

Morning Prayer

Officiator | Congregation

Rite One

Grace be unto you, and peace, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ. (Phil 1:2)

O send out thy light and thy truth, that they may lead me, and bring me unto thy holy hill, and to thy dwelling. (Ps 43:3)

Penitential Rite

Dearly beloved, we have come together in the presence of Almighty God our heavenly Father, to render thanks for the great benefits that we have received at his hands, to set forth his most worthy praise, to hear hiss holy Word, and to ask, for ourselves and on behalf of others, those things that are necessary for our life and our salvation. And so that we may prepare ourselves in heart and mind to worship him, let us kneel in silence, and with penitent and obedient heart confess our sins, that we may obtain forgiveness by his infinite goodness and mercy.

Almighty and most merciful Father,
we have erred and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep,
we have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts,
we have offended against thy holy laws,
we have left undone those things which we ought to have done,
and we have done those things which we ought not to have done.
But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us,
spare thou those who confess their faults,
restore thou those who are penitent,
according to thy promises declared unto mankind
in Christ Jesus our Lord;
and grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake,
that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of thy holy Name. Amen

May the Almighty and merciful Lord grant us absolution and remission of all our sins, true repentance, amendment of life, and the grace and consolation of his Holy Spirit. *Amen*.

The Invitatory and Psalter

O Lord, open thou our lips.

And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

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

Sing: Caverns

Readings: Psalm

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Readings: Lesson and Gospel

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sing: Song of The Three Young Men

Let us recite the creed of our faith. Christian, what do you believe?

The Apostles' Creed

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 Ghost,

born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, dead and buried.

He descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead,

He ascended into heaven,

and sitteth on 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 Ghost,

the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen

The Prayers

The Lord be with you *And with thy spirit.*Let us pray.

The 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 Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen

Suffrage B

O Lord, save thy people, and bless thine heritage;

Govern them and lift them up forever.

Day by day we magnify Thee;

And we worship thy Name ever, world without end.

Vouchsafe, O Lord, to keep us this day without sin;

O Lord, have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us.

O Lord, let thy mercy be upon us;

As our trust is in thee.

O Lord, in Thee have I trusted;

Let me never be confounded.

A Collect for Peace

O God, who art the author of peace and lover of concord, in knowledge of whom standeth our eternal life, whose service is perfect freedom: Defend us, thy humble servants, in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in thy defense, may not fear the power of any adversaries; through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*.

Lord Jesus Christ, who didst stretch out thine arms of love on the hard wood of the cross that everyone might come within the reach of thy saving embrace: So clothe us in thy Spirit that we, reaching forth our hands in love, may bring those who do not know thee to the knowledge and love of thee; for the honor of thy Name. *Amen*.

Sing: The Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise Him all creatures here below

Praise Him above ye heavenly host

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost

Amen

The General Thanksgiving

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,

we Thine unworthy servants do give thee most humble and hearty thanks

for all Thy goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all men.

We bless Thee for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life;

But above all for Thine inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ,

For the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.

And, we beseech Thee,

give us that due sense of all Thy mercies,

that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful; and that we show forth Thy praise

not only with our lips, but in our lives by giving up ourselves to Thy service,

and by walking before Thee in holiness and righteousness all our days;

through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with Thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen

A Prayer of Saint Francis

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.

Where there is hatred, let me sow love;

Where there is injury, pardon;

Where there is doubt, faith;

Where there is despair, hope;

Where there is darkness, light;

Where there is sadness, joy.

O, Divine Master,

grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console;

to be understood as to understand;

to be loved as to love;

For it is in giving that we receive;

It is in pardoning that we are pardoned;

It is in dying that we are born again to eternal life.

A Prayer of St. Chrysostom

Almighty God, who has given us grace at this time with on accord to make our common supplication unto thee, and hast promised through thy well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name thou wilt be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. *Amen*.

Sing

Let us bless the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace in believing through the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen (Romans 15:13)