

Greeting:

P-The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C- And also with you.

Order of Forgiveness:

P- In the name of the Father, and the Son and the Holy Spirit.

C- Amen

P- Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid; Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C-Amen

P- If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

C- We confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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 neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us, forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

Silence for reflection and self-examination

P- Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

C- Amen

P- The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C- And also with you.

P- In peace let us pray to the Lord.

C- Lord, have mercy.

P- For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

C- Lord, have mercy.

P- For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

C- Lord, have mercy.

P- For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise.

C- Lord, have mercy.

P- Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C- Amen

P- Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth

C- Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father: We worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God; You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. You are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer. 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

P- Let us pray...*Minister's prayer

C- Amen

Readings and Gospel

Sermon

P-Let us Publicly Proclaim Our Faith

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended to heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come to judge the living 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.

Communion

Body of Christ:

On the night he was betrayed, Jesus took bread, broke it, blessed it and gave it to his disciples and said, take and eat. This is my body given up for you.

Blood of Christ:

P- Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

P- Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours almighty Father, now and forever. Amen

P- Now let us pray together in the words our Savior taught us.

Lord's Prayer:

Our Father who art in Heaven, hallow 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, forever and ever. Amen

P- Deliver us, Lord, from every evil, and grant us peace in our day. In your mercy keep us free from sin and protect us from all anxiety as we wait in joyful hope for the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

C- Amen

C- Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace. Amen

P-This is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. Happy are those who are called to his supper.

C- Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Invitation to Communion:

P-The Lord's table is ready for you.

C- Amen

****Everyone joins at the Lord's Table for Holy Communion.***

Prayer after Communion:

Glory to the Father and the Son, and the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever. Amen

P- Pour out upon us the spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of those whom you have fed with one heavenly food; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C- Amen

Announcements: (Pastor goes over church news.)

Closing Prayer: (Pastor)

C- Amen

P- May almighty God bless you, in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen

Dismissal:

P- Go in peace and serve the Lord.

C- Thanks be to God.

**Recessional ending service.*