

Daily Bible Readings for Year A (December 21 – December 28)
From *EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN WORSHIP*

The foundational premise of this set of daily readings is their relationship to the Sunday lectionary. The readings are chosen so that the days leading up to Sunday (Thursday through Saturday) prepare for the Sunday readings. The days flowing out from Sunday (Monday through Wednesday) reflect upon the Sunday readings.

Sun 12/21 *Fourth Sunday of Advent*
 Isaiah 7:10-16
 Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19
 Romans 1:1-7
 Matthew 1:18-25

Days around Christmas

Mon Dec 22 Luke 1:46b-55
 Isaiah 33:17-22
 Revelation 22:6-7, 18-20

Tue Dec 23 Luke 1:46b-55
 2 Samuel 7:18, 23-29
 Galatians 3:6-14

Wed Dec 24 *Nativity of Our Lord I*
 Isaiah 9:2-7
 Psalm 96
 Titus 2:11-14
 Luke 2:1-14 [15-20]

Thur Dec 25 *Nativity of Our Lord II*
 Isaiah 52:7-10
 Psalm 98
 Hebrews 1:1-4 [5-12]
 John 1:1-14

Fri Dec 26 Psalm 148
 Wisdom 4:7-15
 Acts 7:59—8:8

Stephen, Deacon and Martyr (12/26)
 2 Chronicles 24:17-22
 Psalm 17:1-9, 15
 Acts 6:8-7:2a, 51-60

Sat Dec 27 Psalm 148
 Proverbs 8:22-31
 1 John 5:1-12

Matthew 23:34-39

John, Apostle and Evangelist (12/27)
 Genesis 1:1-5, 26-31

Sun Dec 28 *First Sunday of Christmas*
 Isaiah 63:7-9
 Psalm 148
 Hebrews 2:10-18
 Matthew 2:13-23

Psalm 116:12-19
 1 John 1:1-2:2
 John 21:20-25

Holy Innocents, Martyrs (12/28)
 Jeremiah 31:15-17
 Psalm 124
 1 Peter 4:12-19
 Matthew 2:13-18