

Using the Congregational Parts

The following plan is recommended:

After Easter, using the Congregational Card or from a download of some of the material on this website, people are become familiar with the changes that affect the congregation. This can be done in a great variety of ways.

- A pastoral or parish council might begin a meeting praying the new version of the Gloria. The parish liturgy team might have a special study evening on the changes.
- Such a study session might be made available to all who would like to come.
- A gathering of Ministers of Communion might include a reflection on the Invitation to Holy Communion (*Behold the Lamb of God ... Lord, I am not worthy ...*).
- Readers would use the words, *The Word of the Lord*, as the conclusion of the First and Second Reading.
- At 10 o'clock Mass, with the Congregational Card available, the change in the last line of the Preface Dialogue, the change in the first line of the Sanctus and a new Memorial Acclamation might be explained and used.

And so on, bringing notice about the new Missal to as many as possible. The National Centre for Liturgy has prepared short notes on the new edition of the Missal and these can be reproduced on parish bulletins (see Topics and Questions in this section of the website).

Monday, 4 July, at the Irish Church Music Association's summer school at Maynooth College, the collection of music for the Mass will be launched. Choirs can learn the music and be ready for using it with the congregation when the new words are used on missalettes or other Mass leaflets.

11 September, 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time, using missalettes or the Congregational Card, the changes in the congregational parts are introduced. Our missalette publishers have been given notice as follows:

Changes in missalettes from 11 September until 16 October 2011

Greeting

Priest	The Lord be with you.
People	And with your spirit.

Confiteor

**I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,**

**And, striking their breast, they say:
through my fault, through my fault,
through my most grievous fault;**

Then they continue:

therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Glory to God in the highest

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you,
we bless you,
we adore you,
we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

At End of First and Second Readings

(Reader) The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

Before the Gospel

Priest The Lord be with you.
People **And with your spirit.**
Priest A reading from the holy Gospel according to **N.**
People **Glory to you, O Lord.**

At End of Gospel

(Priest) The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I 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. Amen.**

Pray, brothers and sisters

Priest Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters),
that my sacrifice and yours
may be acceptable to God,
the almighty Father.

People **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands
for the praise and glory of his name,
for our good
and the good of all his holy Church.**

Preface Dialogue

Priest The Lord be with you.
People **And with your spirit.**
Priest Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them up to the Lord.**
Priest Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right and just.**

Sanctus

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

be with you all.
People And with your spirit.

Penitential Act

Priest: You were sent to heal the contrite of heart:
Lord, have mercy.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Priest: You came to call sinners:
Christ, have mercy.

People: Christ, have mercy.

Priest: You are seated at the right hand of the Father to intercede for us:
Lord, have mercy.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Glory to God in the highest

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you,
we bless you,
we adore you,
we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

At End of First and Second Readings

(Reader) The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Before the Gospel

Priest

The Lord be with you.

People

And with your spirit.

Priest

A reading from the holy Gospel according to **N.**

People

Glory to you, O Lord.

At End of Gospel

(Priest)

The Gospel of the Lord.

People

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Nicene Creed

**I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.**

**I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,**

At the words that follow, up to and including and became man, all bow.
**and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.**

**I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

Pray, brothers and sisters

Priest Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters),
that my sacrifice and yours
may be acceptable to God,
the almighty Father.

People **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands
for the praise and glory of his name,
for our good
and the good of all his holy Church.**

Preface Dialogue

Priest The Lord be with you.
People **And with your spirit.**
Priest Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them up to the Lord.**
Priest Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right and just.**

Sanctus

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

The Mystery of Faith

Priest The Mystery of Faith
All **When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,
we proclaim your Death, O Lord,
until you come again.**

Sign of Peace

Priest The peace of the Lord be with you always.
People **And with your spirit.**

Invitation to Holy Communion

Priest Behold the Lamb of God,
behold him who takes away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

People **Lord, I am not worthy
that you should enter under my roof,
but only say the word
and my soul shall be healed.**

Priest
People

Concluding Rites
The Lord be with you.
And with your spirit

Excerpts from the English translation of *The Roman Missal* © 2010, International Committee on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.
English translation of *The Roman Missal* © 1973, International Committee on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.