

Opportunities & Challenges

Ministry

- Presiding
- Concelebration
- Lay Ministry
- Collaborative ministry

Formation

- Basic Liturgical formation
- Formation for the Assembly
- Basic formation for ministry
- Respecting the text/
knowing the Missal
- Making the connections:
Liturgy for life/catechesis/
homily

Participation

- Liturgy Preparation
- Silence
- 'It's not just about us' –
*Liturgy as Catholic, Cosmic &
Eschatological*
- Appropriate Adaptation of the
Liturgy – for celebrations with
schools, young people etc
- Liturgy and issues of
Inclusion/Exclusion:
children; ecumenism; other
faiths (Participation)

Symbols

- Quality/integrity of Symbols:
Bread/Wine/Candles
- Sunday
- Posture
- Music and the Mass
- Incensing
- Flowers and Decoration

Gathering

- How well do we prepare to
gather?
- The Introductory Rites

Liturgy of the Word

- Participating in the Liturgy of
the Word
- Preparing a reading
- Preparing a homily
- Preparing the Prayer of the
Faithful

Liturgy of the Eucharist

- Participating in the Liturgy of
the Eucharist
- Preparation of the Gifts
- The Sunday Collections
- Praying the Eucharistic Prayer
- Choosing a Eucharistic Prayer

Communion Rite

- Communion Procession
- Breaking the Bread
- Communion under Both
Kinds
- Use of Tabernacle

Others

- Weekday Mass
- Choosing the readings
- Responding to Events
- Church ordering
- Sacred Images
- Liturgical development and
Tradition

