

Notes



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The service begins in the courtyard.

Procession

Crucifer (Hal)

Torch Bearers 1 and 2 (Tieran and Liam)

Gospel (Tieran)

Choir

2nd Cross (Charissa)

Sunday School

Congregation

3rd Cross (Diane)

(torch bearers if too windy)

Choristers

EMs (Carey and Steve D.)

Kate

Doyt

Liturgy of the Palms: Gather behind the clergy. Chorister and Sunday School children will be along the path with bells. For the Gospel Reading Gospel Bearer will hold the gospel. Torch bearers should be on either side of the reader (unless it is too windy).

Procession: If it is not pouring down rain we will start in the courtyard, go through the Garden of Remembrance and into the back of the church through the front door. If it is pouring we will start in the Great Hall and cross the skybridge.

Procession begins after the people say, “In the name of Christ. Amen”

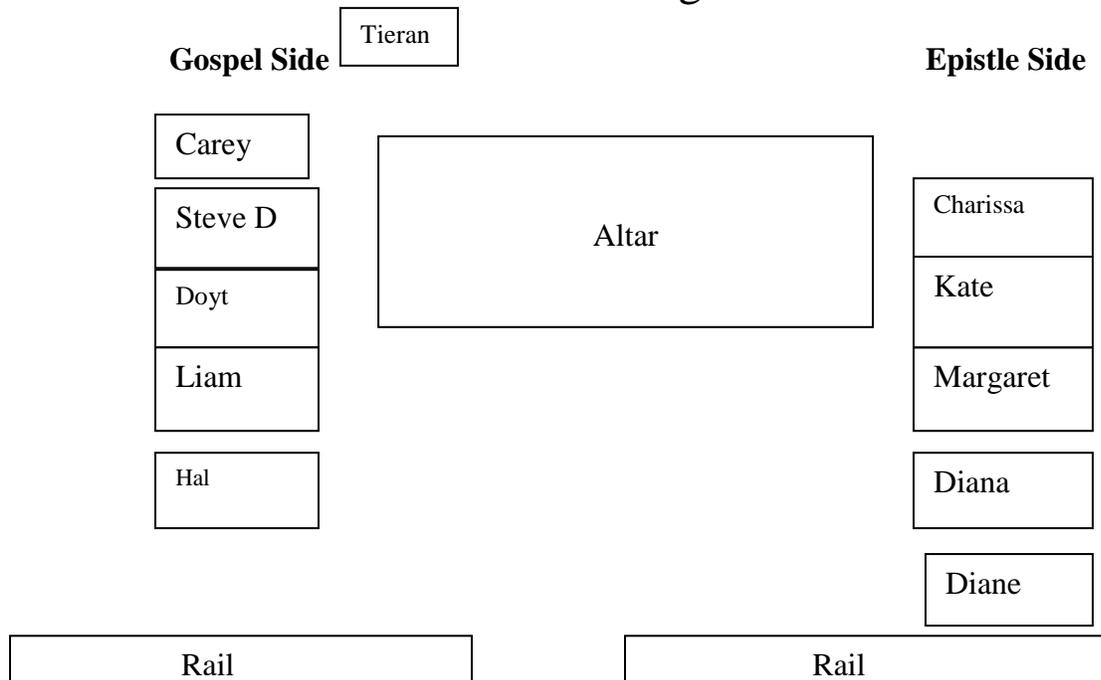
1st Crucifer, Torch bearers and Gospel Bearer will lead. The choir will follow the Gospel. Go to your places in the sanctuary. Tieran you can place the Gospel on the Gospel side of the altar. You will not take it out in procession.

Following the choir Charissa will lead the Sunday school with the second cross. She will go up the center aisle, turn right at the bottom of the chancel steps and lead the Sunday school down the stairs to their class. She will then come back up the stairs and place the cross by the sacristy door and go to her place.

Diane will follow the Congregation with the third cross. The choristers will fall in behind the third Cross. They will drop their bells into a box at the door of the church and reassemble themselves in the narthex if they need to, to get ready for the procession. Carey, Steve Day, Doyt and Kate will bring up the end.

Everyone will be in their place now except Diane, the choristers, Carey, Steve and the clergy. They will be in the narthex. The prelude will stop. Doyt will say the prayer. Tom F. will play All glory, laud and honor and the mini-procession will enter the nave at the beginning of the first verse.

Seating



Organ

Passion Readers

Choristers

Choir

Doyt

Intercessor: Carey

Wait for the cue from Kate as to when to leave your seat. It will be a LONG pause (we're aiming for 90 seconds, but it will probably be closer to 75). Pause before saying "Most Merciful God"

Eucharist Notes:

Charissa will receive the offering. Hal and Margaret will receive the elements from the ushers.

Go to the ends of the altar in unison at the end of the Offertory Hymn. It helps if you put your hymnal down before the end of the last verse. Discretely alert those around you to come too.

Do not bring your bulletins with you.

Eucharist Stations:

Liam and Margaret: Bottom of the steps by the sanctuary.

Tierna and Hal: Bottom of the steps to the chancel.

Carey with Doyt.

Diana with Kate on the Epistle side

Steve D. with Charissa on the Gospel side.

Retiring procession:

Begin just after the Amen. Follow Diane. Crucifer, TB 1 and 2, Gospel Bearer, EMs and priests will exit in silence. They will stop at the third row of pews. Doyt will dismiss from there. The altar party will then process down the center aisle.

The second crucifer goes to the top of the sanctuary steps. As soon as the dismissal has been said the 2nd crucifer should leave. At the bottom of the chancel step turn left and then head down the stairs. The choristers and choir should follow you and then the kids. You may come back up the stairs after all of the kids have gotten down the stairs.