

## ST. ANTHONY ALTAR SERVERS

*(Please arrive at least 15 minutes before Mass)*

### BEFORE MASS:

- ❖ Put on Robes, check (credence table) servers' table for dish and towel, make sure Sacramentary (book) is on chair.
- ❖ Light 2 candles on each side of altar and bring back one candle (tallest one) from each side for procession.

### DURING MASS:

#### ENTRANCE PROCESSION:

- ❖ Walk in behind the person carrying book and the cross bearer (in procession hold candle straight and walk around Baptismal Font, one on each side of Font) at altar stand one on either side of Priest, put candle on holder and go to chairs.

#### OPENING PRAYER:

- ❖ Hold (Sacramentary) book for Priest (come up at "Let us Pray").

#### PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

- ❖ Prepare altar with book, corporal, chalice and one purificator (do this as ushers begin collection). Place corporal in center of altar, 4 inches North of edge of altar. Place book left of corporal and purificator right of corporal and chalice on center of corporal.
- ❖ Be seated, and when Priest goes to receive gifts, stand one on either side of Priest (let Priest take gifts and give them to you). Take gifts to altar. Priest will carry bread (paten) plate, servers the wine and water.
- ❖ At the altar the servers remove the tops from the wine and water containers and return them to server's table.
- ❖ Place water and wine tops on servers' table and bring water dish and towel to wash priest's hands. Hold the towel open.
- ❖ After washing priest's hands put things back on table and return to chairs.
- ❖ When people kneel, pick up cushion beneath your chairs and go to step for kneeling.

#### OUR FATHER:

- ❖ At the Our Father join priest on either side of him at the altar and join hands.

#### SIGN OF PEACE

- ❖ Exchange Sign of Peace with Priest, remove (Sacramentary) book from altar, and take to chair, and then share peace sign with people in pews.

#### COMMUNION

- ❖ After Sign of Peace return to altar for Communion.
- ❖ Receive host in hand and as other ministers receive communion, place in mouth at that time. While Priest is giving Communion to the people, clear altar by removing chalice, purificator, and folding corporal. Do not remove the ciborium.

#### CLOSING PRAYER

- ❖ Hold (Sacramentary) book for Priest at "Let us Pray"; after prayer return book to chair.

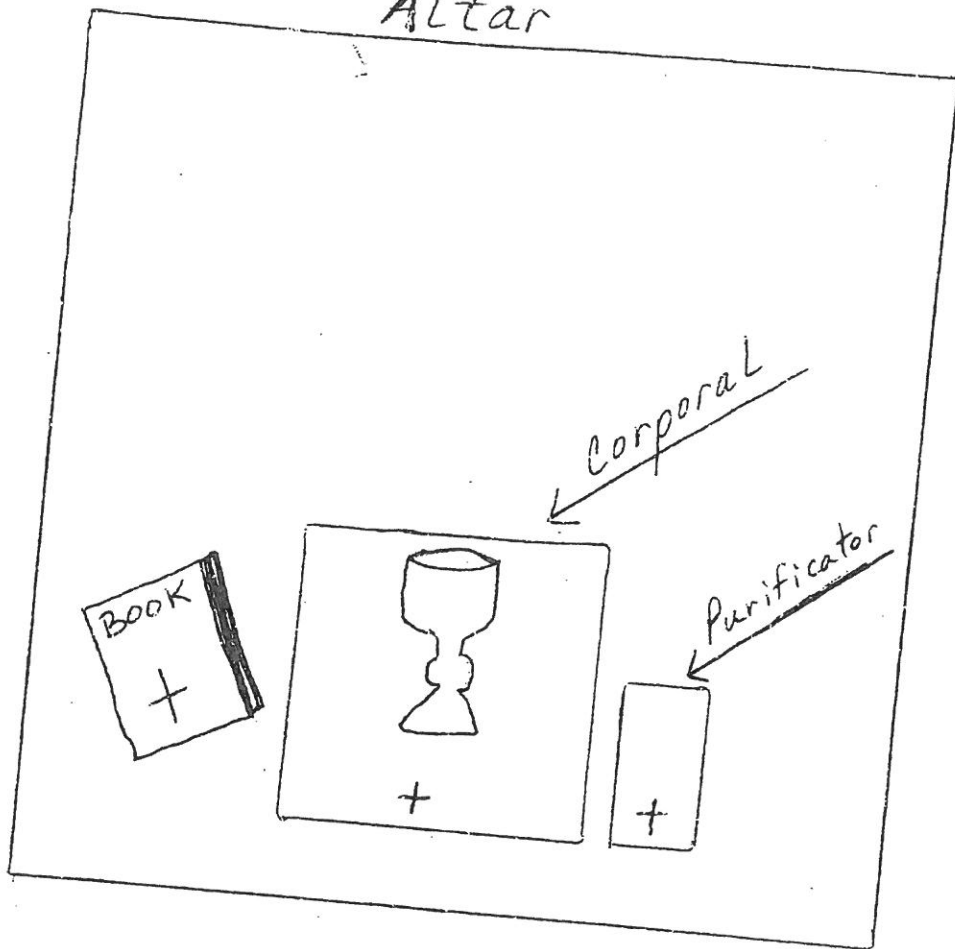
#### DISMISSAL

- ❖ When Priest goes to front of altar for final hymn stand one on each side of Priest, bow with priest and walk out behind cross bearer. (Allow room for priest to stand in center.)

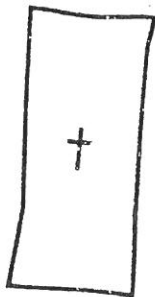
#### AFTER MASS:

- ❖ Put out candles and empty water dish.
- ❖ Please hang up robes.

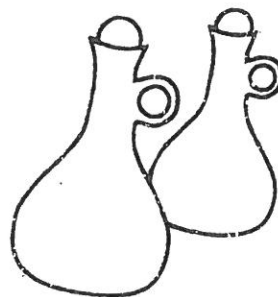
Altar



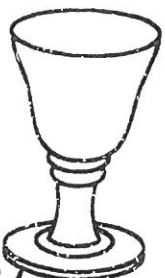
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Purificator



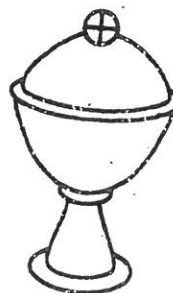
Water + wine  
cruets



Chalice



Bread Plate



Ciborium