Many of the Collects and some Post Communions in Common Worship are based on Collects in The Book of Common Prayer. This table indicates the Book of Common Prayer originals of the Common Worship Collects and Post Communions.

The Book of Common Prayer original listed in italics after C or PC may be used in place of the corresponding Common Worship Collect or Post Communion indicated.

C = Collect
PC = Post Communion

First Sunday of Advent: C Advent 1
Second Sunday of Advent: C Advent 4
Third Sunday of Advent: C Advent 3
Christmas Day: C Christmas Day
Epiphany: C Epiphany
Presentation of Christ in the Temple: C Presentation of Christ in the Temple
Fourth Sunday before Lent: C Epiphany 4; PC Holy Communion
Third Sunday before Lent: C Easter 4
Ash Wednesday: C Ash Wednesday; PC Easter 2
Second Sunday of Lent: C Easter 3; PC Lent 2
Third Sunday of Lent: PC Trinity 18
Fourth Sunday of Lent: C Trinity 24
Palm Sunday: C Sunday next before Easter
Good Friday: C Good Friday (1)
Easter Eve: C Easter Even
Second Sunday of Easter: C Easter 1
Fifth Sunday of Easter: C Easter Day

Ascension Day: C Ascension Day

Seventh Sunday of Easter: C Sunday after Ascension Day

Day of Pentecost: C Whit-Sunday

Weekdays after the Day of Pentecost: C Easter 5

Trinity Sunday: C Trinity Sunday

First Sunday after Trinity: C Trinity 1

Second Sunday after Trinity: C Quinquagesima

Fourth Sunday after Trinity: C Trinity 4

Fifth Sunday after Trinity: C Good Friday (2); PC Trinity 5

Sixth Sunday after Trinity: C Trinity 6

Seventh Sunday after Trinity: C Trinity 7

Eighth Sunday after Trinity: C Holy Communion

Tenth Sunday after Trinity: C Trinity 10

Eleventh Sunday after Trinity: C Trinity 11

Twelfth Sunday after Trinity: C Trinity 12

Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity: PC Trinity 15

Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity: C Epiphany 1

Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity: PC Trinity 17

Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity: C Trinity 19

Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity: C Trinity 21

Last Sunday after Trinity: C Advent 2
All Saints' Day: C All Saints' Day

Second Sunday before Advent: C Epiphany 6

Christ the King: PC Trinity 25

Conversion of Paul: C Conversion of St Paul

Annunciation of Our Lord: C Annunciation

Philip and James: C St Philip and St James

Matthias: C St Matthias

Birth of John the Baptist: C St John Baptist

James: C St James

Bartholomew: C St Bartholomew

Matthew: C St Matthew

Michael and All Angels: C St Michael and All Angels


Simon and Jude: C St Simon and St Jude

Andrew: C St Andrew

John: C St John the Evangelist

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