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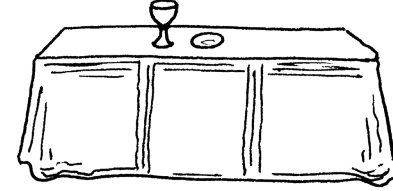
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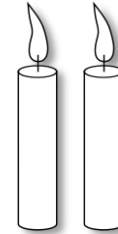
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Flowers



Altar



Sacramentary



Candles

PREPARING FOR A SPECIAL MEAL

Directions: Below is a picture of an Altar—almost like the one at Saint Raphael! Just like getting ready for a special meal at home, we get ready to celebrate the Eucharist at church. Color in the image below and on the next page, match the image to the correct word.



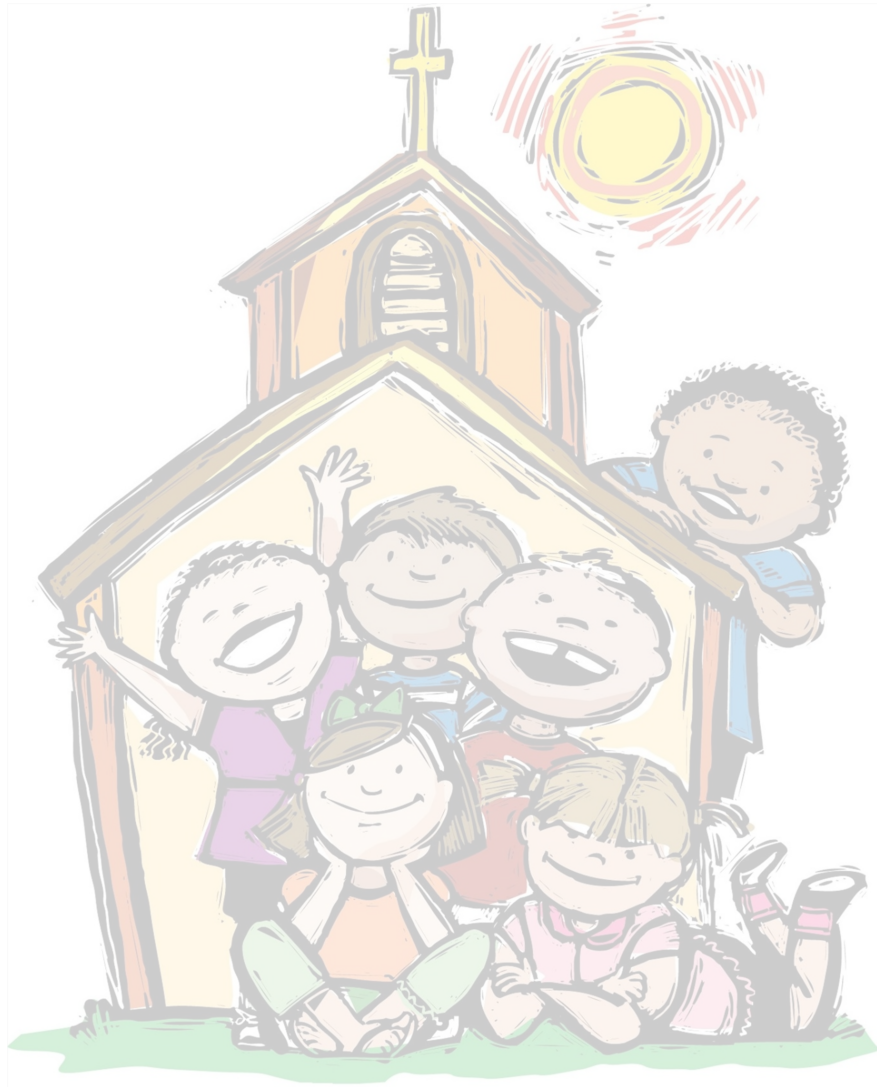
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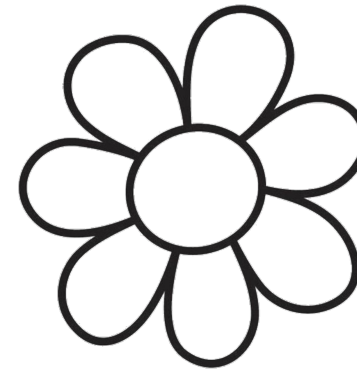
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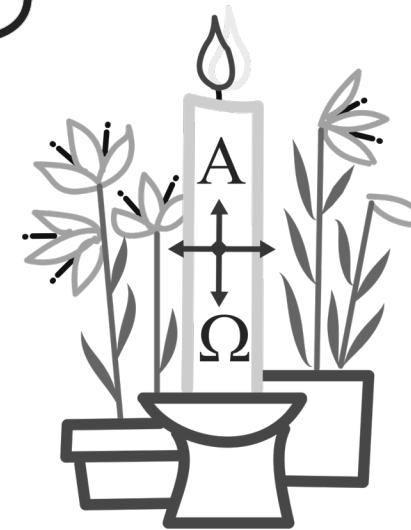
Advent Wreath: Purple



Nativity: White



Flower: Green



Paschal Candle: White



Dove: Red



Praying Hands: Purple

COLORS & SYMBOLS OF THE LITURGICAL YEAR

Directions: Below are the seasons of the church year. Each season has a different color, which helps us to know what season we are in. On the next page, there are different symbols of each season. Color in the symbols with the correct color of the season.

Advent

The Advent season is a time of preparation. The color of the Advent season is Purple/Violet.

Christmas

The Christmas season is a time of celebration and joy! The color of the Christmas season is White.

Lent

The Lenten season is a time of prayer. The color of the Lenten season is purple.

Easter

Easter is the most important season! The color of the Easter season is White.

Pentecost

Pentecost is when we remember the coming of the Holy Spirit. The color of Pentecost is Red.

Ordinary Time

Ordinary Time is a time of growing. The color of this season is Green

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Letter to Families

Dear Families,

Each week we come together as a faith community. We listen together, pray together and share in a meal together. When we listen to the Word of God, we remember the good that God has done for us. When we share in the meal, in the body and blood of Jesus, we are called individually and as a community to become what we have received.

We are called to become the body of Christ. And so we are sent forth from the Mass to go out into the world—into our homes, our neighborhoods, our schools and our communities to share God’s love with one another.

Our hope is that this booklet will be a helpful resource for children and families and will be used as a way for children to learn about the Mass, the different parts of the Mass and prayers we pray during the Mass!



ABOUT MY PARISH:

Directions: Trace along the dotted lines and learn more about these words by visiting the kids bulletin page on our parish website!

My family and I belong to:

Saint Raphael Parish

in Manchester, New Hampshire!

Father Anselm, OSB

Is our Pastor, and he teaches us about our

Catholic faith

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION & CONCLUDING RITE

Blessing:

Fr. Anselm: The Lord be with you.

I Say: And with your spirit.

Fr. Anselm: May Almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

I Say: Amen.

Dismissal:

Fr. Anselm: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

I Say: Thanks be to God.

Closing hymn

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.

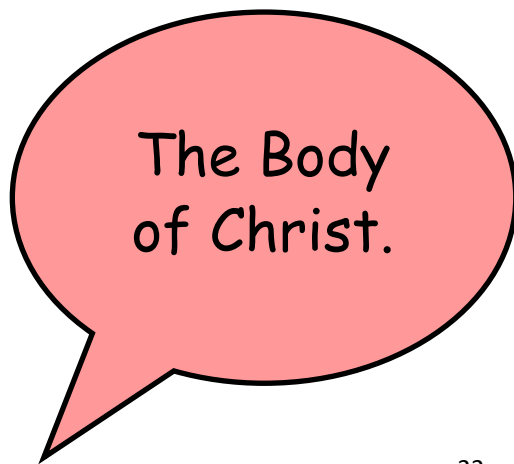
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
grant us peace.

Holy Communion

Fr. Anselm says a prayer

I Say: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.



When I walk into church, I genuflect
before entering the pew. Then I kneel
and say a prayer to God.

The Mass begins with everyone standing
and singing a special song called a: hymn

The celebrant and other ministers enter in
procession

They reverence the altar with a bow or a kiss.
And when the entrance hymn has ended,
we sign ourselves by making the

Sign of the Cross

MUSIC IN OUR CHURCH

Directions: During the Mass, our Choir, directed by Lyle Hamel, sings many different songs. Listen carefully to the hymns that are sung. Write the names of the songs that are sung in church.



Opening Hymn: _____

Psalm: _____

Gospel Acclamation: _____

Offertory Hymn: _____

Communion Hymn: _____

Reflection Hymn: _____

Closing Hymn: _____

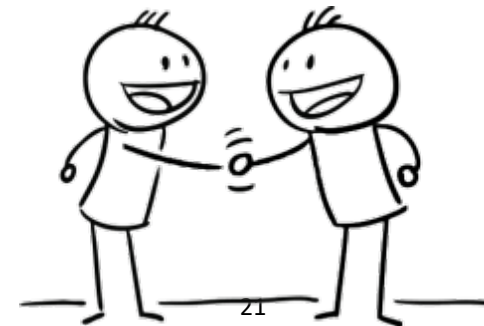
Sign of Peace

Fr. Anselm: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

I Say: And with your spirit.

We get ready to receive Jesus and share a sign of peace with those who are standing around us. We say, "Peace be with you," to one another.

PEACE
be with you



Memorial Acclamation

Fr. Anselm: The mystery of faith.

I Say: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Great Amen

Fr. Anselm: Through him, with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory is yours, Almighty Father, for ever and ever.

I Say: Amen.

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 the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

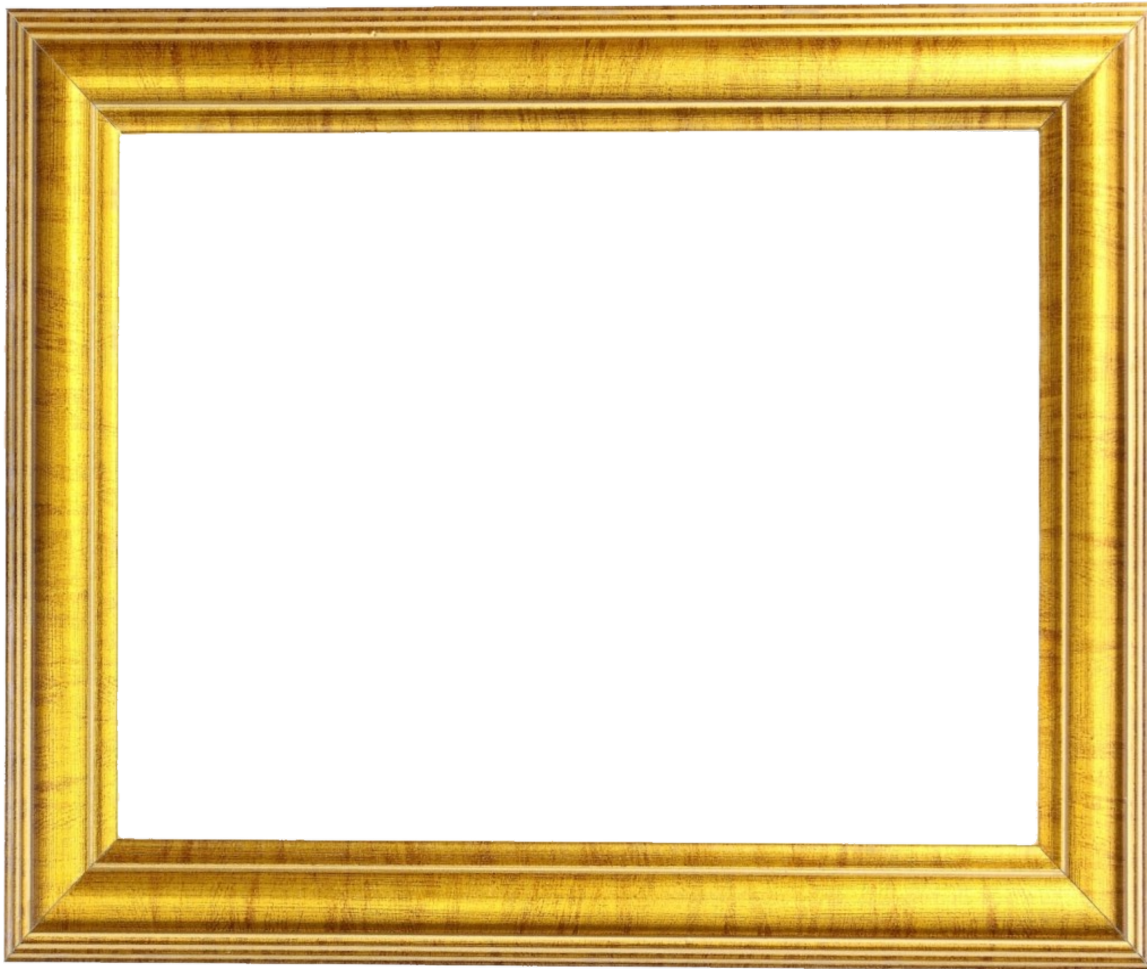
OUR FATHER

Directions: Color in the picture of the choir below.



ENTRANCE PROCESSION

At Saint Raphael church, we begin Mass with a procession that is like a parade of people who help Father Anselm celebrate the liturgy. The **Liturgy** means “public work,” or service, done in the name of the people. Draw a picture of Father Anselm at the doors of the church and on the next page, color in the picture of altar servers.



EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

Fr. Anselm: The Lord be with you.
I Say: And with your spirit.

Fr. Anselm: Lift up your hearts.
I Say: We lift them up to the Lord.

Fr. Anselm: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
I Say: It is right and just.

Holy Holy Holy

Holy, holy, holy, Lord, God of power and might. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Holy, Holy, Holy

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Altar and Gifts:

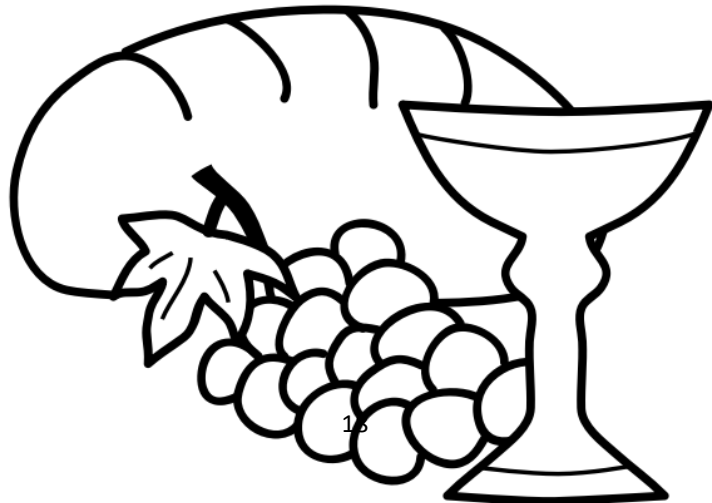
The priest prepares the altar and the people bring up the gifts of bread and wine to the priest. The priest prepares the gifts and says a special prayer.

I Say: Blessed be God.

Fr. Anselm: Pray my brothers and sisters that this our sacrifice may be pleasing to God, the almighty Father.

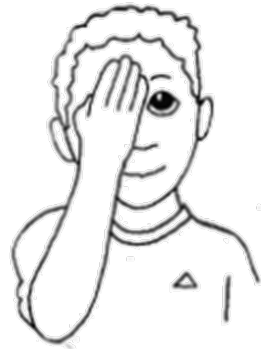
I Say: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

Directions: Color in the gifts of bread and wine.

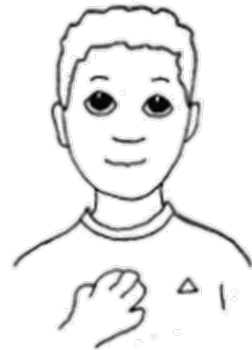


THE SIGN OF THE CROSS

Directions: Practice making the Sign of the Cross.



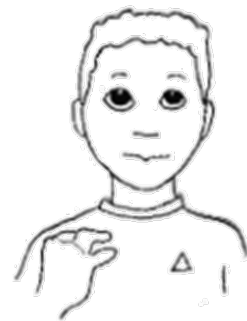
1. In the name of the Father,



2. and of the Son,



3. and of the Holy



4. Spirit.



5. Amen.

ACTIVITY TIME!

Directions: Match the image to the correct word by drawing a line to show their connection



Lector



Ambo



Priest



Lectionary

LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Cantor: The Cantor will sing the Gospel Acclamation and I will repeat it.

THE GOSPEL

Priest: The Lord be with you.

I Say: And with your spirit.

Priest: A reading from the Gospel of _____

I Say: Glory to you, O Lord.

After the Gospel reading ...

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

I Say: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

THE HOMILY

Priest: The Priest will offer a homily—a reflection about the readings we just heard!

Directions: Color the image →



INTRODUCTORY RITES

Sign of the Cross:

Fr. Anselm: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

The Greeting:

Fr. Anselm: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

The Penitential Act:

All: I confess to almighty God and to you my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.
Amen.



GLORIA

Directions: Fill in the blanks with words from the word bank below.

Glory to God in the highest and on earth _____ to people of good will. We _____ you, we _____, you, we _____ you, we _____ you, we give you _____ for your great glory, Lord God, Heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, only begotten _____, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father. You take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us;

You take away the sin of the _____, receive our _____; You are seated at the _____ hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One,; You alone are the Lord. You alone are the most high, Jesus Christ, with the _____ _____, in the glory of God, the Father. Amen.

Word Bank:

Holy adore peace praise glorify
thanks bless Son world
prayer right¹⁴ Spirit

OPENING PRAYER

Fr. Anselm will say the opening prayer while we pray in silence and listen to what he says.

Fr. Anselm: Let us pray ...

People: Amen.

Following the Opening Prayer, everyone sits to listen to the first reading from the Old Testament.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE FIRST READING

Lector: *The Word of the Lord.*

I Say: Thanks be to God.

PSALM

Cantor: The Cantor will sing a Psalm and I will repeat it.

THE SECOND READING

Lector: *The Word of the Lord.* 15