

WORLDWIDE CHILDREN'S EUCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR

COMPLETE VERSION ORDER OF SERVICE

INTRODUCTION

- Welcome
- Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Francisco and Blessed Jacinta
- Processional Hymn: *Hail Holy Queen*

PROCESSION OF STATUE OF OUR LADY

- * Petitions and lighting of candle
 - Crowning of Our Lady's statue
 - Crowning Hymn: *We Are the Children of the World*
 - Welcome and Introduction by Bishop or Pastor

The Bishop or Priest begins with the Sign of the Cross and greets all present:

Bishop: In the name of the Father, ...

All: Amen

Bishop: Peace be with you!

He may explain the meaning of the event before praying the Opening Prayer.

OPENING PRAYER

Bishop: Let us pray:

Lord, Jesus Christ,
We worship you living among us in the Sacrament of Your Body and Blood.
May we offer to our Father in heaven a solemn pledge of undivided love.
May we offer to our brothers and sister a life poured out in loving service of that kingdom, where you live with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All: Amen

QUESTION AND ANSWER TIME

BISHOP OR PASTOR RECEIVES QUESTIONS FROM CHILDREN

PATTERNED AFTER POPE BENEDICT XVI MEETING WITH THE CHILDREN OF ROME ON ~ OCTOBER 15 - 2005

EXPOSITION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

- Eucharistic Hymn: *O Salutaris Hostia*
- Prayers as taught by the Angel of Peace
- TWO MINUTES OF SILENCE
- Entrustment Prayer to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

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BENEDICTION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

- Eucharistic Hymn: *Tantum Ergo*
- Benediction
- The Divine Praises
- Closing remarks by Bishop/Pastor
- Recessional Hymn: *Holy God We Praise Thy Name*

+The Moderator greets those gathered and invites them to join in the prayer:

Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Francisco and Blessed Jacinta

All: Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, I adore Thee profoundly with all the powers of my soul, and I thank Thee for the apparition of the most Holy Virgin in Fatima, which has made manifest to the world the treasures of her? Immaculate Heart. By the infinite merits of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and through the intercession of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I implore Thee—if it should be for Thy greater glory and the good of our souls—to glorify in the sight of Thy Holy Church, Francisco and Jacinta, the shepherds of Fatima, granting us through their intercession the grace which we implore. Amen.

The Bishop or Priest processes into church with other participants in the Holy Hour:

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Hail, Holy Queen

Hail, Holy Queen enthroned above, O Maria!
Hail, Mother of mercy and of love, O Maria!

Refrain:

Triumph all ye Cherubim! Sing with us ye Seraphim!
Heaven and earth resound the hymn!
Salve, salve, salve, Regina!

Our life, our sweetness here below, O Maria!
Our hope in sorrow and in woe, O Maria! (Refrain)

When this exile is complete, O Maria!
Show us thy Son, our Jesus sweet, O Maria! (Refrain)

* PETITIONS AND LIGHTING OF THE CANDLE

The candle lighting and prayers are offered at Mary's statue.

In honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, we, the children of the world, light our candle of unity, and place our petitions before your image as we pray:

COME HOLY SPIRIT, Come by means of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, your dearly beloved spouse.

COME HOLY SPIRIT, Unite and heal all the families of the world.

COME HOLY SPIRIT, and pour out your Holy Spirit upon all the children of the world.

CROWNING OF OUR LADY'S STATUE

"Heavenly Father, to You we offer praise and thanksgiving because what You have kept hidden from the proud and learned You have revealed to the merest of children. Thank You, Father, for You have graciously willed it so." Luke 10:21

CROWNING HYMN

"We Are The Children of the World – Answering His Call

O Lord, prepare my soul to breathe Your breath,
come Holy Spirit; You are my joy; You are my strength,
my Bread of Life, Holy Eucharist.

CHORUS

*We are the children of the world, answering Your call!
You are the Savior of the world, Jesus in the Eucharist,
I love You!*

Hail Mary full of grace, Blessed is the fruit of your womb,
Jesus; He bled and died that I might live; Blessed is the fruit of
your womb, Jesus; Forever present in the Eucharist, O Most
Blessed Sacrament, O Most Blessed Sacrament. *CHORUS*

“Let the children come unto Me,” He said, “Let the children come...” (Sing Hosanna!) *repeat then CHORUS*

Dearest Lord we pray, bless our families with Your peace and love; You tell us, “Do not be afraid”; Bless all people with Your peace and love; The peace of Christ throughout the world, through the Blessed Sacrament, O Most Blessed Sacrament.
CHORUS

EXPOSITION AND ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

Opening Hymn – O Salutaris

O SALUTARIS Hostia,
Quae coeli pandis ostium:
Bella premunt hostilia,
Da robur, fer auxilium.

Uni trinoque Domino
Sit sempiterna resid,
Qui vitam sine termino
Nobis donet in patria.
Amen

O Saving Victim, open wide
The gate of heaven to man below!
Our foes press on from every side;
Thine aid supply, Thy strength bestow.

To Thy great Name be endless praise. Immortal Godhead, One in Three!
O grant us endless length of days.
In our true native land with Thee.
Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE ANGEL OF PEACE

O Most Holy Trinity, I adore Thee. My God, my God, I love You in the Most Blessed Sacrament!” (Three times)

My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love You,
and I beg pardon for those who do not believe, do not adore,
do not hope, and do not love You. (Three times)

O most Holy Trinity, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, I adore You profoundly. I offer You the most precious Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Jesus Christ, present in all the tabernacles of

the world, in reparation for all the outrages, sacrileges, and indifference by which He is offended. Through the infinite merits of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I beg the conversion of poor sinners.

***Bishop:* Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.**

***ALL:* That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.**

Queen of Families, pray for us.

Queen of Peace, pray for us.

CHILDREN'S ENTRUSTMENT PRAYER TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

“O Virgin Mary, My Mother, I give to your Immaculate Heart, my body and my soul, my thoughts and my actions. I want to be just what you want me to be, and do just what you want me to do. I am not afraid because you are always with me. Help me to love your Son, Jesus, with all my heart and above all things. Take my hand in yours so I can always be with you.”

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BENEDICTION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

At the conclusion of the Holy Hour, Tantum Ergo is sung as the Blessed Sacrament is incensed.

Tantum Ergo

Tantum ergo Sacramentum
Veneremur cernui:
Et antiquum documentum
Novo cedat ritui:
Praestet fides supplementum
Sensuum defectui.

Genitori, Genitoque
Laus et residen,

Salus, honor, virtus quoque
Sit et residenn:
Procedenti ab utroque
Compar sit residen.
Amen.

Down in adoration falling,
This great Sacrament we hail;
Over ancient forms of worship
Newer rites of grace prevail;
Faith will tell us Christ is present,
When our human senses fail.

To the everlasting Father,
And the Son who made us free,
And the Spirit, God proceeding
From them Each eternally,
Be salvation, honor, blessing,
Might and endless majesty.

Bishop or Pastor: You have given them Bread from Heaven

All: Having all sweetness within it

Bishop: Let us pray

Lord Jesus Christ, you gave us the Eucharist as the memorial of Your suffering and death. May our worship of the Sacrament of Your Body and Blood help us to experience the salvation You won for us and the peace of the kingdom where You live with the Father and Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

All: Amen

BLESSING OF THE CHILDREN WITH THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

The Divine Praises

Bishop leads each acclamation, all repeat.

Blessed be God.

Blessed be His Holy Name.

Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true man.

Blessed be the name of Jesus.
Blessed be His Most Sacred Heart.
Blessed be His most precious Blood.
Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar.
Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.
Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most holy.
Blessed be her holy and Immaculate Conception.
Blessed be her glorious Assumption.
Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.
Blessed be Saint Joseph, her most chaste spouse.
Blessed be God in His angels and in His Saints.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Holy God We Praise Thy Name

Holy God we praise Thy name; Lord of all we bow before Thee;
All on earth Thy scepter claim; All in heaven above adore Thee.
Infinite Thy vast domain, Everlasting is Thy reign!
Infinite Thy vast domain, Everlasting is Thy reign!

Hark, the loud celestial hymn; Angel choirs above are rising;
Cherubim and Seraphim, In unceasing chorus praising,
Fill the heavens with sweet accord: Holy, holy, holy, Lord!
Fill the heavens with sweet accord: Holy, holy, holy, Lord!

Holy Father, Holy Son, and Holy Spirit: three we name Thee,
Though in essence only one; Undivided God we claim Thee,
And adoring bend the knee while we own the mystery.
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