

Recalling his death, proclaiming his resurrection
and looking for his coming in glory
we offer you Father, this bread and cup
Send your Holy Spirit upon and bless us so that
All who eat and drink at this table
May be one body and one holy people
In Christ and in the unity of the Holy Spirit

Amen

Communion

The gifts of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

Prayer after Communion

All your works praise you, O Lord.
Your servants bless you, Gracious God.
We thank you for feeding us
with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ.
May we, who share his body, live his risen life;
we, who drink this cup, bring life to others;
we, whom the Spirit lights, give light to the world.
Keep us firm in the hope you have set before us,
so that we and all your children shall be free,
and the whole earth live to praise your name,
through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Dismissal

Go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
Thanks be to God

Imago Dei

The Holy Eucharist

Adapted from the Modern Rite
(The Anglican Church of Canada)



Confession and Absolution

CELEBRANT: As friends in Christ, we are to remember that
God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy;
welcoming sinners and inviting us to this table.
Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Silence is kept.

CELEBRANT: Most merciful God,

PEOPLE: **We confess that we have sinned against you**
in thought, word and deed,
by what we have done and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us,
that we may delight in your will
and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name.
Amen.

May Almighty God, have mercy upon us,
pardon and deliver us from all our sins,
confirm and strengthen us in all goodness
and keep us in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The Peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you!

And also with you!

The community greets one another in the name of the Lord.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right that we should praise you, gracious God,
for you created all things. You formed us in your own image:
male and female you created us.

When we turned away from you in sin,
you did not cease to care for us,
but opened a path of salvation for all people.

You made a covenant with Israel,
and through your servants Abraham and Sarah,
gave the promise of a blessing to all nations.
Through Moses you led your people from bondage into freedom;
through the prophets, you renewed your promise of salvation.

Therefore, with them, and with all your saints
who have served you in every age,
we give thanks and raise our voices
to proclaim the glory of your name.

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!

Holy God, source of life and goodness,
all creation rightly gives you praise.
In the fullness of time,
you sent your Son Jesus Christ,
to share our human nature,
to live and die as one of us,
to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.
He healed the sick,
and ate and drank with outcast and sinners.
He opened the eyes of the blind
and proclaimed the good news of your kingdom
to the poor and to those in need.
In all things he fulfilled your gracious will.

Presentation of the bread

On the night he freely gave himself to death,
our Lord Jesus Christ took bread,
and when he had given thanks to you,
he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said:
“Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.”

Presentation of the wine

After supper, he took the cup of wine;
and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them and said:
“Drink this, all of you:
this is my blood of the new covenant,
which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.
Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me.”

Together let us proclaim the mystery of faith

Christ has died!

Christ is risen!

Christ will come again!