

The Address

The Creed:

We affirm our faith together

**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.**

The Prayers of Intercession

At the end

Merciful Father,

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

The Peace:

*The service leader introduces The Peace with a
suitable sentence, then says*

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

The Prayer at the Offering of the Gifts:

The Priest leads us in prayer

Gracious God, accept these gifts, and with them our
lives, to be used in your service; through Jesus Christ
our Lord. **Amen.**

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.

*The priest praises God for his mighty acts
and all respond*

**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.**

The priest recalls the Last Supper

Great is the mystery of faith:

Christ has died:

Christ is risen:

Christ will come again.

The prayer continues and may end with the words

**Blessing and honour and glory and power
be yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer:

We say together

**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.**

The 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.**

Agnus Dei

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

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have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
grant us peace.**

The Sharing of the Bread and Wine:
The table of bread and wine is now made ready.
It is the table of company with Jesus and with all those
who love him.
It is the table of sharing with the poor of the world
with whom Jesus identified.
It is the table of communion with the earth in which
Christ became incarnate.
Come! It is Christ who invites us to meet him here.

*When invited, please come forward to receive the
bread or a blessing. At this time only the priest is able
to receive the wine on behalf of everyone.*

Prayers after Communion:
*The priest leads us in a Post-Communion Prayer
Then we say together:*

**Father of all, we give you thanks and praise, that
when 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, so we and all your
children shall be free, and the whole earth live to
praise your name; through Christ our Lord. Amen**

Blessing

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

*If this has been your first service with us please do
introduce yourself to the minister. At this time we are
unable to serve refreshments in church, however
there are opportunities for fellowship at our online
services and midweek activities, at which you would
be most welcome. Details of all our activities can be
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Holy Communion

*If you would like a gluten free wafer for communion,
please tell the sidesperson before the service starts.*

Welcome in the name of Christ.
God's grace, mercy and peace be with you.
And also with you.

The Prayer of Preparation:
We say together

**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**

The Prayers of Penitence:
*The service leader introduces a time for reflection,
then we all make this Confession*

**God of mercy, we acknowledge that we are all
sinners. We turn from the wrong that we have
thought and said and done, and are mindful of all
that we have failed to do. For the sake of Jesus, who
died for us, forgive us for all that is past, and help us
to live each day in the light of Christ our Lord. Amen.**

May God our Father forgive you your sins,
and bring you to the eternal joy of his kingdom.
Amen.

Prayer of the week

First Reading
At the end the reader may say
This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Gospel Reading
When the Gospel is announced the reader says
Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to 'n'
Glory to you, O Lord.

At the end
This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.