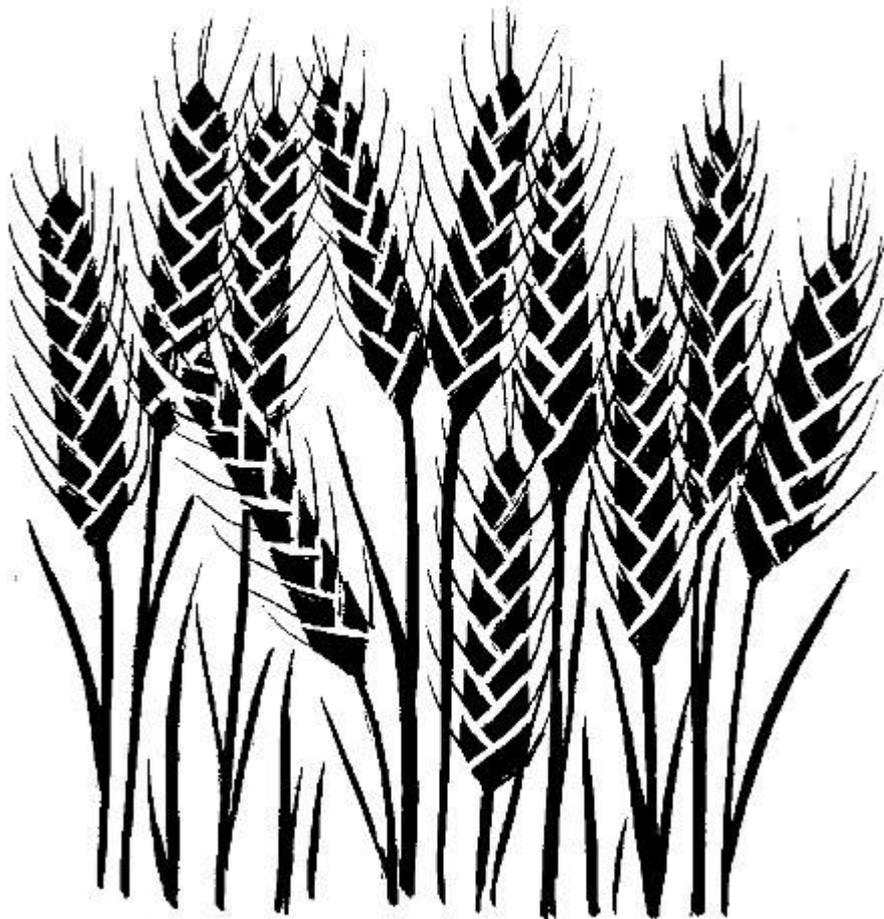




**The Eucharist
in Ordinary Time with
Harvest Thanksgiving**



OPEN : WARM : WELCOMING

We prepare for the service with quiet prayer.

The Gathering

Words of welcome are given.

The Hymn

The Greeting

God is the Creator, with an imagination gathered into a universe of wonder. In every living thing is a glimpse of God, in every sound and song is a note of God, in every touching warmth between us is a mystery of the love of God. **Let us worship God!**

Prayers of Penitence

Let us confess our forgetfulness on the needs of the poor and repent of the ways in church we waste the resources of the world.

Silence is kept.

God has blessed us, but still God's children go hungry.

Lord have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

God has blessed us, but still the poor cry out for justice.

Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

God has blessed us, but still we see inequality and oppression in the earth. Lord have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

Almighty God, who in Jesus has given us a kingdom that cannot be destroyed, forgive us our sins, open our eyes to God's truth, strengthen us to do God's will and give us the joy of his kingdom, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The Gloria

We stand to say the Gloria together.

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
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.

The Collect

Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness
and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season:
grant that we may use them to your glory,
for the relief of those in need and for our own wellbeing;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

The Liturgy of the Word

Readings

The first reading of the day is read.

At the end

Hear the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand.

Gospel Reading

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to *N*

We say: **Glory to you, O Lord**

At the end

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

We say: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

The Sermon

Affirmation of Faith

We stand to declare our faith.

Let us stand and declare our faith in God.

**We believe in God the father, from whom every family
in heaven and on earth is named.**

**We believe in God the Son, who lives in our hearts through faith,
and fills us with his love.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,
who strengthens us with power from on high.**

We believe in one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Thanksgiving Prayers

We kneel if able to pray. This response may be used.

We bring our thanks, good Lord:
your mercy endures for ever.

At the end:

Source of all life and giver of all that is good,
hear the prayers of your church gathered here today,
and answer our prayers according to your will,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Hymn

The Liturgy of the Sacrament

The Offertory

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Prayer at the Preparation of the Table

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation; you bring forth bread from the earth. **Blessed be God for ever.**

Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation; You create the fruit of the vine. **Blessed be God for ever.**

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 President praises God for his mighty acts and we join in the words of the Sanctus and Benedictus:

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 President recalls the Last Supper.

Great is the mystery of faith:

We say: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again

The prayer continues and at the end we all respond boldly

Amen.

SILENCE is kept – and we kneel to pray if able.

The Lord's Prayer

Trusting in the compassion of God, let us pray with confidence as
Jesus taught us: **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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever and
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.**

Agnus Dei

Jesus Lamb of God have mercy on us.
Jesus bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.
Jesus redeemer of the world, grant us peace.

Giving of Communion

Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those who are called to his supper.
Lord I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word and I shall be healed.

The priest receives the bread and wine on our behalf saying as they are consumed:

The body of Christ. **Amen.**

The blood of Christ. **Amen.**

Prayer after Communion

The President says the Post Communion prayer for Harvest to which we all respond: Amen.

**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.**

Sending Out

Notices may be given here.

Hymn

The Blessing & Dismissal

God the father, who created the world,
give you grace to be wise stewards of his creation. **Amen.**

God the Son, who redeemed the world,
inspire you to go out as labourers into his harvest. **Amen.**

God the Holy Spirit, whose breath fills the whole of creation,
help you to bear the fruits of love, joy and peace. **Amen.**

And the blessing of God almighty..... **Amen.**

Freely you have received, now freely give.
Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
In the name of Christ. Amen.

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