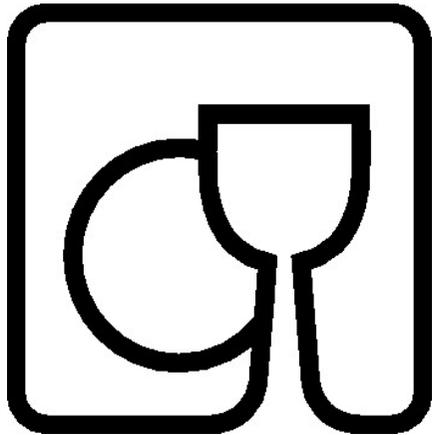




The Ministry Of Home Holy Communion



Thank you for taking Holy Communion to those in need. We come with:

Humility: We come as servants to listen, pray, and focus on those we serve.

Reverence: We come in awe of this Holy mystery and treat it with reverence.

Unity: We come to Holy Communion to be unified and unify others! It makes us one. We share bread and wine direct from our worship service and so people are physically and spiritually connected with our congregation.

Joy: We come with joy to be able to bring life and blessing. We enjoy it!

A Basic Program For Home Holy Communion

In The Name Of The Father And The Son And The Holy Spirit. Amen.

Confession Prayer And Declaration Of Grace

[We might pray in our own words or pray quietly. Or the following prayer]

Lord God, our heavenly Father, we confess that we have sinned against you in many ways, in our thoughts and in our words, in what we have done, and in what we have failed to do. Have mercy on us and forgive us. Fill us with your Holy Spirit, Lord. Help us to obey you, keep us from evil, and give us your new life. We ask this through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

[Assure people of God's grace and love - or use these words]

God has had mercy on us and has given his only Son to die for us, and for his sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in his name he has given the right to become children of God! Rest on Christ's promise of forgiveness in Christ's name!

A Bible Reading & Encouragement

Words Of Institution

[We have the bread and wine blessed and taken at Immanuel in Sunday worship!]

Our Lord Jesus Christ on the night he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks he gave it to his disciples and said, "Take and eat, this is my body which is given for you, do this in remembrance of me." In the same way he took the cup after the supper, and when he had given thanks, He gave it to them and said, "Drink of it all of you, this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you, for the forgiveness of sins. Do this as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

We Receive Bread And Wine

Take and eat – the body of Christ, given for you.

Take and drink – the blood of Christ shed for you.

May the body of our Lord Jesus Christ and his precious blood strengthen and preserve us in body and soul to life eternal. Go in peace. Amen.

Time Of Personal Prayer

We pray for needs, we say 'thank you', we anoint or bless, and let them pray too!