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### The Church Calendar

Did you know that the Catholic Church has a calendar of its own? It is called a *liturgical calendar*. Mother Church uses specific colors to mark the various times, or liturgical seasons, of the year. Each season celebrates specific holy days and has special details about it that make it distinct from the other seasons. The wheel below illustrates the months of the year along with spaces for the liturgical season or seasons that are celebrated within them. Color in the blank spaces on the wheel to match the liturgical year.

**Advent** = purple      **Christmas** = white      **Ordinary Time** = green

