



# North America



**CBF Full Members: 2**  
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The North American region includes Canada and the United States. The Catholic Biblical Federation is not well known in the subregion and has been mostly inactive in recent years. While the region is blessed with substantial resources for biblical pastoral ministry, funding for these efforts and outreach remains difficult. Most dioceses do not have a biblical department, and neither do the US and the Canadian episcopal conferences.

An additional challenge is a diminishing attendance at weekly Masses, with an increasing number of people self-identifying themselves as spiritual, but not religious. In this environment, it is challenging for biblical pastoral agencies to reach Catholics and others in an effective way. A noteworthy recent initiative in the region is the creation of "Friends of the Catholic Biblical Federation" association, to promote biblical pastoral ministry and raise funds the Federation's mission.

## PRAYER INTENTION

**That the Catholics in North America may be nourished and sustained in their faith through a well-coordinated and zealous biblical ministry animated by Church leaders.**

## NOVEMBER 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>SUN THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b> <b>30</b> <i>Wis 11:22-12:2</i> <i>2Thes 1:11-2:2 / Lk 19:1-10</i>	<b>31</b> <i>Phil 2:1-4 / Lk 14:12-14</i>	<b>1</b> <i>ALL SAINTS</i> <i>Rv 7:2-4,9-14</i> <i>1Jn 3:1-3 / Mt 5:1-12a</i>	<b>2</b> <i>2Mac 12:43-45</i> <i>1Thes 4:13-18 / Jn 11:17-27</i>	<b>3</b> <i>Phil 3:3-8a / Lk 15:1-10</i>	<b>4</b> <i>Phil 3:17-4:1 / Lk 16:1-8</i>	<b>5</b> <i>Phil 4:10-19 / Lk 16:9-15</i>
<b>SUN THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b> <b>6</b> <i>2Mc 7:1-2,9-14</i> <i>2Thes 2:16-3:5 / Lk 20:27-38</i>	<b>7</b> <i>Ti 1:1-9 / Lk 17:1-6</i>	<b>8</b> <i>Ti 2:1-8,11-14 / Lk 17:7-10</i>	<b>9</b> <i>Ez 47:1-2,8-9,12</i> <i>1Cor 3:9c-11,16-17 / Jn 2:13-22</i>	<b>10</b> <i>Phlm 7-20 / Lk 17:20-25</i>	<b>11</b> <i>2Jn 4-9 / Lk 17:26-37</i>	<b>12</b> <i>3Jn 5-8 / Lk 18:1-8</i>
<b>SUN THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b> <b>13</b> <i>Mal 3:19-20a</i> <i>2Thes 3:7-12 / Lk 21:5-19</i>	<b>14</b> <i>Rv 1:1-4;2:1-5 / Lk 18:35-43</i>	<b>15</b> <i>Rv 3:1-6,14-22 / Lk 19:1-10</i>	<b>16</b> <i>Rv 4:1-11 / Lk 19:11-28</i>	<b>17</b> <i>Rv 5:1-10 / Lk 19:41-44</i>	<b>18</b> <i>Rv 10:8-11 / Lk 19:45-48</i>	<b>19</b> <i>Rv 11:4-12 / Lk 20:27-40</i>
<b>SUN OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE</b> <b>20</b> <i>2Sm 5:1-3</i> <i>Col 1:12-20 / Lk 23:35-43</i>	<b>21</b> <i>Rv 14:1-3,4b-5 / Lk 21:1-4</i>	<b>22</b> <i>Rv 14:14-19 / Lk 21:5-11</i>	<b>23</b> <i>Rv 15:1-4 / Lk 21:12-19</i>	<b>24</b> <i>Rv 18:1-2,21-23;19:1-3,9a</i> <i>Lk 21:20-28</i>	<b>25</b> <i>Rv 20:1-4,11-21:2 / Lk 21:29-33</i>	<b>26</b> <i>Rv 22:1-7 / Lk 21:34-36</i>
<b>SUN FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT</b> <b>27</b> <i>Is 2:1-5</i> <i>Rom 13:11-14 / Mt 24:37-44</i>	<b>28</b> <i>Is 4:2-6 / Mt 8:5-11</i>	<b>29</b> <i>Is 11:1-10 / Lk 10:21-24</i>	<b>30</b> <i>Rom 10:9-18 / Mt 4:18-22</i>	<b>1</b> <i>Is 26:1-6 / Mt 7:21, 24-27</i>	<b>2</b> <i>Is 29:17-24 / Mt 9:27-31</i>	<b>3</b> <i>Is 30:19-21,23-26</i> <i>Mt 9:35-10:1,5a,6-8</i>