



MASS

for you at home



Every Sunday



A Prayer before Mass

Lord, I would like so much to be at church this morning with my Parish community. It is good to pray and receive communion together because we are your family, but they are at Church and I am here.
You know, Lord, why this is so.

Help me through this television Mass to be united with you and with all Christians who are worshipping you today.

Help us all, whether at Church or sharing this television Mass,
To listen carefully as you speak to us through Bible readings; help us to speak sincerely to you through the prayers; help us all to gather as closely as we can around our Father's table.

I ask this in the name of Jesus whose life, death and resurrection we are about to renew.

AMEN

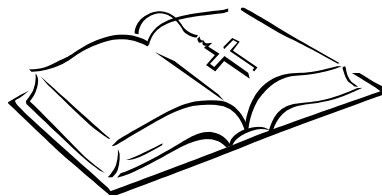


Penitential Rite

I confess to almighty God and to you,
my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and in what I have failed to do.

Through my fault, through my fault,
through my most grievous fault.

Therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.



Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you,
we bless you,
we adore you,
we glorify you,

we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

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



Profession of Faith

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
He came down from heaven,
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
He suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
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.
I 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 adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess on Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come.

AMEN



Invitation to Prayer

May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands
for the praise and glory of his name,
for our good and the good of all his holy Church.



Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy God of hosts,
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.



Acclamation

We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection
until you come again.



Lord's Prayer

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 the kingdom, the power, and the glory
are yours, now and forever.



Lamb of God

Lamb of God,
you take away the sins of the world;
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God,
you take away the sins of the world;
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God,
you take away the sins of the world;
grant us peace.



Communion



Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof,
But only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

A Prayer during Communion

Jesus,
I thank you that I am joined with others
in a community of love.
I believe your promise that I am never alone;
that you are always with me.

Together with others who participate
In Mass for you at home, who like myself
are not able to celebrate today
with their parish community
I know that I belong to the communion
of God's people,
the Body of Christ.

In unity with the whole church
I celebrate your loving presence in my life.

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A Prayer after Mass

Lord Jesus, help me stay with you all through today.

Give me today something of the wisdom
that was in your words;
something of the love that was in your heart;
something of the help that came from your hands.

Give me today
something of your patience with people;
something of your ability to bear slights
and pain and loneliness without
bitterness and resentment;
something for your ability always to forgive.

Help me to live in such a way today, that others
may know that I began the day with you,
so that, however dimly, others may see you in me.

This I ask for your love's sake.

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