

2010 Roman Missal - PRIEST'S EXCERPTS

Initial Greeting

The Lord be with you. Or:

**The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. Or:**

**Grace to you and peace from God our Father
and the Lord Jesus Christ.**

Penitential Act

**Brethren (brothers and sisters), let us acknowledge our sins,
and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.**

I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,

And, striking their breast, they say:

through my fault, through my fault,
through my most grievous fault;

Then they continue:

therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God. Or:

Have mercy on us, O Lord. *For we have sinned against you.*

Show us, O Lord, your mercy. *And grant us your salvation.*

**May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins,
and bring us to everlasting life.**

Blessing a Deacon before the Gospel

May the Lord be in your heart and on your lips,
that you may proclaim his Gospel worthily and well,
in the name of the Father and of the Son
✠ and of the Holy Spirit.

Preparing oneself for the Gospel

Cleanse my heart and my lips, almighty God,
that I may worthily proclaim your holy Gospel.

After the Gospel

Through the words of the Gospel
may our sins be wiped away.

When purifying the sacred vessels

What has passed our lips as food, O Lord,
may we possess in purity of heart,
that what has been given to us in time
may be our healing for eternity.

The Solemn Blessing

**And may the blessing of almighty God,
the Father, and the Son, ✠ and the Holy Spirit,
come down on you and remain with you for ever.**

Dismissals

Go forth, the Mass is ended. Or:

Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord. Or:

Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life. Or:

Go in peace.