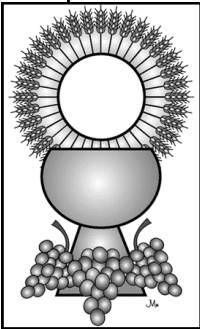


“The worship of the Eucharist
outside of Mass is of inestimable
value for the life of the Church . . .
To spend time with Him,
to lie close to His breast like
the Beloved Disciple
(John 13:25)
and to feel the infinite love
present in His heart.
How often, dear brothers and sisters,
have I experienced this, and
drawn from it
strength, consolation, and support.”

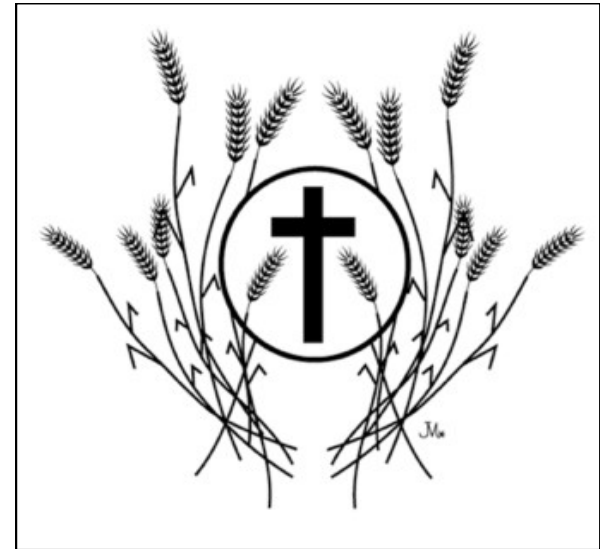
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HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS



**“Come after me, and I will make you
fishers of men.”**

Mark 1:17

OPENING SONG

(All stand as the song begins)

EXPOSITION

(Please kneel when the Most Blessed Sacrament
is placed in the Monstrance.)

GREETING

Priest: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: *And also with you.*

OPENING PRAYER

Priest: Lord, you have promised that where two or three are
gathered in Your name, You will be in their midst. Be
with us this day as we gather to adore Your Sacred
Presence in the Most Blessed Sacrament. Fill our
hearts with your blessings and inflame them with
Your love. As we dedicate and offer this Holy Hour
for the Intention of vocations to priesthood, religious
life, and our own personal intentions, be with us
Risen Lord as we spend this hour adoring you and
singing your praises. Make us one with you, Lord
Jesus, for you live and reign forever and ever.

All: *Amen*

Priest: Lord Jesus Christ, you gave us the Eucharist as the
memorial of your suffering and death. May our
worship of this 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 the Holy Spirit, one God, forever
and ever.

All: *Amen.*

EUCCHARISTIC BLESSING

REPOSITION

CLOSING SONG

"Holy God We Praise Thy Name"

Other Suggested Hymns

"Gift of Finest Wheat"

"Here I am Lord"

"O Jesus, We Adore Thee"

"I am the Bread of Life"

"Morning Has Broken"

"Christ Beside Me"

"Ubi Caritas"

"We Walk by Faith"

Priest goes to the altar, genuflects, and kneels.)

HYMN OF ADORATION

"Tantum Ergo"

(Priest incenses the Blessed Sacrament during the hymn.)

DIVINE PRAISES

(All kneel)

Priest:

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 Comforter.
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 St. Joseph, her most chaste spouse.
Blessed be God in His angels and in His saints.

All: (Repeat each)



LITURGY OF THE WORD

Suggestions: John 15:9-17, John 15:1-8, Proverbs 9:1-16,
Acts 2:42-47

SILENT ADORATION

(Approximately 15 minutes)

LITANY

(All kneel)

Priest:

Lord, have mercy
Christ, have mercy
Christ, have mercy
Lord, have mercy
Lord, Have mercy

All:

Lord, Have mercy

God our Father in heaven
God the Son, our redeemer
God the Holy Spirit
Holy Trinity, one God

Have mercy on us

Lord be merciful
from all evil
from every sin
from the snares of the devil
from anger and hatred
from everlasting death
by your coming as man
by your birth
by your baptism and fasting
by your suffering and cross
by your death and burial
by your rising to new life
by your return to glory to your Father
by your gift of the Holy Spirit
by your coming again in glory

Lord, save your people.

Priest:

Christ, Son of the living God

You came into this world

You suffered for us on the cross

You died to save us

You lay in the tomb

You rose from the dead

You returned in glory to the Father

You sent the Holy Spirit upon your Apostles

You are seated at the right hand of the Father

You will come again to judge the living and the dead

Guide and protect your holy Church **Lord, hear our prayer**

Keep the Pope and all the clergy in

faithful service to your Church

Bring all Christians together in unity

Lead all to the light of the Gospel

Lord Jesus, hear our prayer

All:

Have mercy on us

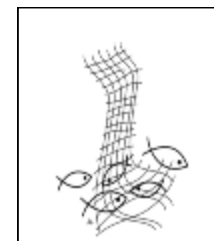
***Lord Jesus, hear our
prayer***



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

(Please stand)

All: *Christ Jesus, Son of the eternal Father and our Mother the Virgin Mary, grant to our sons and daughters, the grace to hear your voice, and the courage to respond to their vocational calling. Give to their parents the wisdom to help their children discern the vocation that you are inviting them to embrace, and fill them with inexpressible joy whenever one of their children is called to priesthood or religious life. Let the example of the blessed Mother, St. Joseph and all your saints encourage our young people to seek your will and allow your grace to sustain them. Amen.*



PRAYER OF SELF OFFERING

All: *Take, O Lord, into your hands my entire liberty, my memory, my understanding, and my will. All that I am and have, you have given me, and I surrender them to you, to be so disposed in accordance with your holy will. Give me your love and your grace; with these I am rich enough and desire nothing more.*

St. Ignatius of Loyola