

Call to Worship

Leader: Seek the Eternal One who may be found. Call upon God while the Spirit is near; forsake wicked ways, and unrighteous thoughts; return to the Eternal One, who will have mercy on you, and to our God, who will abundantly pardon.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, how exalted are your ways!

Holy Savior, how sinless is your life!

Holy Spirit, how pure is your nature!

Whatever progress we have made along the road of righteousness, we are far behind the advance of your Son Jesus.

Continue to call us back when we go off on a tangent and recall us to the upward way for we would more nearly follow Jesus Christ. 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.