

CATHOLIC WORSHIP

I have prepared the following information I need regarding your Worship Experience. Please take a moment to address each question the best you can.

Voluntaries

Prelude

Offertory

Postlude

(answer the above in a range of minutes, so I can select appropriate music)

Hymns

Introductions - a full intro or a partial (i.e. refrain, 1/2 verse, etc.)

Hymns announced or not?

Will your congregation enjoy Alternate Hymn Harmonizations or Variations on the last verse of a hymn? Descants? Choral Preludes or Choral Intros to introduce a hymn? Will there be a choir or group to lead singing?

If so, I ask them to sing unison to support the congregation on the verse utilizing an Alternate Hymn Harmonization. If there is no support, is your congregation able to enjoy these extras and still be able to sing the hymn?

If hymn embellishments are acceptable, I will appreciate having the hymns I don't have faxed to me as soon as possible, so I can set up Worship Folders for both the Hymns and the liturgy.

Anthem

At what point in the service does the Choir typically perform their Anthem (i.e. Offering or another place)?

Liturgy

Is any of the liturgy sung? If so, what intro is given (i.e. as written, chord, pitch, etc.)? Please note below. Also, make any additions to sung liturgy not listed.

Kyrie
Hymn of Praise (Glory To God or This Is The Feast)
Psalm
Gospel Alleluia
Preface
Sanctus (Holy, Holy)
Memorial Acclamation
Great Amen
Our Father
Agnus Dei (Lamb of God)

Children's Message

Is there a Children's Message? If so, do you like walking music for the Children to come forward and/or return to their seats or other classes? I can play children's music or something different.

Communion

It is usually not customary for a non-Catholic to partake Communion. Since I am seen as an unofficial Ecumenical Diaconal Minister in a lot of churches, I have been allowed to partake in a couple of Catholic Churches? If I am allowed to do so, when should I partake, at the beginning or the end?

Quiet Music

Is there any other place where quiet music is appropriate, other than if the Communion Hymns do not cover Communion?

I think this covers all music possibilities. If I missed anything or you have something to add, please feel free to include in your response.

If you have any questions, please give me a call at (713) 668-2248, leave a message and my Call Notes will page me.

You can email this back to me as an attachment or fax it to me at (713) 668-7000. Your prompt assistance in providing this information is greatly appreciated. Also, please provide any additional contact information in case I need to speak with you further.

In His Service,

Linda A. Hazelip