

Call to Worship

Leader: Let us join our hearts and voices in praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God.

People: Praise be to God.

Leader: Let us open our minds that we might understand the difficult sayings of Jesus.

People: Lord, help us to understand.

Leader: Come, let us worship together as we draw near to God, the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Prayer Of Confession :

O God, we know that we should remain faithful to your will, but there are times when it seems this will require a cost we are not prepared to pay.

Help us, we pray, to understand what a total commitment means, and why it is so important in our lives and to your kingdom.

Amen.

I believe in God
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ
his only Son our Lord:
who was conceived by the
Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead,
and buried;

the third day he rose
from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand
of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to
judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

Glory Be to the Father

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Glory be to the Father
and to the Son
and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning,
is now and ever shall be,
world without end.
Amen. Amen.