

Lectionary Bible Readings for March, 2010
Revised Common Lectionary
(Year C)
Season of Lent

March 7, 2010 **Open Invitation**

Focus: To respond to the invitation of God's generous and empowering grace.

Focus scripture: Isaiah 55: 1 – 9

Additional readings: Psalm 63: 1 – 8
1 Corinthians 10: 1 – 13
Luke 13: 1 – 9

March 14, 2010 **Embracing Love**

Focus: To live into God's forgiving love that seeks to reconcile everyone.

Focus scripture: Luke 15: 1 – 3, 11b – 32

Additional readings: Joshua 5: 9 – 12
Psalm 32
2 Corinthians 5: 16 – 21

March 21, 2010 **Something New**

Focus: To celebrate that God continues to make a new way in our lives and in all creation.

Focus scripture: Isaiah 43: 16 – 21

Additional readings: Psalm 126
Philippians 3: 4b – 14
John 12: 1 – 8

March 28, 2010 **Into Jerusalem**

Focus: To lay ourselves open to Luke's story of Jesus' final week in Jerusalem.

Focus scripture: Luke 19: 28 – 40

Liturgy of the Palms: Psalm 118: 1 – 2, 19 – 29

Liturgy of the Passion: Isaiah 50: 4 – 9a
Psalm 31: 9 – 16
Philippians 2: 5 – 11
Luke 22: 14 – 23: 56

Season of Easter

April 4, 2010 **Resurrection Joy**

Focus: To be immersed in the mysterious, glorious power of Easter.

Focus scripture: John 20: 1 – 18

Additional readings: Acts 10: 34 – 43 or Isaiah 65: 17 – 25
Psalm 118: 1 – 2, 14 – 24
1 Corinthians 15: 19 – 26
Luke 24: 1 - 12

