

Liturgical Colours:

Purple for Advent and Lent, sometimes **black** will be used on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Purple is the colour of penitence and reflection, it sets a sombre note as you prepare spiritually for a significant festival.

White or gold for Christmas, Epiphany and Easter it symbolises joyfulness, light and perfection.

Red for Pentecost and Saints Days. Red is linked with the image of the Holy Spirit and flame, or with the blood of martyrs.

Green for everything else. Green is the symbol of growth and those periods which are not directly linked to the major festivals are thus seen as a time for learning and spiritual growth.

