

O God, whose mercy is from everlasting
 to everlasting and our all year month,
 We, whom Thou hast brought again
 to this high and holy hour, give Thee
 thanks for this fresh opportunity of
 receiving at Thy bountiful hand
 and of sharing the fellowship of Thy
 people; Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

We confess that we have been
 unworthy of the least of Thy gifts.
 Day after day we have have offended
 against Thee in thought and in word
 and in deed. We have dishonoured Thy
 name by our carelessness and by
 our slackness have prevented Thy
 purposes for ourselves and for others
 from being fulfilled. We remember
 promises we failed to keep and them
 we failed to fulfill. The excuses
 we fashioned to hide our falter-
 ing loyalty from ourselves cannot
 hide our faltering loyalty to Thee.
 We approach Thee not through any
 merit of our own, but through the
 and mediation of Jesus Christ.

Forgive us this morning from thinking
 that what we have been we must
 always be. Remind us which our hearts
 condemn us, that Thou art greater than
 our hearts and canst cleanse us from
 all unrighteousness —

Prayer of Thanks for the Bread & Cup:
Dear Lord and Father of us all: We thank
Thee for this bread and cup which
remind us of your great love for us as
as expressed in the life, death, and re-
surrection of Jesus Christ our Savi-
or. We draw near to Thee in humility
and reverence, confessing our sins,
knowing that in Thee we will find
forgiveness, refuge, hope, and salvation,
Now and forever. Amen.

Words of institution for the Bread:
And as they were eating, he took bread,
and blessed, and broke it, and gave
it to them, and said, "Take; this is my
body."

Words of institution for the Cup: and he
took a cup and when he had given thanks
he gave it to them, and they all drank
of it. And he said to some of them, "This
is my blood of the covenant, which is
poured out for many."