



**you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the most high, Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

**10** *The Minister introduces a period of silent prayer. (kneel or sit)*

**11** Minister The Collect.  
**All** **Amen**

**12** **The Ministry of the Word**  
*The Reading (sit)*  
Reader This is the word of the Lord.  
**All** **Thanks be to God.**

**13** *There may be a psalm or canticle after the first reading.*

**14** **All** **Hymn**

**15** *The Gospel is announced (stand)*  
Reader Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to (N)  
**All** **Glory to you, O Lord.**  
*At the end:*  
Reader This is the Gospel of Christ  
**All** **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**16** **The Sermon**

**17** **The Nicene Creed (stand)**  
**All** **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 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,  
he became 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 Son is worshipped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy, catholic and apostolic Church.  
acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,**

**We**

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

**18 Prayers of Intercession**

President In the power of the Spirit and in union with Christ,  
let us pray to the Father.

Reader Let us pray for the Church and the world  
and let us thank God for his goodness.

*(kneel or sit) The following forms of response are used:*

Reader Lord, in your mercy,

**All Hear our prayer.**

*At the end:*

Reader Merciful Father,

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

**19 THE MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT** *(stand)*

President Unto us a child is born, unto us a Son is given  
and his name shall be called the Prince of Peace.

**All Amen.**

President The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**All and also with you.**

President Let us offer one another a sign of Christ's peace.

**20 All Hymn**

**21** *The offerings are presented: The altar is prepared and the bread and wine are placed upon it. The gifts of the people are presented.*

**All Blessed be God,  
by whose grace creation is renewed,  
by whose love heaven is opened,  
by whose mercy we offer our sacrifice of praise.  
Blessed be God for ever.**

**22 The Eucharistic Prayer** *(kneel or sit)*

The Lord be with you  
**All and also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**All We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All It is right to give thanks and praise.**

You are worthy of our thanks and praise, Lord God of truth,  
for by the breath of your mouth you have spoken your word,  
and all things have come into being.

You fashioned us in your image  
and placed us in the garden of your delight.

Though we chose the path of rebellion  
you would not abandon your own.

Again and again you drew us into your covenant of grace.  
You gave your people the law and taught us by your prophets  
to look for your reign of justice, mercy and peace.

As we watch for the signs of your kingdom on earth,  
we echo the songs of the angels in heaven  
evermore praising you and *saying*:

**All 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.**

Lord God, you are the most holy one,

enthroned in splendour and light,  
yet in the coming of your Son Jesus Christ  
you revealed the power of your love  
made perfect in our human weakness.

**All Amen. Lord, we believe.**

Embracing our humanity,  
Jesus showed us the way of salvation;  
loving us to the end, he gave himself to death for us;  
dying for his own, he freed us from the bonds of sin,  
that we might rise and reign with him in glory.

**All Amen. Lord, we believe.**

On the night he gave himself for us all  
he took bread and gave you thanks;  
he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;  
do this in remembrance of me.

*Pause for Sanctus Bell*

**All Amen. Lord, we believe.**

In the same way, after supper  
he took the cup and gave you thanks;  
he gave it to them, saying:  
Drink this, all of you;  
this is my blood of the new covenant,  
which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.  
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

*Pause for Sanctus Bell.*

**All Amen. Lord, we believe.**

Great is the mystery of faith:

**All Christ has died;  
Christ is risen;  
Christ will come again.**

Therefore we proclaim the death that he suffered on the cross,  
we celebrate his resurrection, his bursting from the tomb,  
we rejoice that he reigns at your right hand on high,  
and we long for his coming in glory.

**All Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

As we recall the one perfect sacrifice for our redemption.  
Father, by your Holy Spirit, let these gifts of your creation  
be to us the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
form us into the likeness of Christ,  
and make us a perfect offering in your sight.

**All Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.**

Look with favour on your people  
and in your mercy hear the cry of our hearts.  
Bless the earth, heal the sick, let the oppressed go free,  
and fill your Church with power from on high.

**All Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.**

Gather your people from the ends of the earth  
to feast with *(N and)* all your saints at the table  
in your kingdom  
where the new creation is brought to perfection  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

**All Spirit, all honour and glory be yours,      By whom, and with whom, and in whom,      in the unity of      the Holy  
Almighty Father, for ever and ever. Amen.**

*Here follows a time for silent reflection*

**23 The Communion**

President As our Saviour taught us, so we pray (*kneel or sit*)

**All** 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.

**24 The Breaking of Bread**

President We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**All** Though we are many, we are one body,  
because we all share in one bread.

**25 All** Jesus, Lamb of God: have mercy on us.  
Jesus, bearer of our sins: have mercy on us.  
Jesus, redeemer of the world: give us your peace.

**26 Seasonal Sentences**

**27 The President invites us to the Lord's Table**

**All** We do not presume to come to this your table,  
merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness,  
but in your manifold and great mercies.

**We are not worthy so much**

as to gather up the crumbs under your table.  
But you are the same Lord,  
whose nature is always to have mercy.  
Grant us therefore, gracious Lord,  
so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ,  
and to drink his blood,  
that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body,  
and our souls washed through his most precious blood,  
and that we may evermore dwell in him and he in us. Amen.

**28** *During the distribution a hymn will be sung or music played.  
This may be followed by a time of private reflection.*

**29 After Communion** (*kneel or sit*)

We say together the Post Communion Prayer.

**30 All** Father of all, we give you thanks and praise,  
that while we were still far off  
you met us in your Son and brought us home.  
Dying and living, he declared your love, gave us grace,  
and opened the gate of glory.  
May we who share Christ's body live his risen life;  
we who drink his cup bring life to others;  
we whom the Spirit lights, give light to the world.  
Keep us firm in the hope you have set before us,  
that we and all your children shall be free,  
and the whole earth live to praise your name;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**31 Hymn**

**32 Notices**

**33 The Dismissal**

President *The Blessing*

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

**34 Hymn**