

Adult Confirmation, Reception, and Re-Affirmation

Class Five | Time and Space: The Liturgical Calendar and Sacred Space

Catching UP:
“RUBRICS”

- Directive
- Permissive
- Rubrical Order

Supplemental Texts to BCP:

- Enriching Our Worship 1
- Enriching our Worship 2
- The Book of Occasional Services

THE LECTIONARY CYCLE – Revised Common Lectionary (RCL)

Supplemental Texts to the RCL:

- Great Cloud of Witnesses

SACRED TIME: the Liturgical Calendar

7 Principal Feast Days

“Moveable” Feasts and “Fixed” Feasts

7 Liturgical Seasons *[see handout]*

Whys of Liturgical Colors: <http://fullhomelydivinity.org/articles/colors.htm>

SACRED SPACE: Liturgical Architecture

Chancel –

Nave –

Sanctuary –

Transcept –

Quire –

Narthex –

Arches and Vaults –

Buttresses and Flying Buttresses –

Windows and Stained Glass –

Altar or Table? –

Lectern & Pulpit or Ambo? -

Re-table or Credence Table, Tabernacle or Aumbry -

HOUSEKEEPING

Next Class is March 27 - Initiation Rites: Baptism and Confirmation

sacred time / the liturgical calendar

SEASON of ADVENT

beginning of the Church Year
the 4 Sundays prior to Christmas Day
a lesser penitential season
liturgical color is *Sarum Blue*

The FEAST of the
INCARNATION
December 25th
liturgical color is *White*

CHRISTMASTIDE

Christmas Eve - Feast of Epiphany (Jan. 6)
liturgical color is *White*

The FEAST of the
EPIPHANY
January 6th
liturgical color is *White*

SEASON of EPIPHANY
Feast of Epiphany (Jan.6) - Ash
Wednesday
liturgical color is *Gold/Yellow*

SEASON of LENT
Ash Wednesday - Palm Sunday
40 days before Holy Week
a Major Penitential Season
liturgical color is *purple*
Stripped Altar, etc.

HOLY WEEK
Palm Sunday - Holy Saturday
liturgical color is *Oxblood with Black Trim*

TRIDUUM

The FEAST of the
RESURRECTION
liturgical color is *White*

SEASON of EASTER
Easter Eve (Vigil) - Day of Pentecost
liturgical color is *White*

The FEAST of the
ASCENSION
40 Days after Easter
liturgical color is *White*

The FEAST of
PENTECOST
50 Days after Easter
liturgical color is *Festive Red*

The FEAST of TRINITY
SUNDAY
1st Sunday after
Pentecost
liturgical color is *White*

SEASON AFTER PENTECOST
Day After Pentecost - 1st Advent
liturgical color is *Green*

The FEAST of
ALL SAINTS
November 1
liturgical color is *White*