The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

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.

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.

All come forward to the altar to receive communion or a blessing. A hymn will be sung (see hymn board)

Post Communion Prayer

Lord, we have broken your bread and received your life. By the power of your Spirit, keep us always in your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Speaker

Hymn

Blessing

The Peace

God has called us to live in peace The peace of the Lord be always with you.
followed by: Prayers of Penitence

Human sin disfigures the whole creation, which groans with eager longing for God’s redemption.

We confess our sin in penitence and faith.

All keep silence
Lord Jesus you came into the world to save sinners. Lord have mercy.

Lord have mercy
Our sin has brought sorrow and hurt to you. Christ have mercy.

Christ have mercy
Forgive what we have been, amend what we are, and direct what we shall be. Lord have mercy.

Lord have mercy.

Absolution.

May the Almighty God grant you healing and release that you may delight in his will and walk in his way, though Jesus Christ our Lord.

Hymn
(during which a collection will be taken)

These words are said over the collection.
God of all goodness and grace, receive the gifts we offer; and grant that our whole life may give you glory and praise; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

You are welcome to sit or kneel or stand for the following prayer.
The Lord is here.

His Spirit is with us.
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.

It is right to praise you, Father, Lord of all creation; in your love you made us for yourself. When we turned away you did not reject us, but came to meet us in your Son. You embraced us as your children and welcomed us to sit & eat with you.

In Christ you shared our life that we might live in him and he in us.

He opened his arms of love upon the cross and made for all the perfect sacrifice for sin.

On the night he was betrayed, at supper with his friends he took bread, and gave you thanks; he broke it and gave it to them, saying: Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me. Father, we do this in remembrance of him:

his body is the bread of life.

At the end of supper, taking the cup of wine, he gave you thanks, and said: Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, do this in remembrance of me. Father, we do this in remembrance of him:

his blood is shed for all.

As we proclaim his death and celebrate his rising in glory, send your Holy Spirit that this bread and this wine may be to us the body and blood of your dear Son. As we eat and drink these holy gifts make us one in Christ, our risen Lord.

With your whole Church throughout the world, we offer you this sacrifice of praise and lift our voice to join the eternal song of heaven:

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