Sign of the Cross

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **R.Amen.**

Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit
be with you all.
R.And with your spirit.

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The Collect

R.Amen

The Liturgy of the Word

First Reading - Please be seated

New Testament - 1 Corinthians 12:31 - 13:8

At the end of the reading:
The word of the Lord.
R.Thanks be to God.

Second Hymn

Guide me, O Thou Great Redeemer (Cwm Rhondda)

Guide me, O thou great redeemer, Pilgrim through this barren land; I am weak, but thou art mighty, Hold me with thy powerful hand; Bread of heaven, bread of heaven Feed me till I want no more; Feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain
Whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fire and cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through:
Strong deliverer, strong deliverer;
Be thou still my strength and shield;
Be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan,
Bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death, and hell's destruction
Land me safe on Canaan's side:
Songs of praises, songs of praises,
I will ever give to thee;
I will ever give to thee.

Gospel Acclamation - Please stand to greet the Gospel

Old Testament - John 15:9-12
The Lord be with you.

R. And with your spirit.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

R. Glory to you, O Lord.

At the end of the Gospel:

The Gospel of the Lord.

R. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The Homily - Please be seated

The Celebration of Marriage

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The Questions before the Consent

The Civil Declaration of Freedom

The Consent

The Reception of the Consent

Let us bless the Lord.

R. Thanks be to God.

The Blessing and Giving of Rings

The couple exchange rings as a sign of their marriage.

The Universal Prayer (Bidding Prayers) - Please stand

After each intention there is a pause:

Lord, hear us

R. Lord, graciously hear us.

Hail Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee;
Blessed art thou amongst women,
and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners,
now and at the hour of our death. 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.

Amen.