

Family Service Father's Day

Opening Song

**Thank you, Lord, for this new day,
Thank you, Lord, for this new day,
Thank you, Lord, for this new day,
Right where we are.**

***Alleluia, praise the Lord,
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Right where we are.***

Thank you, Lord, for food to eat....

Alleluia, praise the Lord....

Thank you, Lord, for clothes to wear....

Alleluia, praise the Lord,

Thank you, Lord, for all your gifts....

Introduction & Welcome

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit

Amen

The Lord be with you

And also with you.

We say 'sorry to God'

Hear the words of the angel to Joseph:

'You shall call his name Jesus,
for he will save his people from their sins.'
Therefore let us seek the forgiveness of God,
through Jesus the Saviour of the world.

Lord, you are gracious and compassionate:

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

You are loving to all,
and your mercy is over all your creation:
Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Your faithful servants bless your name
and speak of the glory of your kingdom:
Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

May God, who loved the world so much that he sent
his Son to be our Saviour, forgive us our sins and make
us holy to serve him in the world, through Jesus Christ
our Lord

Amen

The Prayer of the Day

God our Father,
who from the family of your servant David
raised up Joseph the carpenter
to be the guardian of your incarnate Son
and husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary:
give us grace to follow him
in faithful obedience to your commands;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Amen

The Reading from the Gospel

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ accord to
Luke (2:41-51)

Glory to you, O Lord

At the end of the reading:

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, O Christ

The Talk and Activity

Song

**Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning
Give me oil in my lamp, I pray
Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning
Keep me burning 'til the break of day**

***Sing hosanna, sing hosanna
Sing hosanna to the King of Kings
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna
Sing hosanna to the King of Kings***

**Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising
Give me joy in my heart, I pray
Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising
Keep me praising 'til the break of day**

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna

**Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting
Give me peace in my heart, I pray
Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting
Keep me resting 'til the break of day**

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna

**Give me love in my heart, keep me serving
Give me love in my heart, I pray
Give me love in my heart, keep me serving
Keep me serving 'til the break of day**

The Creed

We believe in God the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named.

We believe in God the Son, who lives in our hearts through faith, and fills us with his love.

We believe in God the Holy Spirit, who strengthens us with power from on high. We believe in one God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen

Prayers

Brief prayer for the Church, the World, our Community, the Sick & the Dead

The Lord's Prayer

Jesus taught us to call God our Father and so we have the confidence to 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, the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen**

The Peace

Blessed are the peacemakers:
they shall be called children of God.
We meet in the name of Christ and share his peace.

The peace of the Lord be always with you
And also with you

Let us offer one another a sign of peace

The Blessing

The Lord be with you
And also with you

May the love of the Holy Family surround you.
May the joy that was Mary's refresh you.
May the faithfulness that was Joseph's encourage you.
May the peace of the Christ-child fill your lives.
And the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.
Amen

Notices & Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord
In the name of Christ. Amen

Concluding Song

**One more step along the world I go.
One more step along the world I go.
From the old things to the new
keep me traveling along with you.
And it's from the old I travel to the new.
Keep me traveling along with you.**

**Round the corners of the world I turn.
More and more about the world I learn.
All the new things that I see
you'll be looking at along with me.
And it's from the old I travel to the new.
Keep me traveling along with you.**

**As I travel through the bad and good
keep me traveling the way I should.
Where I see no way to go,
you'll be telling me the way, I know.
And it's from the old I travel to the new.
Keep me traveling along with you.**

**Give me courage when the world is rough.
Keep me loving though the world is tough.
Leap and sing in all I do.
Keep me traveling along with you.
And it's from the old I travel to the new.
Keep me traveling along with you.**

**You are older than the world can be.
You are younger than the life in me.
Ever old and ever new,
keep me traveling along with you.
And it's from the old I travel to the new.
Keep me traveling along with you.**