Readings March-May 2021 – Year B

	Old Testament	New Testament	Gospel	Evening Service		
3 rd March (W)	Jeremiah 18.18-20	Psalm 31.4-5, 14-18	Matthew 20.17-28			
7 th March 3 rd Sunday of Lent	Exodus 20.1-17	1 Corinthians 1.18-25	John 2.13-22	Psalm 12 Philippians 3.4b-12		
10 th March (W)	Deuteronomy 4.1, 5-9	Psalm 147.13-end	Matthew 5.17-19			
14 th March 4 th Sunday of Lent Mothering Sunday	Exodus 2.1-10	Colossians 3.12-17	John 19.25b-27			
17 th March (W) St Patrick's Day	Deut. 32.1-9	2 Cor. 4.1-12	Matthew 10.16-23 or John 4.31-38			
21 st March 5 th Sunday of Lent (Passiontide begins)	Jeremiah 31.31-34	Hebrews 5.5-10	John 12.20-33			
24 th March (W)	Daniel 3.14-20, 24-25, 28		John 8.31-42			
28 th March Palm Sunday	Isaiah 50.4-9a	Philippians 2.5-11	Mark 11.1-11			
31 st March (W)	Isaiah 50.4-9a	Hebrews 12.1-3	John 13.21-32			
1 st April Maundy Thursday	Exodus 12.1-4 [5-10]	1 Corinthians 11.23-26	John 13.1-17, 31b-35			
2 nd April Good Friday	Readings taken for meditations and Stations of the Cross – to be decided					
4 th April Easter Day	Isaiah 25.6-9	Acts 10.34-43	John 20.1-18	Compline Luke 24.13-35		
7 th April (W)		Acts 3.1-10	Luke 24.13-35			
11 th April 2 nd Sunday of Easter		Acts 4.32.35	2 John 20.19-end			
14 th April (W)	Psalm 34.1-8	Acts 5.17-26	John 3.16-21			
18 th April 3 rd Sunday of Easter		Acts 3.12-19	Luke 24.36b-48			
21 st April (W) (Anselm)	Wisdom 9.13-end	Romans 5.8-11	Luke 21.9-15			
25 th April 4 th Sunday of Easter		Acts 4.5-12	John 10.11-18			

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28 th April (W)	Psalm 67	Acts 12.24 – 13.5	John 12.44-end	
2 nd May 5 th Sunday of Easter		Acts 8.26-end	John 15.1-8	Celtic EP Psalm 96 Revelation 3.1-13
5 th May (W)	Psalm 122.1-5	Acts 15.1-6	John 15.1-8	
9 th May 6 th Sunday of Easter		Acts 10.44-end	John 15.9-17	
12 th May (W)	Psalm 148.1-2,11-end	Acts 17.15, 22–18.1	John 16.12-15	
13 th May Ascension Day (Thursday)	Daniel 7.9-14	Acts 1.1-11	Luke 24.44-end	
16 th May 6 th Sunday of Easter		Acts 1.15-17, 21-end	John 17.6-19	
19 th May (W) (Dunstan)	Exodus 31.1-5	2 Cor. 5.1-10	Matthew 24.42-46	
23 rd May PENTECOST (Whit Sunday)	Ezekiel 37.1-14	Acts 2.1-21 (can be Romans 8.22- 27 on Audio)	John 15.26-27, 16.4b-15	
26 th May (W) (Augustine)	Isaiah 49.22-25	1 Thess. 2.2b-8	Matthew 13.31-33	
30 th May Trinity Sunday	Isaiah 6.1-8	Romans 8.12-17	John 3.1-17	At KMC

Notes:

Sundays. Assuming the church is open for public worship on Sundays then generally speaking, the gospel plus one reading is to be read in church. The preacher chooses the reading between OT and the Epistle. The Audio Service has only one reading on a Sunday which can be from any of the three options.

Wednesdays up to and including March 24th. These are Audio Services only. The normal format is one reading for the Wednesday Audio Service from any of the three options. The preacher makes the choice of readings.

Wednesdays from March 31st. These are 'In-Church' Services only. The gospel plus one reading is to be read in church. The preacher chooses the reading between OT and the Epistle.

Would preachers please note that occasionally variance occurs between this and the Red SPCK Lectionary. This document is the first port of call for the readings but if unsure please contact Paul.