

Presider:

Children, parents and catechists I invite you to repeat  
after me:

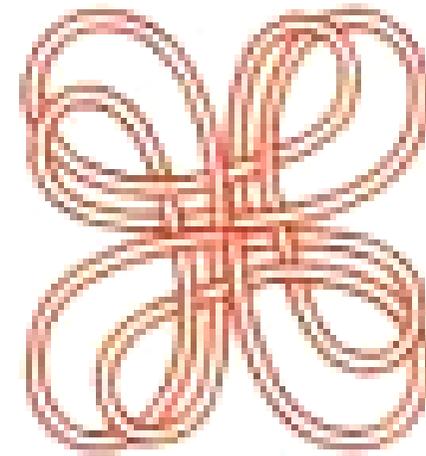
This is our Faith

This is the Faith of the Church

We are proud to profess it

In Christ Jesus our Lord.

# Presentation of the



# Creed

*Liturgical Rites on the way to the completion  
of Christian initiation*

Presider:

Today we welcome our children who are preparing for the sacraments of Confirmation and first Holy Communion, and their parents. We give thanks for the faith passed on to these children by their parents.

I now invite our candidates to come forward and to kneel while we pray that they will grow strong in faith.....

*A catechist calls each child forward by name*

*Candidates come forward and kneel in front of the altar*

Presider:

My dear friends listen carefully to the words of that faith by which we are all justified.

These words are few, but the mysteries they contain are great.

Receive them with a sincere heart and be faithful to them by your Christian way of life.

THE APOSTLES CREED is NOW SUNG or RECITED  
by the WHOLE ASSEMBLY

Presider; Dear children we have just listened to the Creed which sums up what we believe in as Christians. As you continue your final preparations for the sacraments of Confirmation and first Holy Communion I ask you to say your yes to all that we believe and invite you to stand around the altar.....

Do you believe in God the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth?

*Children: I do*

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord, Who was born of the Virgin Mary, Was crucified, died, and was buried, rose from the dead, and is now seated at the right hand of the Father?

*Children: I do*

Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, The holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting?

*Children: I do*