

## Suggested Bible Readings for the “Colour of God” Exercise on the Liturgical Calendar

Season	Bible Reading or Story	Liturgical Colour
Advent	Luke chapter 1 verses 26-45	Purple
Christmas and Epiphany	Matthew chapter 1 verse 18 – chapter 2 verse 12, Luke chapter 2 verses 1-20	White or gold
Sundays before Lent	Mark chapter 1 verses 29-39	Green
Ash Wednesday	Luke chapter 15 verses 11-32	Purple
Lent	Luke chapter 4 verses 1-13	Purple
Palm Sunday	Luke chapter 19 verses 29-38	Red or purple
Holy Week	Luke chapter 22 verse 7- chapter 23 verse 56	Red– possibly black for Good Friday
Easter Sunday	Luke chapter 24 verses 1-11	White or gold
Ascension	Luke chapter 24 verses 44-52	White or gold
Pentecost	Acts chapter 2	Red
Trinity Sunday	Mark chapter 1 verses 1-13	Green
Sundays after Trinity	Luke chapter 7 verses 11-17	Green
Harvest	Matthew chapter 6 verses 25-33	Green
All Saints / All Souls	Luke chapter 6 verses 20-31	Red
Sundays before Advent	Luke chapter 19 verses 1-10	Green

The suggested readings on this chart have all been taken from the Common Worship lectionary. Wherever possible, they represent an actual reading used on that day, or during that season.