

## Lesson 16

### Eucharist: The Heart of Catholic Life (2)

#### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. What is the place where the Scriptures (Liturgy of the word) are proclaimed called?

**Answer:** Ambo.

2. What is the place of the breaking of the bread (Liturgy of the Eucharist) called?

**Answer:** Altar.

3. At the “Communion Rite” what does the word “Amen” – as our response to the words, “The body of Christ”: mean?

**Answer:**

“AMEN” comes from a Hebrew word that means “yes, this is certain”. It expresses the speaker’s belief that Christ is truly present in the bread and wine.

#### LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

##### *1. Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts*

- We bring gifts of bread and wine to the altar

##### *2. Eucharist Prayer*

- This prayer of thanksgiving is the center and high point of the entire celebration

#### COMMUNION RITE

##### *1. Lord's Prayer*

- We say the our Father

##### *2. Sign of Peace*

- We offer one another Christ's peace

##### *3. Lamb of God*

- We pray for forgiveness, mercy, and peace

**ACTIVITY: ELEMENTS FROM THE MASS**

Complete this multiple-step activity on the parts of the Mass that have to do with Communion and sending forth.

*First, unscramble the word or words in the boxes. Then match the statements in the list below to the words in the boxes by writing the number of the matching statement in the correct box. When you finish, the numbers you have written in the boxes should add up to the same total across, up and down, and diagonally.*



BALM OF GDO _____ _____	ISTEUCCHAR _____ _____	LTAAR _____ _____
YBDO FO STRICH _____ _____	ACTIONFR FO EHT BERAD _____ _____	OSLDR RAYPRE _____ _____
COMUINMON _____ _____	AONCUNE EHT GOPSEL _____ _____	ITER FO EACEP _____ _____

1. This means “giving thanks to God” and refers to the Body and Blood, and the Mass as a whole event.
2. The high point of the entire Eucharist and the thing that strengthens us throughout the week.
3. Said by everyone at the finish of the Eucharistic Prayer.
4. Handshake, kiss, or hug that we share with one another at Mass.
5. When the priest breaks the consecrated bread into smaller pieces so it can be shared.
6. This litany is sometimes spoken, sometimes sung, as we recall how Jesus is our Paschal Lamb.
7. This refers to the consecrated bread and wine, and to all the people who are part of the Church.
8. The table from where the Holy Eucharist are consecrated.
9. At the final part of the Eucharist, we are sent out to do this.