Breaking of the Bread and invitation to Communion.

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.

God's holy gifts for God's holy people. Jesus Christ is holy, Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Please hand-sanitise & remove your mask before you receive communion, moving to the front as directed.

Prayer after Communion

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of thy Son Jesus Christ.

Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of thy Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.

Blessing and dismissal

May God the Father, who led the wise men by the shining of a star to find the Christ, the Light from light, lead you also in your pilgrimage to find the Lord. **Amen.**

May God, who has delivered us from the dominion of darkness, give us a place with the saints in light in the kingdom of his beloved Son. **Amen.**

May the light of the glorious gospel of Christ shine in your hearts and fill your lives with his joy and peace. **Amen.**

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

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

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Manifest at Jordan's stream, Prophet, Priest, and King supreme; and at Cana wedding-guest in thy Godhead manifest.

We meet, as we live our lives, in the name of the Father, of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Preparation and confession

Almighty God to whom all hearts are open, all desires are 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 glorify your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The grace of God has dawned upon the world through our Saviour Jesus Christ, who sacrificed himself for us to purify a people as his own. Let us confess our sins.

Lord Jesus, illuminate the darkness in our hearts: Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Lord Jesus, open our eyes to your saving love: Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

Lord Jesus, unstop our ears to hear your living word: Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Words of Absolution.

A collect prayer may be used.

The Word of God

A reading

This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

A Psalm may also be used.



The Gospel Reading Please stand to greet the Word of God.

Alleluia, alleluia. Christ was revealed in flesh, proclaimed among the nations and believed in throughout the world. **Alleluia!** Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to ...

Glory to you O Lord.

This is the gospel of the Lord. Praise to you O Christ.

Reflection

The Creed Please stand.

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.

Jesus calls us out of darkness into his marvellous light. Let us pray that we may live the life to which he has called us.

God of love, Hear our prayer.

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

The Peace Please stand.

(Please note we cannot share the peace with a handshake or hug beyond those in our own bubbles.) The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**

Offertory prayer.

Gracious God, accept the offering of your Church, the hearts of your people joined in praise and thanksgiving, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

The Eucharistic prayer Please stand.

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 prayer continues...*

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 prayer continues...

Great is the mystery of faith. Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The prayer continues... Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

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 forever. Amen.