

# A Patristic Reading Plan for the Great Lent

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Great Lent might be a time of increase in spiritual reading. We present a day-by-day Patristic Reading Plan for every of the forty days of Great Lent. It should be helpful in immersing in the writings of the Early Fathers during the Great Fast.

## Day Reading

- 1 [\*Epistle to Diognetus, 1-6\*](#)
- 2 [\*Epistle to Diognetus, 7-12\*](#)
- 3 [\*St Ignatius of Antioch, Epistle To the Ephesians, 1-7\*](#)
- 4 [\*St Ignatius of Antioch, Epistle To the Ephesians, 8-14\*](#)
- 5 [\*St Ignatius of Antioch, Epistle To the Ephesians, 15-21\*](#)
- 6 [\*St Ignatius of Antioch, Epistle To the Magnesians, 1-5\*](#)
- 7 [\*St Ignatius of Antioch, Epistle To the Magnesians, 6-10\*](#)
- 8 [\*St Ignatius of Antioch, Epistle To the Magnesians, 11-15\*](#)
- 9 [\*St Justin Martyr, First Apology, 1-7\*](#)
- 10 [\*St Justin Martyr, First Apology, 8-14\*](#)
- 11 [\*St Justin Martyr, First Apology, 15-21\*](#)
- 12 [\*St Justin Martyr, First Apology, 22-29\*](#)
- 13 [\*St Justin Martyr, First Apology, 30-37\*](#)
- 14 [\*St Justin Martyr, First Apology, 38-45\*](#)
- 15 [\*St Justin Martyr, First Apology, 46-53\*](#)
- 16 [\*St Justin Martyr, First Apology, 54-60\*](#)
- 17 [\*St Justin Martyr, First Apology, 61-68\*](#)
- 18 [\*St Cyprian of Carthage, On the Unity of the Church \(Treatise I\), 1-9\*](#)
- 19 [\*St Cyprian of Carthage, On the Unity of the Church \(Treatise I\), 10-18\*](#)
- 20 [\*St Cyprian of Carthage, On the Unity of the Church \(Treatise I\), 19-27\*](#)
- 21 [\*St Athanasius, Life of St Anthony, 1-9\*](#)
- 22 [\*St Athanasius, Life of St Anthony, 10-16\*](#)

- 23 [St Athanasius, \*Life of St Anthony\*, 17-25](#)
  - 24 [St Athanasius, \*Life of St Anthony\*, 26-33](#)
  - 25 [St Athanasius, \*Life of St Anthony\*, 34-41](#)
  - 26 [St Athanasius, \*Life of St Anthony\*, 42-49](#)
  - 27 [St Athanasius, \*Life of St Anthony\*, 50-58](#)
  - 28 [St Athanasius, \*Life of St Anthony\*, 59-66](#)
  - 29 [St Athanasius, \*Life of St Anthony\*, 67-73](#)
  - 30 [St Athanasius, \*Life of St Anthony\*, 74-81](#)
  - 31 [St Athanasius, \*Life of St Anthony\*, 82-89](#)
  - 32 [St Athanasius, \*Life of St Anthony\*, 90-94](#)
  - 33 [St Cyril of Jerusalem, \*Mystagogical Catechesis 2\* \(Oration 20\)](#)
  - 34 [St Cyril of Jerusalem, \*Mystagogical Catechesis 4\* \(Oration 22\)](#)
  - 35 [St Cyril of Jerusalem, \*Mystagogical Catechesis 5\* \(Oration 23\), 1-11](#)
  - 36 [St Cyril of Jerusalem, \*Mystagogical Catechesis 5\* \(Oration 23\), 12-23](#)
  - 37 [St Ambrose of Milan, \*On the Holy Mysteries\*, 1-4](#)
  - 38 [St Ambrose of Milan, \*On the Holy Mysteries\*, 5-9](#)
  - 39 [St Leo the Great, Sermon 49 \(\*On Great Lent\*, 11\), complete text](#)
  - 40 [St Leo the Great: Sermon 72 \(\*On the Lord's Resurrection\*\), complete text](#)
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