



Every effort was made to correlate *Be My Disciples* with the Sunday or feast day Gospel reading. In some cases the strongest correlation is with the First or Second Reading or the Responsorial Psalm. For your convenience, this correlation lists the readings used and the biblical citations. Additional connections are also offered to We Celebrate the Church Year (WCCY), Catholic Prayers and Practices (CPP), We Celebrate the Mass (WCM), and Key Teachings of the Church (KT).

First Sunday of Advent

Focus: Advent
Optional Focus: The Liturgical Year

Gospel: Matthew 24:37-44

WCCY pp. 229-230 (Advent)
Ch. 9; WCCY pp. 225-226 (The Year of Grace/The Liturgical Year); KT p. 274 (Liturgy and Worship)

Second Sunday of Advent

Gospel Focus: Prepare the Way

Gospel: Matthew 3: 1-12

p. 192 (Disciple Power);
WCCY pp. 229-230 (Advent)

The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Focus: The Solemnity

Gospel: Luke 1: 26-38

WCCY pp. 231-232 (The Immaculate Conception);
KT pp. 276-273 (The Blessed Virgin Mary)

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Focus: The Feast

Gospel: Luke 1: 26-38

WCCY pp. 233-234 (Our Lady of Guadalupe)

Third Sunday of Advent

Focus: Patience

Second Reading: James 5:7-10

p. 120

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Focus: Saint Joseph

Gospel: Matthew 1:18-24

p. 86

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

Focus: The Holy Family

Gospel: Matthew 2:13-15, 19-23

Ch. 4,12

Mary, the Holy Mother of God (January 1)

Focus: The Solemnity

Gospel: Luke 2: 16-21

WCCY pp. 235-236 (Christmas), pp. 237-238
(Mary, the Holy Mother of God)

The Epiphany of the Lord

Focus: The Solemnity

Gospel: Matthew 2: 1-12

WCCY pp. 239-240 (Epiphany)

The Baptism of the Lord

Focus: Baptism

Gospel: Matthew 3:13-17

Ch. 10; CPP p. 262 (The Seven Sacraments); KT p. 274
(The Sacraments)

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Focus: Jesus as Lamb of God/
Son of God

Gospel: John 1:29-34

Ch. 4; pp. 37, 65; WCM p. 268 (The Communion Rite);
KT p. 271 (The Holy Trinity)

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Focus: Disciples

Gospel: Matthew 4:12-13 or Matthew 4:12-17

Ch. 11

The Presentation of the Lord

Focus: Jesus' Childhood

Gospel: Luke 2:22-40 or Luke 2:22-32

Ch. 4

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Focus: Parables

Gospel: Matthew 5: 13-16

Ch. 23

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Focus: Keeping God's Commands

First Reading: Sirach 15:15-20

Ch. 18, 19, 20; CPP p. 261 (The Ten Commandments,
The Great Commandment, The Law of Love); KT p. 276
(The Moral Life)

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Focus: Love of Neighbor

First Reading: Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18

Ch. 19; CPP p. 261 (The Great Commandment,
The Law of Love)

8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Focus: God Cares for Us

Gospel: Matthew 6:24-34

Ch. 2, 3