

A shortened order of Service  
for the Sunday Eucharist.

*Please take this with you when you depart*

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
the love of God  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit  
be with you all

All **and also with you.**

*The priest invites the people, during a  
period of stillness, to call to mind their  
sins and then to join in the*

**Kyrie Confession.**

Lord, have Mercy. **Lord have mercy**  
Christ have Mercy. **Lord have mercy**  
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*The priest absolves the people to which all  
respond.*

All **Amen.**

**The Collect**

*The priest introduces a period of silent  
prayer with the words 'Let us pray' The  
Collect is said to which all respond.*

All **Amen.**

**Old Testament Reading**

*Isaiah 55:10-13*

*At the end the reader says*

This is the word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

**Gospel Reading**

*Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23*

*When the Gospel is announced the reader  
says*

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus  
Christ according to John.

All **Glory to you, O Lord.**

*At the end of the Gospel the reader says*

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**Homily or Sermon.**

**The Nicene Creed**

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 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

*These responses may be used*

Lord, in your mercy  
*All* **hear our prayer.**

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

## ¶ The Liturgy of the Sacrament The Eucharistic Prayer

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.**  
*The Eucharistic prayer continues until we join  
our voices with all the company of heaven as  
we say together:*

*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.**

*And a little later:*

Let us proclaim the mystery of faith  
*All* **Christ has died:  
Christ is risen:  
Christ will come again.**

## The Lord's Prayer

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has  
taught us

*All* **Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name;  
thy kingdom come;  
thy will be done;  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass**

**against us.  
And lead us not into temptation;  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
the power and the glory,  
for ever and ever.  
Amen.**

## Breaking of the Bread

*The priest breaks the consecrated bread.*

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**

## Agnus Dei

*All* **Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world,  
have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world,  
have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world,  
give us your peace.**

## Prayer after communion

*All* **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.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
*All* **In the name of Christ. Amen.**