An Order for Morning Prayer – Common Worship

Preparation and Greeting

May the grace, mercy and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you

All and also with you.

This is the day that the Lord has made.

All Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

We have come together in the name of Christ to offer our praise and thanksgiving, to hear and receive God's holy word, to pray for the needs of the world, and to seek the forgiveness of our sins, that by the power of the Holy Spirit we may give ourselves to the service of God.

Lord Jesus Christ, we confess we have failed you as did your disciples. We ask for your mercy and your help.

A short time of silence is kept.

Let us pray together

All Lord God, we have sinned against you; we have done evil in your sight. We are sorry and repent. Have mercy on us according to your love. Wash away our wrongdoing and cleanse us from

our sin. Renew a right spirit within us and restore us to the joy of your salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

May the Father of all mercies cleanse you from your sins, and restore you in his image to the praise and glory of his name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All Amen.

Blessed is the Lord,

All for he has heard the voice of our prayer;

therefore shall our hearts dance for joy and in our song will we praise our God.

As we rejoice in the gift of this new day, so may the light of your presence, O God, set our hearts on fire with love for you; now and for ever.

All Amen.

The Liturgy of the Word

The Old Testament is read.

The reader may end with:

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

The Psalm

The appointed psalm is said, ending with:

All Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now and shall be for ever. Amen.

The New Testament may be read

The reader may end with:

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Gospel Reading

When the Gospel is announced the reader says:

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. N.

All Glory be to you O Lord

At the end the reader says:

This is the Gospel of the Lord

All Praise to you O Christ.

a sermon may be preached

The Creed

We affirm our faith in the words of the Creed:

All I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe 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, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and 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.

Prayers of intercession are offered

Let us pray, in thanksgiving, for God's faithfulness to be known in our world.

Lord, in your mercy (or) Lord, hear us.

All hear our prayer.

All Lord, graciously hear us.

The Collect for the day

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us

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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, the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

The Conclusion

May the Lord bless us, and preserve us from all evil, and keep us in eternal life.

All Amen.

Let us bless the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.