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This series of Gospel lessons, also known as the Rhenish Selections, was compiled in 1846 by Prof. Karl Immanuel Nitzsch (1787—1868), professor of Systematic and Practical Theology at the University of Bonn (1822—1874), who was commissioned by the *Rheinische Provinzialsynode* to draw up a lectionary comprising besides Gospel and Epistle lessons also selections from the Old Testament to be read in public service. This series has rarely been used in our circles and is highly recommended by Alt in his *Christlicher Cultus*, and we do not doubt that it will be welcomed by both pastor and congregation.

We list the Gospel selections to be treated in the coming church year.

1st Sunday in Advent Luke 1:67-69	3d Sunday after Epiphany John 3:22-30
2d Sunday in Advent Luke 13:18-27	Septuagesima Luke 6:20-35
3d Sunday in Advent Luke 17:20-30	Sexagesima Luke 9:18-26
4th Sunday in Advent Matt. 3:1-12	Quinquagesima Luke 10:38-42
Christmas Matt. 1:18-23	Invocavit Mark 2:18-22
Second Christmas Day John 1:1-18	Reminiscere Luke 7:36-50
Sunday after Christmas Luke 2:25-32	Oculi Luke 10:17-22
New Year's Day Luke 4:16-21	Laetare John 8:12-20
Sunday after New Year Matt. 3:13-17	Judica John 11:41-53
Epiphany Mark 1:14-22	Palm Sunday John 12:1-19
1st Sunday after Epiphany John 1:35-42	Maundy Thursday John 13:1-15
2d Sunday after Epiphany John 1:43-51	Good Friday Luke 23:44-49

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<b>Easter Sunday</b>	<b>John 20:1-10</b>	<b>8th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 14:8-18</b>
<b>Easter Monday</b>	<b>John 20:11-18</b>	<b>9th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 16:16-34</b>
<b>1st Sunday after Easter</b>	<b>John 21:15-19</b>	<b>10th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 17:22-34</b>
<b>2d Sunday after Easter</b>	<b>John 15:9-16</b>	<b>11th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 20:15-38</b>
<b>3d Sunday after Easter</b>	<b>John 15:17-27</b>	<b>12th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 28:24-32</b>
<b>4th Sunday after Easter</b>	<b>John 17:1-10</b>	<b>13th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Luke 12:1-8</b>
<b>5th Sunday after Easter</b>	<b>Luke 11:1-13</b>	<b>14th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Luke 15:11-32</b>
<b>Ascension Day</b>	<b>John 17:11-26</b>	<b>15th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Luke 9:46-56</b>
<b>6th Sunday after Easter</b>	<b>Acts 1:15-26</b>	<b>16th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Luke 9:57-62</b>
<b>Pentecost</b>	<b>Acts 2:1-13</b>	<b>17th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>John 9:1-12</b>
<b>Pentecost Monday</b>	<b>Acts 2:37-47</b>	<b>18th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Mark 10:17-27</b>
<b>Trinity</b>	<b>Matt. 28:16-20</b>	<b>19th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Mark 12:38-44</b>
<b>1st Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 3:1-11</b>	<b>20th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Luke 12:15-23</b>
<b>2d Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 4:1-12</b>	<b>21st Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Mark 12:28-34</b>
<b>3d Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 4:13-22</b>	<b>22d Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Luke 19:1-10</b>
<b>4th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 4:23-37</b>	<b>23d Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Luke 19:11-27</b>
<b>5th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 5:1-11</b>	<b>24th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Luke 16:10-17</b>
<b>6th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 8:26-39</b>	<b>25th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Luke 12:35-48</b>
<b>7th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Acts 9:1-19</b>	<b>26th Sunday after Trinity</b>	<b>Luke 12:49-57</b>