Mass and the *Roman Missal, third typical edition*  
– Annotated Bibliography –  


**UNIVERSAL AND PARTICULAR DOCUMENTS**


See CSL, nos. 5-13 on the nature of the liturgy and its importance in the Church’s life.
See CSL, nos. 14-20 on the promotion of liturgical instruction and active participation.
See CSL, nos. 21-40 on the reform of the liturgy and norms for the reform.
See CSL, nos. 41-46 on promotion of the liturgical life.
See CSL, nos. 47-58 on the Eucharist.

Available editions include:

**Universal Norms for the Liturgical Year and the General Calendar** [UNLYC], 26 March 2010.

Available editions include:
- Every edition of the *Roman Missal, Third Edition*.


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- Every edition of the *Roman Missal, Third Edition*.

**Ordenación General del Misal Romano: Instituto Generalis Missalis Romani, tercera edición típica.**

- Incluyendo las adaptaciones para las diócesis de los Estados Unidos de América.
- Edición provisional para estudiar.


Available editions include:
- Every edition and volume of the LM contains the introduction.

Available editions include:


Available editions include:
- For older editions, note the erratum to nos. 36 and 37 required by the Apostolic See in light of the Instruction *Redemptionis sacramentum*, number 105.

**At the Preparation of the Gifts** – NEW 36. The altar is prepared with corporal, purificator, *Missal*, and chalice (unless the chalice is prepared at a side table) by the deacon and servers. The gifts of bread and wine are brought forward by the faithful and received by the priest or deacon at a convenient place (cf. GIRM, no. 333). If one chalice is not sufficient for Holy Communion to be distributed under both kinds to the priest concelebrants or Christ’s faithful, several chalices are placed on a corporal on the altar in an appropriate place, filled with wine. It is praiseworthy that the main chalice be larger than the other chalices prepared for distribution.

**At the Breaking of the Bread** – NEW 37. As the *Agnus Dei* or *Lamb of God* is begun, the bishop or priest alone, or with the assistance of the deacon, and if necessary of concelebrating priests, breaks the Eucharistic bread. Other empty ciboria or patens are then brought to the altar if this is necessary. The deacon or priest places the consecrated bread in several ciboria or patens, if necessary, as are required for the distribution of Holy Communion. If it is not possible to accomplish this distribution in a reasonable time, the celebrant may call upon the assistance of other deacons or concelebrating priests.


Available editions include:
- See also Apostolic See, *Preces Eucharisticae pro Concelebratione*, 2009, containing details and some changes for the Eucharistic Prayers not printed in the Missal.


Available editions include:

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, *Sing to the Lord: Music in Divine Worship.*

Available editions include:


Available editions include:
ADDITIONAL UNIVERSAL DOCUMENTS

- Many of the documents that follow in this section are available on the Vatican web site: http://www.vatican.va/.
- Some are also available from USCCB Publishing or from http://www.usccb.org.


CONGREGATION FOR RITES, Instruction, Eucharisticum mysterium, on worship of the eucharist, 25 May 1967.

CONGREGATION FOR DIVINE WORSHIP, Instruction, Actio pastoralis, on Masses with special groups, 15 May, 1969.

CONGREGATION FOR DIVINE WORSHIP, Instruction, Sacramentali Communione, extending the practice of communion under both kinds, 29 June, 1970.


Available editions include:

JOHN PAUL II, Apostolic Letter, Vicesimus quintus annus, on the 25th anniversary of the promulgation of the conciliar constitution “Sacrosanctum Concilium” on the sacred liturgy, 04 December 1988.


JOHN PAUL II, Apostolic Letter, Dies Domini, on keeping the Lord's Day holy, 31 May 1998.


JOHN PAUL II, Apostolic Letter, Ecclesia de Eucharistia, on the Church and the Eucharist, 17 April 2003.

CONGREGATION FOR DIVINE WORSHIP AND THE DISCIPLINE OF THE SACRAMENTS, Instruction, *Redemptionis Sacramentum*, on certain matters to be observed or to be avoided regarding the Most Holy Eucharist, 25 March 2004.


**INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION ON ENGLISH IN THE LITURGY**

The International Commission on English in the Liturgy [ICEL] is a mixed commission of Catholic Bishops' Conferences in countries where English is used in the celebration of the Sacred Liturgy according to the Roman Rite. The purpose of the Commission is to prepare English translations of each of the Latin liturgical books and any individual liturgical texts in accord with the directives of the Holy See.

ICEL work on the *Roman Missal* is accessed at this link: [http://www.icelweb.org/news.htm](http://www.icelweb.org/news.htm).


- This catechetical resource will be an interactive DVD on the text and music for the *Roman Missal* as well as a general catechesis on the Mass. It centers on five essays and uses video, texts, graphics, and music to help the user enrich their understanding and deepen their appreciation of the Eucharist. It is for individual or group use, private study or public catechesis.
- See this web link for details: [http://www.becomeonebodyonespiritinchrist.org/](http://www.becomeonebodyonespiritinchrist.org/).

**UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS**


- “This website has been prepared to help you prepare for the transition. As this site continues to be expanded, you will find helpful resources for the faithful, for the clergy, and for parish and diocesan leaders.”
- Segments – copyrighted material that may be freely used and adapted:
  - FAQs
  - Sample Texts: GIRM, Proper of Time for Advent and Christmas, Order of Mass, Order of Mass annotated, People’s Parts with commentary, Priest’s Parts with commentary, Music for the Roman Missal
  - General Resources: Articles, Background, Timeline, Videos, Documents, Reflections, Glossary, Further Reading, Multimedia Resource
  - Parish Resources: Bulletin Inserts, FDLC Resources, Implementation, Liturgy Guides, Planning Calendar, PowerPoints, Print, Web
  - Español


- This road map to implementing the third edition includes a 12-month planning calendar; reproducible bulletin inserts; activity suggestions for parishes and schools; and suggested goals, objectives, and planning strategy.
FEDERATION OF DIOCESAN LITURGICAL COMMISSIONS

Federation of Diocesan Liturgical Commissions [FDLC], Suite 70, 415 Michigan Avenue, Washington DC 20017. (202) 635-6990. Fax (202) 529-2452. E-mail nationaloffice@fdlc.org. Web http://www.fdlc.org. National organization for diocesan offices and commissions; collaborates with the USCCB Committee for Divine Worship; holds annual meeting in October. Publishes a few books and pamphlets, and many electronic resources on all aspects of worship and liturgy. See website for further details.

- Liturgical Catechesis. Free web-based catechetical resources on liturgy and sacraments can be found at www.fdlc.org by following the link to Liturgy Resources. New resources added regularly.

- FDLC Roman Missal Project Materials

- Francis, CSV, Rev. Mark R. “Liturgical Participation of God’s People.”

FDLC. Workshop Kit for Priests.
FDLC. Workshop Kit for Parish / Liturgical Leaders.
Questions and Answers about Changes to the Mass. FDLC © 2010.
Liturgical Participation of God’s People. FDLC © 2010.

- FDLC Region VII Training and Formation Materials

Part 1: Manuals with Table of Contents and seven complete presentation manuals that can adapted to local needs that include templates, procedures, processes, sample schedules.
Part 2: Appendices: Presenting team resources and participant handouts, for use with each of the above manuals.
  - Go to http://www.fdlc.org/Roman_Missal/RM_Reg07.htm and follow the directions for ordering.
  - Contact your diocesan Office for Worship or those in the Provinces of Indianapolis (Indiana) and Chicago (Illinois) for possible free access to these materials.

- FDLC Resources and Bulletin Inserts on Mass and the Liturgical Year
  - Go to http://www.fdlc.org/LiturgyPublications.htm and follow the links and directions for ordering.

NATIONAL PASTORAL MUSICIAN RESOURCES


Webinar Series, Sing to the Lord: Music in Divine Worship, 2010-2011:
  - Roman Missal Resources: http://www.npm.org/roman_missa/resources.html.
GENERAL RESOURCES ON MASS

- A collection of reflections on key symbols, gestures, etc., from the Mass which originally appeared in Assembly.


- Patterned on the Lector workbook, treats the Order of Mass.

- The purpose of the book is to “help achieve an objectively true and responsible celebration of the community Mass” through necessary study and reflection.

- Well written articles on many and various aspect of liturgy, ritual, sacraments, etc.

- This work contains the newest editions of the General Instruction of the Roman Missal and the Institution Generalis Missalis Romani and in chapter by chapter fashion provides extensive commentary. It was developed under the auspices of the Catholic Academy of Liturgy and Cosponsored by the Federation of Diocesan Liturgical Commissions.


- Unit 4 treats the Mass in ten segments with content and questions.
- Other units on first things, the elements of liturgy, who does the liturgy?, days and seasons, and the rites of the Church.

- Presents ten models – or “lenses” – through which to explore and understand the Eucharistic Liturgy.

- A workbook to study only the structural elements of Mass. It provides for each element: historical survey, documentation, reflection, suggested questions for discussion.

• The editor’s forward calls this a “magisterial distillation of liturgical history and commentary on the postconciliar reform.” The four major parts are (1) historical survey; (2) theology of the Eucharistic sacrifice; (3) the liturgical form; (4) spiritual and pastoral aspects of the Mass. Footnotes, bibliography, indices.


• As noted in the promotional materials, “this book presents new perspectives on the Eucharistic celebration in a way that teaches us to fully engage in the Mass each week.”


• A companion to The Communion Rite at Sunday Mass. This book “intends to show what eucharistic praying entails and how it could be done every Sunday” Chapters treat (1) context; (2) roots and evolution of eucharistic praying; (3) recovery of eucharistic praying; (4) elements of EP; (5) assembly’s role; (6) presider’s role; (7) preparation rite; (8) how do we get there?; (9) future. Bulletin insert in English and Spanish.

• Provides pastoral commentary and proclamation tips for chanting and proclaiming texts.


• Achieves the mystagogical catechesis urged by Pope John II in inaugurating the Year of the Eucharist in October 2004: “Pastors should be committed to that mystagogical catechesis so dear to the Fathers of the Church, by which the faithful are helped to understand the meaning of the liturgy's words and actions, to pass from its signs to the mystery which they contain, and to enter into that mystery in every aspect of their lives.”
• Twenty-six short articles (around 400 words; one page) for reading before Mass or after Communion. May be inserted in bulletin.

• Covers: (1) Eucharist in the Catechism of the Catholic Church; (2) scriptural connections between Jesus and Eucharist; (3) sacramental presence. Excellent annotated bibliography.

- A very solid exploration of the history of the liturgical reform specifically in regard to sacred music.

- Review of Maurice Taylor, *It’s the Eucharist, Thank God* with extensive comments on the work of ICEL.

- Has many references to liturgical and ritual books and several planning sheets in the appendix.
- Section II addresses the Roman Missal.

- Comments on the prayer and readings for Sundays; makes connections to history.

- Comments on the Order of Mass.

- Gives helpful explanations for the main rubrics for Sunday Mass; addresses Mass by bringing together information from various documents and the several places within the GIRM for each rite.

- Gives a solid overview of the revision of the Roman Missal.

- A short book for the parish committee or study groups. Begins with What is the Liturgical Assembly? and the Role of Sunday. Then treats liturgical prayer, ministers, the singing assembly, spirituality, space, environment, children, and American culture.
- Each short chapter is organized by historical and theological perspective, documentation, and study questions.

**POPULAR RESOURCES ON MASS**

- Consists of four short chapters on Sunday Mass; in English and Spanish. Each chapter is 4-pages with exposition of topic, 2-3 reflection questions, summary, and [Other] 2-3 quotes from Church teaching supporting the topic and questions. (1) Where do I meet Christ? (2) Where do I hear Christ speak? (3) Where do I receive and become Christ? (4) Where do I witness to Christ? At the Sunday Mass!

- Short chapters following the Order of Mass with good questions for discussion and reflection.