

Daily Prayer: March Collects and Readings

March Daily Lectionary Readings: Psalms, OT, and NT			
1	147	Lam 5	Rom 13
2	149, 150	Prov 1	Rom 14
3	1, 2	Prov 2	Rom 15
4	5, 6	Prov 3 † 1-27	Rom 16
5	9	Prov 4	Phil 1:1-11
6	8, 11	Prov 5	Phil 1:12-end
7	12, 13, 14	Prov 6 † 1-11,20-35	Phil 2:1-11
8	18:1-20	Prov 7	Phil 2:12-end
9	19	Prov 8	Phil 3
10	22	Prov 9	Phil 4
11	25	Prov 10	Col 1:1-20
12	26, 28	Prov 11	Col 1:21—2:7
13	29, 30	Prov 12	Col 2:8-19
14	34	Prov 13	Col 2:20—3:11
15	32, 36	Prov 14	Col 3:12-end
16	37:1-18	Prov 15	Col 4
17	40	Prov 16	Philemon
18	42, 43	Prov 17	Eph 1:1-14
19 Joseph	45	Eph 1:15-end	Matt 1:18-26
20	47, 48	Prov 18	Eph 2:1-10
21	50	Prov 19	Eph 2:11-end
22	52, 53, 54	Prov 20	Eph 3
23	56, 57	Prov 21	Eph 4:1-16
24 Palm Sunday	59	Prov 22	Matt 26: 31-56
25 Annunciation	131, 132	Prov 23	Eph 5:1-17
26	61, 62	Prov 24 † 1-14, 23-34	Eph 5:18-end
27	68: 1-18	Prov 25	Eph 6:1-9
28 Maundy Thurs	142, 143	1 Cor 10:1-22	John 13: 21-38
29 Good Friday	102	1 Peter: 11-25	Luke 23: 18-49
30 Holy Saturday	91	1 Peter :1-8	Luke 23: 50-56
31 Easter	111,114, 116	Romans 6	Luke 24: 13-43

Collects of the Week

After the Third Sunday in Lent March 3 Heavenly Father, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you: Look with compassion upon the heartfelt desires of your servants, and purify our disordered affections, that we may behold your eternal glory in the face of Christ Jesus; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

After the Fourth Sunday in Lent Mar 10 Gracious Father, whose blessed Son Jesus Christ came down from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world: Evermore give us this bread, that he may live in us, and we in him; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

After the Fifth Sunday in Lent Mar 17 Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of this world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*

St. Joseph March 19 see BCP, p. 627

The Annunciation March 25, see BCP, p. 627

Palm Sunday March 24 see BCP, p. 607

Monday thru Wednesday of Holy Week, see BCP, 607-608

Maundy Thursday March 28 Almighty Father, whose most dear Son, on the night before he suffered, instituted the Sacrament of his Body and Blood: Mercifully grant that we may receive it in thankful remembrance of Jesus Christ our Savior, who in these holy mysteries gives us a pledge of eternal life; and who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

Good Friday March 29 Almighty God, we beseech you graciously to behold this your family, for whom our Lord Jesus Christ was willing to be betrayed and given into the hands of sinners, and to suffer death upon the cross; who now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

Holy Saturday March 30 O God of the living, on this day your Son our Savior descended to the place of the dead: Look with kindness on all of us who wait in hope for liberation from the corruption of sin and death, and give us a share in the glory of the children of God, through Jesus Christ your Son, our Lord. *Amen*.

Easter March 31 O God, who for our redemption gave your only begotten Son to die upon the cross, and by his glorious resurrection delivered us from the devil and the power of death: Grant us grace to die daily to sin, that we may live with him in the joy of his resurrection; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. *Amen.*