

The priest concludes the great thanksgiving. We all say: Amen (or)
Blessing and honour and glory and power be yours for ever and ever. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven...

We break this bread
to share in the body of Christ.
Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.

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.

Jesus is the Lamb of God
who takes away the sin of the world.
Blessed are those who are called
to his supper.
Lord, I am not worthy to receive you, but only say the word and I shall be healed.

People come forward to receive communion or a blessing.

HYMNS (may be sung)

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Following a sentence and prayer, we say:

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.

Notices may be given

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

BLESSING

HYMN

The Mass is ended. Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
In the name of Christ, Amen.

The intercessions may include:
Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

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CHURCH OF ST JOHN THE DIVINE, HORNINGLOW

Mass for HARVEST THANKSGIVING

THE GATHERING

HYMN

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**
Grace, mercy and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
And also with you.

Words of welcome and introduction

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: 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 Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

The priest invites the people to call to mind their sins...

Let us confess our forgetfulness of the needs of the poor, and repent of the ways in which we waste the resources of the world...

God has blessed us,
but still God's children go hungry.
Lord, have mercy; **Lord, have mercy;**

God has blessed us,
but still the poor cry out for justice.
Christ, have mercy;
Christ, have mercy;

God has blessed us,
but still we see inequality and oppression in the earth.
Lord, have mercy; **Lord, have mercy.**

ABSOLUTION

May the God of love bring you back to himself, forgive you your sins, and assure you of his eternal love in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

GLORIA

***Glory to God, Glory to God,
Glory to God in the highest.
Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.***

***Glory to God, Glory to God,
Glory to God in the highest.
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.

*Glory to God, Glory to God,
Glory to God in the highest.
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.
Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to
God in the highest.*

COLLECT (prayer for today)

Almighty God, you have created the
heavens and the earth and made us
in your own image:
teach us to discern your hand in all
your works and your likeness in all
your children; through Jesus Christ
your Son our Lord, who with you and
the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over
all things, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

OLD TESTAMENT READING

NEW TESTAMENT READING

A response may be said:

This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

HYMN (or a Psalm)

Alleluia, alleluia...
God has spoken to us through his
Son, through whom he created
all things. **Alleluia.**

The Lord be with you
And also with you.

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus
Christ according to...
Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL READING

This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**We believe in God the Father,
from whom every family in heaven
and on earth is named.**

**We believe in God the Son,
who lives in our hearts through
faith, and fills us with his love.**

**We believe in God the Holy Spirit,
who strengthens us with power
from on high.**

**We believe in one God;
Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Responses may be used:

Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer; *or*

Lord, hear us;
Lord, graciously hear us.

After the departed are named:
Rest eternal grant unto them,
O Lord;

**And let light perpetual
shine upon them.**

May they rest in peace,
And rise in glory. Amen

*The Hail Mary may be used (see back
page)*

The prayers may end:
Merciful Father... **Accept these
prayers for the sake of your Son,
our Saviour Jesus Christ, Amen.**

THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT

THE PEACE

You shall go out in joy and be led
back into peace; the mountains and
the hills before you shall burst into
song, and all the trees of the field
shall clap their hands.

The peace of the Lord
be always with you.
And also with you.

*We exchange sign of peace with our
neighbour(s)*

HYMN (the gifts of bread and wine
are brought to the altar)

Pray, my friends, that our sacrifice
may be acceptable to God the
almighty Father.

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

A prayer is said over the gifts

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

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 thanks and praise.

*The priest thanks God
for his saving work...*

*After 'praising you and saying'
or 'to sing your praise', we sing/say:*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power
and might, heaven and earth are
full of your glory, Hosanna,
Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Hosanna,
Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest.**

*The priest says the thanksgiving
prayer over the bread and the wine.
Then:*

Great is the mystery of faith.
**Christ has died:
Christ is risen:
Christ will come again.**