

## GENERAL OFFICES

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## COMBINED SERVICE FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS

*ALL STANDING, a hymn may be sung.*

*Having entered, the Priest opens the Word and reads the following or an other suitable sentence of Scripture:*

The Lord is in His holy temple. Let all the earth keep silence before Him.

*Habakkuk 2: 20*

*PRIEST:* O come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our Maker.

*Psalm 95: 6*

*ALL KNEELING, one of the following may be said:*

## A

*PRIEST:* Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in Your sight, O Lord, my rock and my Redeemer.

*Psalm 19: 14*

*PEOPLE:* God be merciful to us and bless us, and cause His face to shine upon us.

*Psalm 67: 1*

## B

*PRIEST:* I will lift up my eyes to the mountains, from whence comes my help.

*PEOPLE:* My help is from the Lord, who made the heavens and the earth.

*Psalm 121: 1, 2*

## C

*PRIEST:* Give ear, O Lord, to my prayer,

*PEOPLE:* And attend to the voice of my supplications.

*Psalm 86: 6*

*The PRIEST may offer a prayer.*

*ALL:* Our Father, who art in the heavens, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, as in heaven so upon the earth. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts as we also forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Matthew 6: 9-13*

*PRIEST:* Let Your words abide in us, O Lord,

*PEOPLE:* For without You we can do nothing.

*From John 15: 5*

*PRIEST:* Amen.

*ALL STANDING, a song suitable for children may be sung.*

*A recitation may be said unisonally.*

*The PEOPLE SITTING, the first lesson is read.*

*A children's talk follows.*

*ALL STANDING, a musical selection may be sung, during which the offering is brought forward and dedicated. A sentence of dedication may be introduced after the selection.*

*The PRIEST pronounces a benediction.*

*A musical selection may be sung, during or after which the children may leave.*

*The PEOPLE SITTING, the second and third lessons are read.*

*An INTERLUDE may follow.*

*ALL STANDING, a musical selection may be sung.*

*The PRIEST, having entered the pulpit, offers the following or other invocation:*

In the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
Amen.

*The PEOPLE SITTING, the sermon follows.*

*The PEOPLE STANDING, the Priest may say the following:*

And now to the one only God, Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory and  
dominion forever and ever. Amen.

*A musical selection may be sung.*

*PRIEST:* Let us pray.

*ALL KNEELING, the Priest offers a prayer.*

*The PEOPLE STILL KNEELING, the benediction follows:*

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Amen.

*Revelation 22: 21*

*The PEOPLE STANDING, the Priest closes the Word.*

*A musical selection may be sung, during which the Priest retires.*