

The Collect

The Collect is said, and all respond.

Amen

The Liturgy of the Word

Reading(s)

At the end of the reading, the reader may say

This is the word of the Lord

The response is

Thanks be to God

Gospel Reading

When the Gospel is announced the reader says

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

The response is

Glory to you, O Lord.

At the end

This is the Gospel of the Lord

The response is

Praise to you, O Christ.

The Creed

So let us say together The Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of

sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

Please sit or kneel for our time of prayer

The following response is used

Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer

And may end with:

Merciful Father, accept these prayers, for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

The Liturgy of the Sacrament

The Peace

Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you are called to peace.

The Peace of the Lord be always with you
and also with you.

The Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord is here,

His Spirit is with us.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give thanks and praise.

When the Priest says

...we lift up our voices to join in the triumphal song of praise:

we say together

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

When the Priest says

Great is the mystery of faith

We respond



Christ has died:
Christ is risen:
Christ will come again.

*So let us sit or kneel as we say together the prayer that
our saviour taught us*

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in
heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as
we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into
temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.**

Breaking of the Bread

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ
**Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in
one bread.**

Prayer after Communion

So let us say together

**Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and
blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our
souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the
power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory.
Amen.**

The Dismissal

*The priest proclaims God's BLESSING and we are sent into His
world...*

Go in the peace of Christ.

Thanks be to God.

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The Gathering

In the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the
Holy Spirit.

Amen.

The Greeting

The Lord be with you
and also with you

Prayer of Preparation

Together we pray...

**Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy name;
through Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

Prayer of Penitence will be said.

Please respond

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
we have sinned against you
and against our neighbour
in thought and word and deed,
through negligence, through weakness,
through our own deliberate fault.
We are truly sorry
and repent of all our sins.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
who died for us,
forgive us all that is past
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life
to the glory of your name.
Amen.**