



The Prayer of Preparation

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you 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 Christ our Lord. Amen.

Collect of the Week

Gloria In Excelsis

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.
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.

The Apostles' Creed

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 Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again 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.

Q: What are the Two Big Rules?

A: Love God, Love Others

- Q: Great is the Mystery of Faith
 A: Christ has died, Christ is Risen, Christ will come again
- Q: What should you do when someone disagrees with you / believe something you don't believe?
 A: Listen to them, see it from their perspective, consider if you need to change your mind. [AKA, Stay Curious](#)
- Q: What are the major sacraments of the Church?
 A: Baptism and Communion
- Q: What are the minor sacraments of the Church?
 A: confirmation, penance (also called confession), anointing of the sick, marriage and holy orders
- Q: What are the three creeds of the Church?
 A: Apostles, Nicene, and Athanasius
- Q: How many articles are there?
 A: There are 39 Articles of Religion
- Q: What are the 7 Christian virtues?
 A: Faith, Hope, Love, Fortitude (never giving up), Justice (being fair and equitable), Prudence (wisdom) Temperance (Self control / moderation).
- Q: What are the 7 Vices?
 A: pride, greed, lust, envy, gluttony, anger, and sloth.
- Q: What are the three pillars the faith of the Church is built on?
 A: Scripture, Tradition, and Reason (In this order)

10 Commandments (Exodus 20:1-17)

1. You shall have no other gods before me. *(Love God)*
2. You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain. *(Love God)*
3. You shall make no idols. *(Love God)*
4. Remember to keep holy the Sabbath day. *(Love God)*
5. Honor your father and your mother. *(Love others)*
6. You shall not kill. *(Love others)*
7. You shall not commit adultery. *(Love others)*
8. You shall not steal. *(Love others)*
9. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. *(Love others)*
10. You shall not covet *(Love others)*

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed 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 glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Prayer To Begin A New Day

Almighty God, you have brought us in safety to this new day: Preserve us with your mighty power, that we may not fall into sin, nor be overcome by adversity, and in all we do, direct us to the fulfilling of your purpose; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.