

Call to Worship

Leader: Lord, your eternal word was made flesh and dwelt among us. You did not come among us as an emperor's son, but as a refugee whose family sought shelter in Egypt. We stand with you on the side of those who seek shelter and asylum, and with those who desire rest and refuge.

Prayer Of Confession:

Heavenly Father, with all wisdom and insight you have made known your will through the glory of your Son, Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh, and your Spirit, who lives and moves and works among us.

Hear us as we cry to you, confessing our sins and accepting your forgiveness. Come Lord Jesus, soon and very soon.

Amen.

I believe in God
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ
his only Son our Lord:
who was conceived by the
Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead,
and buried;

the third day he rose
from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand
of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to
judge the quick 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.

Glory Be to the Father

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Glory be to the Father
and to the Son
and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning,
is now and ever shall be,
world without end.
Amen. Amen.