

# THE ORDER OF THE MASS

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## Introductory Rites

- Entrance
- Greeting
- Penitential Act
- Glory to God
- Collect

## Liturgy of the Word

- First Reading
- Responsorial Psalm
- Second Reading (on Sundays and solemnities)
- Gospel Acclamation
- Gospel
- Homily
- Profession of Faith (on Sundays, solemnities, and special occasions)
- Universal Prayer

## Liturgy of the Eucharist

- Presentation of the Gifts and Preparation of the Altar
- Prayer over the Offerings
- Eucharistic Prayer
  - Preface
  - Holy, Holy, Holy
  - First half of prayer, including Consecration
  - Mystery of Faith
  - Second half of prayer, ending with Doxology
- The Lord's Prayer
- Sign of Peace
- Lamb of God
- Communion
- Prayer after Communion

## Concluding Rites

- Optional announcements
- Greeting and Blessing
- Dismissal