



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 Region 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 2020

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
30 <i>Rom 10:9-18 / Mt 4:18-22</i>	27	28	29	30	31	SUN ALL SAINTS 1 <i>Rv 7:2-4, 9-14 / 1 Jn 3:1-3 Mt 5:1-12a</i>
2 <i>1 Cor 15:51-57 / Jn 11:17-27</i>	3 <i>Phil 2:5-11 / Lk 14:15-24</i>	4 <i>Phil 2:12-18 / Lk 14:25-33</i>	5 <i>Phil 3:3-8a / Lk 15:1-10</i>	6 <i>Phil 3:17-4:1 / Lk 16:1-8</i>	7	SUN THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 8 <i>Wis 6:12-16 / 1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14 / Mt 25:1-13</i>
9 <i>Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 / 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17 / Jn 2:13-22</i>	10 <i>Ti 2:1-8, 11-14 / Lk 17:7-10</i>	11 <i>Ti 3:1-7 / Lk 17:11-19</i>	12 <i>Phlm 7-20 / Lk 17:20-25</i>	13 <i>2 Jn 4-9 / Lk 17:26-37</i>	14	SUN THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 15 <i>Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31 1 Thes 5:1-6 / Mt 25:14-30</i>
16 <i>Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5 / Lk 18:35-43</i>	17 <i>Rv 3:1-6, 14-22 / Lk 19:1-10</i>	18 <i>Rv 4:1-11 / Lk 19:11-28</i>	19 <i>Rv 5:1-10 / Lk 19:41-44</i>	20 <i>Rv 10:8-11 / Lk 19:45-48</i>	21	SUN OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE 22 <i>Ez 34:11-12, 15-17 1 Cor 15:20-26, 28 / Mt 25:31-46</i>
23 <i>Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5 / Lk 21:1-4</i>	24 <i>Rv 14:14-19 / Lk 21:5-11</i>	25 <i>Rv 15:1-4 / Lk 21:12-19</i>	26 <i>Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a Lk 21:20-28</i>	27 <i>Rv 20:1-4, 11-21:2 / Lk 21:29-33</i>	28	SUN FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT 29 <i>Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7 1 Cor 1:3-9 / Mk 13:33-37</i>