

Roman Missal Supplement for Confirmed in a Faithful Community Candidate Handbook (Immediate Preparation Edition)

The *Roman Missal* is the ritual text used in the Catholic Church that contains prayers and instructions for the celebration of the Mass. A new *Roman Missal* (Third Edition) will be implemented in the United States on the First Sunday of Advent, November 27, 2011. This supplement will help you prepare for and learn certain prayers and the new Parts of the Mass found in this handbook.

Nicene Creed (see page 33)

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Parts of the Mass (see page 41)

Introductory Rites

- Entrance Chant
- Greeting
- Penitential Act
- Kyrie
- Gloria
- Collect (opening prayer)

Liturgy of the Word

- First Reading
- Responsorial Psalm
- Second Reading
- Gospel Acclamation
- Gospel Reading
- Homily
- Profession of Faith
- Prayer of the Faithful

Liturgy of the Eucharist

- Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts
- Prayer over the Offerings
- Eucharistic Prayer
- Communion Rite:
 - Lord's Prayer
 - Sign of Peace
 - Lamb of God
 - Communion
 - Prayer after Communion

Concluding Rites

- Prayer over the People
- Final Blessing
- Dismissal