

 4) Mark 10:1-12

25. **Ascension of our Lord Jesus Christ**

 1) Luke 18:1-14; 2) Acts 1:1-14; Matthew 28:16-20; 3) Matthew 19:1-15; 4) Mark 10:13-27

26. 1) Luke 18:15-34; 2) Acts 21:37-22:29; 1 John 4:7-21; John 11:47-54; 3) Matthew 19:16-20:16; 4) Mark 10:28-32

27. 1) Luke 18:35-19:28; 2) Acts 22:30-23:11; 1 John 5:1-12; John 11:55-12:11;

 3) Matthew 20:17-28; 4) Mark 10:33-45

**2 8**. **Second Palm Sunday**

 1) Luke 19:29-48; 2) Acts 23:12-35; 1 John 5:13-21; John 12:12-23; 3) Matthew 20:29-21:17;

 4) Mark 15:20-37

29. 1) Luke 20:1-8; 2) Acts 24:1-26; 2 John 1:1-13; John 12:24-26; 3) Matthew 21:18-32;

 4) Mark 11:12-26

30. 1) Luke 20:9-19; 2) Acts 24:27-25:12; 3 John 1:1-15; John 12:27-43; 3) Matthew 21:33-46;

 4) Mark 11:27-22:17

31. 1) Luke 20:20-26; 2) Acts 25:13-22; Jude 1:1-7; John 12:44-50; 3) Matthew 22:1-14;

 4) Mark 12:18-34

**June 2017**

1. 1) Luke 20:27-21:4; 2) Acts 25:23-26:32; Jude 1:8-15; John 13:1-15; 3) Matthew 22:15-46;

 4) Mark 12:35-44

2. 1) Luke 21:5-38; 2) Acts 27:1-28:16; Jude 1:16; John 13:16-30; 3) Matthew 23:1-39;

 4) Mark 13:1-37

3. 1) Luke 22:1-30; 2) Acts 28:17-32; Jude 1:17-25; John 13:31-14:13; 3) Matthew 24:1-26:2;

 4) Mark 14:1-26

**4. Pentecost (**Eve of the Fast of Elijah)

Acts 2:1-21; John 14:25-31

5. Romans 1:1-17; Matthew 7:28-8:4

6. Romans 1:18-25; Matthew 8:5-13

7. Romans 2:2-11; Matthew 8:18-27

8. Romans 2:12-24; Matthew 8:28-34

9. Romans 2:25-3:9; Matthew 9:1-8

10. Jeremiah 1:1-10; 38:1-13; 2 Peter 2:9-22; Matthew 2:16-18

**11.** **First Sunday after Pentecost** (Beginning of Sundays of Resurrection)

 1 Kings 18:29-46; 2 Kings 2:1-15; James 5:16-20; Luke 4:25-30

12. Sts. Hripsimiank

 Proverbs 31:29-31; Isaiah 61:10-62:3; Romans 15:30-16:2; Matthew 10:26-33

13. Sts. Kayaniank

 Proverbs 1:20-23; Baruch 4:36-5:4; 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1; John 16:1-5

14. Romans 3:19-31; Matthew 9:9-15

15. St. John the Baptist

 Proverbs 15:21-26; Isaiah 22:20-25; 1 Peter 5:1-7; Matthew 11:2-14

16. Romans 4:1-12; Matthew 9:27-34

17. St. Gregory the Illuminator—Deliverance from the pit

 Wisdom 5:1-8; Isaiah 60:20-61:7; Hebrews 13:17-21; Matthew 19:27-29

**18. Second Sunday after Pentecost**—**Feast of Holy Echmiadzin**

 Proverbs 9:1-6; Zechariah 3:7-4:9; Hebrews 9:1-10; John 10:22-30

19. The Holy Children of Bethlehem

 Proverbs 29:2-7; Isaiah 18:7; Hebrews 2:14-18; Matthew 2:16-18

20. Sts. Nooneh and Maneh the Virgins

 Song of Songs 8:14-24; Isaiah 27:11-13; 1 Peter 5:8-11; John 12:24-26

21. Romans 4:13-22; Matthew 10:34-42

22. Sts. Sahag and Hovsep the Princes and Sts. Sarkis and Pacchus the Martyrs

 Proverbs 6:1-5; Isaiah 33:5-8; Romans 8:18-27; Luke 21:12-19

23. Romans 5:12-21; Matthew 11:25-30

24. St. Nerses the Great and Bishop Khat

 Wisdom 2:23-3:8; Isaiah 57:15-16; Hebrews 13:7-9; Matthew 10:16-22

**25. Third Sunday after Pentecost (**Eve of the Fast of our Holy Father St. Gregory the Illuminator)

Isaiah 1:2-15; Romans 6:12-23; Matthew 12:1-8

26. St. Epiphanius of Cyprus and St. Babylas

 Wisdom 8:7-10; Nahum 1:7-9; 1 Corinthians 12:4-11; Mark 6:45-52

27. Sts. King Constantine the emperor and his mother Helena

 Proverbs 16:9-17; Baruch 3:31-4:4; 1 Timothy 2:1-7; Luke 7:1-10

28. Romans 7:1-11; Matthew 12:9-15

29. Wisdom 6:11-21; 2 Corinthians 6:1-10; John 16:1-5

30. Romans 7:12-25; Matthew 12:15-21

**July 2017**

1. Discovery of the relics of St. Gregory the Illuminator

 Wisdom 4:7-15; Micah 7:7-10; Acts 20:22-32; John 10:11-16

**2. Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**

Isaiah 1:21-31; Romans 7:25-8:11; Matthew 12:38-45

3. Wisdom 3:1-8; Isaiah 48:16-17; 2 Timothy 3:10-15; John 15:11-16

4. Sts. Daniel the prophet and the three young men—Shadrach (Setrak), Meshach (Misak) and Abednego (Apetnakov)

 Daniel 2:1-49; Hebrews 11:32-40; Matthew 24:9-15

5. Romans 9:1-16; Matthew 13:1-8

6. Our Holy Translators Sts. Sahag and Mesrob

 Wisdom 8:7-10; Isaiah 61:6-9; 1 Corinthians 12:4-11; Luke 12:32-40

7. Romans 9:17-27; Matthew 13:16-23

8. Sts. King Tiridates (Drtad), Queen Ashkhen, and Khosrovidookht

 Wisdom 6:2-10; Isaiah 45:1-2; 1 Timothy 2:1-7; Luke 11:14-23

**9. Fifth Sunday after Pentecost—Feast of the Discovery of the Box of the Theotokos**

Isaiah 2:5-11; Romans 9:30-10:4; Matthew 13:24-30

10. Proverbs 1:1-9; Isaiah 41:1-3; Hebrews 12:1-7; Mark 13:9-13

11. Prophet Zechariah

 Zechariah 3:7-4:9; 1 Corinthians 12:28-13:3; Matthew 23:34-39

12. Romans 10:5-17; Matthew 13:31-42

13. Prophet Elisha

 2 Kings 13:14-21; 1 Corinthians 2:6-10; Luke 4:25-30

14. Romans 11:1-12; Matthew 14:43-52

15. The 12 Holy Apostles of Christ and St. Paul the 13th Apostle

 Wisdom 9:9-10:2; Exodus 15:23-27; 1 Thessalonians 2:9-16; Matthew 9:36-10:7

**16. Sixth Sunday after Pentecost (**Eve of the Fast of Transfiguration)

Isaiah 3:1-11; Romans 11:13-24; Matthew 14:13-21

17. Romans 11:25-36; Matthew 14:22-36

18. Romans 15:1-13; Matthew 15:1-20

19. Romans 15:14-29; Matthew 15:21-28

20. Romans 15:30-16:16; Matthew 15:29-38

21. Romans 16:17-27; Matthew 15:39-16:12

22. Commemoration of the Old Ark [of the covenant] and the Feast of the New One—the Holy Church

 Exodus 25:10-14; Joshua 3:14-4:18; 1 Samuel 6:18-7:2; 2 Samuel 6:12-19; Hebrews 9:1-10; Matthew 5:17-20

**23. Transfiguration (Vartavar)**

Wisdom 7:25-8:4; Zechariah 14:16-21; 1 John 1:1-7; Matthew 16:13-17:13

24. Exodus 19:9-13; 2 Kings 2:9-12; 1 John 5:9-12; John 1:1-17

25. Exodus 19:16-20; 1 Kings 19:11-16; Hebrews 12:18-27; Luke 9:27-36

26. 1 Corinthians 1:1-8; Matthew 17:21-18:4

27. Prophet Isaiah

 Isaiah 6:1-10; Hebrews 11:32-40; Luke 4:14-23

28. 1 Corinthians 1:10-18; Matthew 18:2-9

29. The Holy Apostle Thaddeus (Jude) and St. Santookht the virgin

 Wisdom 1:1-7; Jeremiah 16:16-21; 1 Corinthians 12:28-13:10; Luke 9:1-6

**30**. **Second Sunday of Transfiguration**

 Isaiah 3:16-4:1; 1 Corinthians 1:25-30; Matthew 18:10-14

31. St. Cyprian (Gibryanos) and the Forty-Five Holy Martyrs

 Isaiah 46:12-13; Galatians 3:13-22; Luke 15:1-10

**August 2017**

1. Proverbs 8:1-4; Malachi 2:5-7; 1 Peter 5:1-7; John 16:33-17:8

2. 1 Corinthians 2:12-3:10; Matthew 18:15-22

3. The Holy Forefathers: Adam, Abel, Seth, Enosh, Enoch, Noah, Melchizedek, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Joseph, Moses, Aaron, Eleazar, Joshua, Samuel, Samson, Jephthah, Barak, Gidon, and others

 Genesis 4:1-50:26 (selections); Numbers 20:23-30; Deuteronomy 34:5-12; Joshua 24:29-33;

 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13; Hebrews 11:1-31; Luke 20:34-40

4. 1 Corinthians 5:9-6:10; Matthew 18:23-35

5. The 200 Fathers of the Holy Council of Ephesus (431 A.D.)

 Ezekiel 3:16-19; 2 Timothy 1:6-14; Luke 10:16-20

**6. Third Sunday of Transfiguration** (Eve of the Fast of the Assumption)

 Isaiah 7:1-9; 1 Corinthians 13:11-14:5; Mark 2:1-12

7. 1 Corinthians 13:18-25; Mark 2:13-20

8. 1 Corinthians 14:26-40; Mark 2:23-3:5

9. 1 Corinthians 15:20-33; Matthew 3:6-12

10. 1 Corinthians 15:34-49; Mark 3:20-30

11. 1 Corinthians 15:50-57; Mark 3:31-4:8

12. Feast of Etchmiadzin

 Proverbs 3:19-26; Ezekiel 40:3-10; 1 Peter 2:1-10; Matthew 16:13-19

**13. Feast of the Assumption of the Holy Mother of God**

Song of Song 4:9-15; 8:14; Isaiah 7:10-16; Galatians 3:29-4:7; Luke 2:1-7

 Lections for blessing of grapes: Proverbs 3: 9-10; Isaiah 65: 8-10; Hebrews 6:16-7:7; John 15:1-8

14. Proverbs 11:30-12:4; Zechariah 2:10-13; 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1; Luke 1:39-56

15. Song of Songs 6:3-8; Malachi 3:1-2; Galatians 3:24-29; Luke 2:1-7

16. Song of Songs 4:9-15; 8:14; Isaiah 7:10-16; Galatians 3:29-4:7; Luke 2:1-7

17. Proverbs 11:30-12:4; Zechariah 2:10-13; 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1; Luke 1:39-56

18. Song of Songs 6:3-8; Malachi 3:1-2; Galatians 3:24-29; Luke 2:1-7

19. Song of Songs 4:9-15; 8:14; Isaiah 7:10-16; Galatians 3:29-4:7; Luke 2:1-7

**20. First Sunday after the Assumption of the Holy Mother of God**

 Proverbs 11:30-12:4; Zechariah 2:10-13; 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1; Luke 1:39-56

21. Song of Songs 6:3-8; Malachi 3:1-2; Galatians 3:24-29; Luke 2:1-7

22. Sts. Joachim and Anna – parents of the Holy Mother of God

 Wisdom 9:9-10:2; Esther 10:4-9; Judith 15:8-16:4; Ephesians 1:3-12; Matthew 1:17-21

23. 1 Corinthians 15:58-16:11; Mark 4:10-20

24. Prophet Jeremiah

 Jeremiah 1:1-10; 38:1-13; 2 Peter 2:9-22; Matthew 2:16-18

25. 1 Corinthians 16:12-24; Mark 4:26-34

26. The Holy Apostle Thomas

 Wisdom 9:13-10:3; Micah 7:18-20; 1 Corinthians 12:28-13:3; John 20:24-31

**27. Second Sunday after the Assumption of the Holy Mother of God—Feast of the Discovery of the Belt of the Theotokos**

Isaiah 9:8-19; 2 Corinthians 1:1-12; Mark 4:35-40

28. St. Stepanos Oolnya, Koharinos, Radigos, Dzamitos, Dookigos

 Proverbs 10:1-7; Isaiah 44:24-26; Hebrews 4:11-15; Mathew 5:1-12

29. The Holy Prophets Ezekiel, Ezra, and Zachariah, the father of John the Baptist

 Ezekiel 18:30-32; 1 Corinthians 2:6-10; Matthew 23:34-39

30. 2 Corinthians 3:4-17; Mark 6:45-56

31. Saints John the Baptist and Job the Righteous

Proverbs 20:6-22; Job 42:12-16; Lamentations 3:22-56; Acts 13:25-33; James 5:7-11;
Matthew 14:1-12

**September 2017**

1. 2 Corinthians 5:6-18; Mark 7:24-30

2. The Holy Apostles James and Simon

 Wisdom 1:1-7; Jeremiah 16:16-21; Acts 1:12-14; Mark 6:6-13

**3. Third Sunday after the Assumption of the Holy Mother of God**

 Isaiah 10:12-19; 2 Corinthians 2:12-3:3; Mark 6:30-44

4. Sts. Andrew the Commander and his Soldiers

 Proverbs 4:10-27; Isaiah 48:17-21; 2 Corinthians 10:3-6; Matthew 10:37-42

5. Lamentations 3:22-56; Romans 8:18-27; John 16:1-4

6. 2 Corinthians 1:12-22; Mark 5:35-43

7. Sts. Abraham and Khoren

 Wisdom 5:16-18; Lamentations 3:22-56; 2 Timothy 3:10-15; Luke 12:32-40

8. **Birth of the Holy Virgin Mary Mother of God**

 Proverbs 31:29-31; Isaiah 61:9; Galatians 3:24-29; Matthew 1:1-17

9. The 318 Fathers of the Holy Council of Nicea (325 A.D.)

 Ezekiel 44:23-24; Hebrews 12:1-7; John 14:25-31

**10**. **Fourth Sunday after Assumption (**Eve of the Fast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross)

 Isaiah 14:1-11; 2 Corinthians 7:4-16; Mark 7:31-37

11. 2 Corinthians 8:1-15; Mark 8:1-9

12. 2 Corinthians 8:16-24; Mark 8:10-21

13. 2 Corinthians 9:1-9; Mark 8:22-26

14. 2 Corinthians 9:19-10:6; Mark 9:13-26

15. 2 Corinthians 10:7-17; Mark 9:37-49

16. Navagadik

 Proverbs 3:9-17; Isaiah 66:12-16; 1 Timothy 3:14-16; John 10:22-42

**17**. **Exaltation of the Holy Cross**

 Isaiah 49:13-23; Galatians 6:14-18; John 3:13-21

18. Isaiah 65:22-25; 1 Corinthians 2:6-10; John 3:22-36

19. Baruch 4:36-5:9; Hebrews 3:1-6; John 2:12-22

20. Zephaniah 3:14-18; Hebrews 9:11-15; Matthew 16:13-19

21. Isaiah 2:1-6; Hebrews 12:18-27; Matthew 21:12-17

22. Zechariah 14:5-11; Philippians 2:5-11; John 19:16-22

23. Isaiah 51:4-11; 1 Timothy 6:13-16; John 7:37-52

**24**. **Second Sunday of the Exaltation** (Eve of the Fast of the Holy Cross of Varak)

 Isaiah 14:3-17; 2 Corinthians 10:18-11:10; Mark 10:1-12

25. St. Simeon Stylites the Elder

 Proverbs 8:9-11; Isaiah 55:10-13; 2 Corinthians 5:1-5; Luke 21:12-19

26. St. Shooshan, the daughter of Vartan the Great

 Proverbs 23:15-25; Hosea 14:6-8; 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1; Luke 6:20-23

27. 2 Corinthians 11:10-23; Mark 10:17-23

28. Wisdom 10:9-12; Malachi 2:5-7; 1 Peter 5:1-7; John 10:11-16

29. 2 Corinthians 11:30-12:9; Mark 10:28-34

30. St. George (Kevork) the Warrior and St. Romanos the Melodist

 Wisdom 8:19-9:5; Isaiah 42:1-8; 2 Corinthians 1:3-7; Luke 12:2-9

**October 2017**

**1.** **Third Sunday of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross – Feast of the Holy Cross of Varak**

 Proverbs 3:18-26; Isaiah 65:22-25; Galatians 6:14-18; Matthew 24:30-36

2. St. David of Tvin

 Proverbs 13:1-7; Micah 7:18-20; Hebrews 12:1-7; Luke 13:22-30

3. Lamentations 3:22-56; 2 Timothy 3:10-15; Matthew 5:1-12

4. 1 Corinthians 12:10-18; Mark 10:35-45

5. Sts. Sahag and Hamazasb the Princes

 Wisdom 6:11-21; Jeremiah 17:7-8; Romans 8:18-26; John 16:1-4

6. 2 Corinthians 12:19-13:4; Mark 11:15-26

7. The 72 Holy Disciples of Christ

 Wisdom 9:9-10:2; Exodus 15:27-16:1; 2 Corinthians 2:14-3:3; Luke 10:1-9

**8**. **Fourth Sunday of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross**

 Isaiah 17:7-14; 2 Corinthians 13:5-13; Mark 11:27-33

9. St. Irenaeus of Lyons

 Proverbs 27:1-6; Isaiah 43:16-21; 2 Corinthians 11:21-29; Mark 6:45-56

10. Sts. Thekla and Barbara the virgins

 Song of Songs 8:14-9:16; Isaiah 61:9-11; 1 Peter 5:8-11; Luke 12:32-40

11. Galatians 1:1-10; Mark 12:1-12

12. Proverbs 4:20-27; Jeremiah 15:19-20; 1 Corinthians 12:1-7; Matthew 9:35-10:1

13. Galatians 1:11-24; Mark 12:18-34

14. The Holy Translators—Mesrob, Yeghishe, Moses (Movses) the Poet, David (Tavit) the Philosopher, Gregory of Nareg, Nerses of Kla (grace-filled)

 Wisdom 8:7-10; Amos 5:10-14; 1 Corinthians 12:5-11; Matthew 7:6-12

**15. Fifth Sunday of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross**

 Isaiah 19:1-11; Galatians 2:1-10; Mark 12:35-44

16. Sts. Tatool, Varos, Thomas, Anthony, Kronites the hermits and the seven Khodajarags

 Jeremiah 33:14-22; Isaiah 18:7; Hebrews 10:32-36; Luke 10:21-23

17. The Holy Apostles Ananias, Matthias, Barnabas, Philip, John, Silas and Silvanus

 Zechariah 8:1-3; Acts 9:1-22; Luke 9:1-6

18. Galatians 2:11-20; Mark 13:14-23

19. St. Dionysius the Areopagite and the Holy Apostles Timothy and Titus

 Isaiah 33:2-6; Acts 17:16-34; 2 Thessalonians 1:1-12; Luke 10:1-7

20. Galatians 2:20-3:12; Mark 13:24-37

21. The Holy Evangelists Matthew, Mark, Luke and John

 Wisdom 9:13-10:2; Ezekiel 1:3-11; Zechariah 6:1-8; Ephesians 4:7-13; Luke 6:13-19

**22. Sixth Sunday of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross**

 Isaiah 20:2-21:6; Galatians 4:3-18; Luke 4:14-23

23. Sts. Joseph, Longinus the centurion, Joseph of Arimathea, Lazarus, Martha and Mary

 Proverbs 15:27-32; Joel 2:12-13; 1 Timothy 1:12-17; Matthew 27:50-61

24. Wisdom 1:11-15; Lamentations 3:22-56; 1 Timothy 5:17-21; Matthew 10:26-33

25. Galatians 4:19-5:1; Luke 4:31-40

26. Wisdom 3:11-17; Isaiah 51:22-52:3; 1 Thessalonians 2:13-16; John 15:11-16

27. Galatians 5:2-15; Luke 5:17-26

28. The 12 Holy Teachers (Doctors) of the Church: Hierotheus of Athens, Dionysius the Areopagite, Sylvester of Rome, Athanasius of Alexandria, Cyril of Jerusalem, Ephraim the Syrian, Basil of Caesarea, Gregory of Nyssa, Gregory the Theologian, Epiphanius of Cyprus, John Chrysostom, and Cyril of Alexandria

 Proverbs 11:2-11; Isaiah 61:3-7; Hebrews 13:7-9; John 16:33-17:8

**29**. **Seventh Sunday of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross**—**Discovery of the Holy Cross**

Wisdom 14:1-8; Isaiah 33:22-34:1; 1 Corinthians 1:18-24; Matthew 24:27-36

30. Proverbs 3:1-6; Jeremiah 17:7-8; 2 Timothy 2:3-10; Matthew 19:27-29

31. Proverbs 12:8-13; Isaiah 49:8-11; 2 Corinthians 4:6-14; Luke 10:21-24

**November 2017**

1. Galatians 5:16-26; Luke 7:36-48

2. St. John Chrysostom (*Vosgeperan*)

 Isaiah 49:1-6; Acts 20:25-38; John 15:17-25

3. Galatians 6:1-13; Luke 8:4-16

4. All Saints—old and new, known and unknown

 Wisdom 3:1-8; Isaiah 33:5-8; Hebrews 11:32-12:2; Luke 12:4-9

**5. Eighth Sunday of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross**

 Isaiah 22:15-25; Ephesians 1:1-14; Luke 8:17-21

6. Wisdom 5:1-8; Amos 3:12-15; Ephesians 3:1-10; John 10:11-16

7. Proverbs 8:12-21; Nahum 2:1-7; 1 Timothy 5:17-21; Luke 9:23-27

8. Ephesians 1:15-2:3; Luke 8:22-25

9. Wisdom 6:22-26; Zechariah 12:6-10; Hebrews 13:7-9; Matthew 4:23-25

10. Ephesians 2:4-22; Luke 8:40-48

11. The Holy Archangels Gabriel and Michael and all the Heavenly Hosts

 Genesis 18:33-19:2; Job 38:4-7; Isaiah 6:1-7; Ezekiel 1:1-20; Hebrews 1:6-14; Matthew 18:10-14

**12**. **Ninth Sunday of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross**

 Isaiah 24:1-13; Ephesians 5:15-33; Luke 8:49-57

13. Wisdom 4:7-15; Isaiah 12:1-6; 1 John 5:1-6; Luke 9:23-27

14. Proverbs 15:33-16:7; Hosea 14:9-10; Titus 3:3-8; Mark 13:9-13

15. Ephesians 6:1-9; Luke 9:10-17

16. Proverbs 28:10-18; Baruch 3:31-4:4; 2 Timothy 1:6-12; Matthew 19:27-29

17. Ephesians 6:13-24; Luke 9:37-44

18. The Holy Apostles Andrew and Philip

 Wisdom 9:13-10:2; Jeremiah 16: 16-19; Acts 8:26-40; John 1:35-51

**19**. **Tenth Sunday of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross (**Eve of the Fast of Advent)

 Isaiah 25:9-26:7; Philippians 1:1-11; Luke 9:44-50

20. Colossians 1:1-11; Luke 11:14-23

21. **Presentation of the Holy Mother of God to the Temple**

Colossians 1:12-23; Luke 11:27-32

Readings for the Presentation - Song of Songs 1:1-11; Proverbs 11:30-12:4; Isaiah 52:7-10; Zechariah 2:10-13; Malachi 3:1-2; 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1; Luke 1:39-56

22. Colossians 1:24-2:7; Luke 11:33-42

23. Colossians 3:15-4:4; Luke 11:49-54

24. Colossians 4:5-18; Luke 12:1-12

25. Sts. Gregory and Nicholas the Wonderworkers and Myron

 Wisdom 10:9-12; Malachi 2:5-7; 1 Peter 5:1-7; John 10:11-16

**26.** **First Sunday of Advent**

Isaiah 36:1-9; 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10; Luke 12:13-31

27. Song of Songs 8:14-26 [plus 6 verses in the Armenian version]; Hosea 14:6-8;
2 Corinthians 6:16-17:1; Luke 8:1-3

28. Wisdom 9:9-12; Isaiah 41:15-19; 2 Corinthians 2:14-17; Luke 6:13-20

29. 1 Thessalonians 2:1-12; Luke 12:41-48

30. St. Clement

 Proverbs 8:33-36; Isaiah 66:18-21; Philippians 4:1-7; Luke 9:1-6

**December 2017**

1. 1 Thessalonians 2:17-19; Luke 12:49-59

2. The Holy Apostles and our First Illuminators Thaddeus and Bartholomew

 Wisdom 9:13-10:2; Jeremiah 16:16-19; 1 Corinthians 12:26-13:10; Matthew 9:35-10:7

**3**. **Second Sunday of Advent**

 Isaiah 36:22-37:11; 1 Thessalonians 4:1-11; Luke 13:1-9

4. Isaiah 35:4-8; 2 Corinthians 3:18-4:6; Luke 21:12-19

5. King Apkar

 Wisdom 6:2-10; Isaiah 45:1-3; 1 Timothy 2:1-7; Luke 7:1-10

6. 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11; Luke 13:10-17

7. Paulus, Paul, Magar, Evagrius, John (Kpetsi), John the Short, Nilus, Arsenius, Siseos, Daniel, Serapion, Macarius, Poeman, and the other Holy Fathers of Egypt

 Proverbs 21:15-25; Isaiah 19:19-21; Hebrews 11:32-40; Matthew 10:37-42

8. 1 Thessalonians 5:12-28; Luke 14:1-11

9. **Conception of the Holy Virgin Mary**

Song of Songs 6:3-8; Malachi 3:1-2; Galatians 3:24-29; Luke 1:39-56

**10**. **Third Sunday of Advent** (Eve of the fast of St. Hagop)

 Isaiah 37:14-38; 2 Thessalonians 1:1-12; Luke 14:12-24

11. St. Minas

 Proverbs 15:33-16:7; Isaiah 18:7; Philippians 1:27-2:4; Matthew 10:37-42

12. Wisdom 1:1-7; Jeremiah 16:16-21; Acts 1:12-14; Mark 6:6-13

13. 2 Thessalonians 2:1-16; Luke 14:25-27

14.Proverbs 1:1-9; Nahum 2:1-7; Romans 5:1-5; Matthew 5:1-12

15. 2 Thessalonians 3:1-18; Luke 15:1-7

16. St. James of Nisibis (Hagop Medzpnatsi), Marouke the hermit and Melitus the bishop

 Wisdom 7:12-20; Isaiah 44:1-5; Hebrews 13:17-21; John 9:39-10:10

**17. Fourth Sunday of Advent**

 Isaiah 38:1-8; Hebrews 1:1-14; Luke 17:1-10

18. Sts. Ignatius of Antioch and Addai

 Wisdom 5:1-8; Jeremiah 6:16-21; 1 Corinthians 4:9-16; Mark 9:32-36

19. Proverbs 24: 1-12; Jeremiah 15: 19-20; Hebrews 12:1-7; Matthew 10:26-33

20. Hebrews 2:1-10; Luke 17:11-19

21. Wisdom 3:1-8; Jeremiah 30:18-22; 1 Peter 4:12-19; John 15:17-25

22. Hebrews 3:12-4:10; Luke 18:1-8

23. St. David the Prophet and Holy Apostle James

 2 Samuel 5:1-10; 1 Kings 2:1-11; Ezekiel 34:20-27; James 1:1-12; Matthew 22:41-46

**24**. **Fifth Sunday of Advent**

 Isaiah 41:4-14; Hebrews 7:11-25; Luke 19:12-28

25. St. Stephen the Proto-Deacon and the First Martyr

 Acts 6:8-8:2; John 12:24-26

26. The Holy Apostles Peter and Paul

 Wisdom 9:13-10:2; Isaiah 28:16-19; 2 Peter 1:12-19; 2 Timothy 4:1-8; John 21:15-22

27. Hebrews 5:11-6:8; Luke 18:18-27

28. The Holy Apostle James and John the Evangelist

 Wisdom 7:21-24; Jeremiah 16:16-21; Acts 12:1-11, James 1:1-10; 1 John 1:1-7; John 21:20-25

29 Eve of the Fast of the Nativity

 Hebrews 6:9-7:10; Luke 19:1-10

30First Day of the Fast of the Nativity

 St. Basil (the Great) and his brother St. Gregory of Nyssa, Sylvester the Patriarch of Rome, and Father Ephrem the Syrian

 Proverbs 11:2-11; Isaiah 4:2-6; Colossians 1:21-29; John 10:11-16

 Hebrews 13:10-16; Luke 21:34-38;

**31** **Sixth Sunday of Advent** (Second Day of the Fast of the Nativity)

 Isaiah 51:15-52:3; Hebrews 13:18-25; Luke 22:24-30

**January 2018**

1. Third Day of the Fast of the Nativity

 Hebrews 7:26-8:13; Luke 20:1-8

2. Fourth Day of the Fast of the Nativity

 Hebrews 10:1-18; Luke 20:9-18

3. Fifth Day of the Fast of the Nativity

 Hebrews 12:5-17; Luke 20:41-21:4

4. Sixth Day of the Fast of the Nativity

 Hebrews 12:25-13:6; Luke 21:20-33

 **5. Christmas Eve**

 Genesis 1:1-3:24; Isaiah 7:10-17; Exodus 14:24-15:21; Micah 5:2-7; Proverbs 1:1-9;
 Isaiah 9:5-7; Isaiah 11:1-9; Isaiah 35:3-8; Isaiah 40:10-17; Isaiah 42:1-8; Daniel 3:1-90.

 **Divine Liturgy**: Titus 2:11-15; Matthew 2:1-12; Dismissal: Luke 2:8-14

**6. Christmas and Epiphany**

 Titus 2:1-15; Matthew 1:18-25; 1 Corinthians 10:1-4; Matthew 3:1-17

 **Blessing of Water:** 1 Corinthians 10:1-4; Matthew 3:1-17

1. *Today begins the readings from the four Gospels in the following order: 1) Morning – Luke; 2) Midday – John; 3) Evening – Matthew; 4) Evening dismissal – Mark, so that by Pentecost (June 4) the four gospels are read up to the passion narratives.* [↑](#footnote-ref-1)