#### Presentation of the Bread and Wine

(the bread is lifted up)
Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world
Have mercy on us

(the wine is lifted up)
Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world
Have mercy on us

Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world **Grant us peace** 

Together, let us proclaim the mystery of our faith Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

(the bread and wine are taken)

### Following Communion

Let us pray for a productive faith O Lord, increase our faith that it may bear fruit in our lives. Let it bind us fast to other Christians.

Let us receive the Divine word that challenges us Lord help us strive wholeheartedly under the promptings of our faith to work in building a world ruled by love.

Help us walk steadfast towards the blessed future that you promise to all who possess a growing faith in you. Go in peace and confidence in the Lord Thanks be to God.

## Imago Dei



# **COMMUNION LITURGY**



CELEBRANT: We are invited to the supper of the Lamb. Let us approach this communion in the spirit of humility and confession and in the garments of forgiven lives. As we come together as God's family, let us, with confidence, ask for forgiveness, for the Lord is full of mercy and compassion

PEOPLE: Lord Jesus, you opened the eyes of the blind, healed the sick, forgave the sinful woman, and after Peter's denial, confirmed him in your love. Listen to my prayer, forgive all my sins, renew your love in my heart, help me to live in perfect unity with my fellow Christians, that I may proclaim your saving power to all the world.

(silence)

Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy Christ have mercy, Christ have mercy Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy

God, the giver of all mercies, through the death and resurrection of his Son has reconciled the world to himself and sent the Holy Spirit among us for the forgiveness of sins.

God gives us pardon and peace and absolves us from our sins.

Praise be to the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen** 

Glory to God in the highest **And peace to those on whom God's favour rests** 

As we prepare to partake in the Lord's Supper we recognize that we must be one with him and with all our brothers and sisters in the Church. Under one God we stand. Together, let us pray in confidence to the Father in the words our Saviour taught us.

#### Our Father who art in heaven...

The Lord be with you

And also with you

Lift up your hearts

We lift them up to the Lord

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

It is right to give thanks and praise to God

O God, it is right to give you thanks through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ. He is the Word through whom you made the universe the Saviour you sent to redeem us. By the power of the Holy Spirit he took flesh and was born of the Virgin Mary. For our sake he opened his arms on the cross; he put an end to death and revealed the resurrection. In this he fulfulled your will and made us to be a holy people and so we join the angels and the saints in proclaiming your glory as we say:

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

Lord you are holy indeed, the fountain of all holiness. Let your Spirit guide us now in rememberance of the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ

(silence)