



Renew Africa liturgy

Season One

Week one: Jesus the Healer

Call to worship:

Leader: Jesus, see we have gathered here in this place

Response: Come, you are all welcome here

Leader: Jesus we are broken, weak and poor

Response: You are still welcome and know that I will make you whole again

The Lord be with you

Collect:

Lord God, your Son came into our world to be our Saviour and healer.

Through Him we are welcomed into your Heavenly presence.

Help us this day to welcome others as we prepare ourselves to gather around your table and partake of the Most Holy Meal.

Amen

Proper Preface:

And now we give you thanks Jesus, because through your Body and Blood we are once again healed and made whole.

Week two: Jesus the Reconciler

Call to worship:

Leader: Once I was lost.

Response: Now in Christ Jesus I am found.

Leader: Once, through sin I was distanced.

Response: Now in Christ Jesus I am reconciled.

The Lord be with you

Collect:

Lord God, through your Son Jesus we have been reconciled to you. We have been renewed in Christ. We have been brought into your fold. Through our faith we are now your children. May we also become your ambassadors

Proper Preface:

And now we give you thanks, because through sin all was lost, but through Jesus Christ we are reconciled to God

Week three: Jesus the Mystic and Prophet

Call to worship:

Leader: Jesus, I am hungry!

Response: Come feed on me, because I am the Bread of life

Leader: Jesus, I am thirsty!

Response: Come drink of me, because I am the Cup of salvation

The Lord be with you

Collect:

Lord Jesus, as did the prophets of old, You came to bring the Father's word of salvation to us.

Yet so often we reject you through our own doing.

Help us this day to see, feel, touch, hear and receive you through this Holy Eucharist. Amen

Proper Preface:

And now we give you thanks because through you we know the way to eternal life.

Or

And we give You thanks, Jesus because You are yesterday, today and tomorrow.

Or

And now we give you thanks because we have eaten of the Bread life and drunk of the Cup of salvation and are satisfied.

Week four: Jesus the Redeemer

Call to worship:

Leader: Once I was in prison because of my sin

Response: Jesus is the key, you are free

Leaders: Once I was in debt because of my sin

Response: Jesus has paid the price and redeemed me

The Lord be with you

Collect:

Lord God, once you accepted the blood of lambs and goats as the price for freedom. Now it's the blood of Your Son Jesus that has set us free forever. Through His death and resurrection we are eternally free to worship you through Him who now sits at your Right hand, Jesus Christ.

Amen

Proper Preface:

And we give you thanks, because we have been redeemed and our freedom has been fully paid.

Week Five: Jesus the Word

Call to Worship:

Leader: Your word is a lamp to our feet

Response: That we may be one

Leader: And a light to our path

Response: That we may be one

The Lord be with you

Collect:

Lord God, in the beginning you spoke the Word and all that you created came into being. You spoke the Word to Mary and your Son Jesus took on our form and became human just like us. He is the Word of life, love, forgiveness and eternity.

Amen

Proper Preface:

And so now we give you thanks O Lord, for your Son Jesus who gave up His life so that together we may be one in Him forever.

Week Six: Jesus the Bread of Life

Call to worship:

Leader: Then he took the bread and broke it

Response: Do this in remembrance of me

Leader: He gave it to them, saying, this is my body

Response: Do this in remembrance of me

The Lord be with you

Collect:

Lord Jesus, you gave the gift that never stops giving. You gave up your body to be the bread of eternal life. You allowed your blood to be poured out and fill the cup of our salvation. Lord Jesus your story is the greatest love story of all. Amen

Proper Preface:

And now we thanks to Him who gave more than we can ever buy or repay.