

## The Mass

Can you name the four parts of the Mass?

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Put the stages of the Mass in order with number 1 being the first stage, number 2 being the second and so on.

The priest gives his sermon or talk to the congregation. \_\_\_\_\_

The people in the church answer 'And with your spirit' to greet the priest. \_\_\_\_\_

He says 'The Lord be with you' to finish the mass. \_\_\_\_\_

Everybody answers 'And with your spirit' to conclude the mass. \_\_\_\_\_

The priest blesses the Holy Bread and Wine. \_\_\_\_\_

The priest comes out onto the altar. \_\_\_\_\_

The first and second readings are read from the Bible. \_\_\_\_\_

The Prayers of the Faithful are read. \_\_\_\_\_

People leave the church. \_\_\_\_\_

Everybody stands up to listen to the Gospel reading. \_\_\_\_\_

Everybody shakes hands for the Sign of Peace. \_\_\_\_\_

The priest walks off the altar. \_\_\_\_\_

People receive Communion. \_\_\_\_\_

The priest says 'The Lord be with you' to welcome the congregation. \_\_\_\_\_

The priest leads the prayers after Communion. \_\_\_\_\_

Which stage is the most important part of the mass, do you think?  
Write your answer and reason for your choice below.

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# Stages of the Mass Sequencing **Answers**

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The priest gives his sermon or talk to the congregation. **6**

The people in the church answer 'And with your spirit' to greet the priest. **3**

He says 'The Lord be with you' to finish the mass. **12**

Everybody answers 'And with your spirit' to conclude the mass. **13**

The priest blesses the Holy Bread and Wine. **8**

The priest comes out onto the altar. **1**

The first and second readings are read from the Bible. **4**

The Prayers of the Faithful are read. **7**

People leave the church. **15**

Everybody stands up to listen to the Gospel reading. **5**

Everybody shakes hands for the Sign of Peace. **9**

The priest walks off the altar. **14**

People receive Communion. **10**

The priest says 'The Lord be with you' to welcome the congregation. **2**

The priest leads the prayers after Communion. **11**