

Rite of Election

Overview

- I. Gather Rite
- II. Liturgy of the Word
- III. Celebration of Election
- IV. Celebration of the Call to Continuing Conversion
- V. Intercessions for the Elect and Candidates
- VI. Concluding Rite

I. Gathering Rite

Pages 2 to 5

- Hymn
- Greeting
- Penitential Rite
- Opening Prayer

II. Liturgy of the Word

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- 1st Reading
- Psalm
- 2nd Reading
- Gospel
- Acclamation
- Gospel
- Homily

III. Celebration of Election

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- Presentation of Catechumens
- Confirmation by Sponsors and Assembly
- Act of Admission or Election

IV. Celebration of the Call to Continuing Conversion

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- Calling of Candidates who wish to complete their Christian Initiation
- Affirmation by Sponsors and the Assembly
- Act of Recognition

Intercessions for the Elect and Candidates

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- Invitation to Prayer
- Intercessions
- Prayer over the Elect and Candidates

VI. Concluding Rite

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- Solemn Blessing
- Dismissal
- Hymn

The Easter Vigil

Overview of the Easter Vigil

- I. Service of Light
- II. Liturgy of the Word
- III. Liturgy of Baptism
- IV. Liturgy of Eucharist

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Liturgy of Baptism

Overview of the Liturgy of Baptism

- I. Celebration of Baptism
- II. Celebration of Confirmation
- III. Renewal of Baptism for the Assembly
- IV. Sprinkling with Baptismal Water

Celebration of Baptism

- Presentation of Candidates
- Invitation to Prayer
- Litany of the Saints
- Prayer over the Water
- Renunciation of Sin
- Profession of Faith
- Baptism
- Explanatory Rites
 - Clothing with Baptismal Garment (Optional)
 - Presentation of a Lighted Candle
- Sprinkling of Baptismal Water

Celebration of Confirmation

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- Invitation
- Laying on of Hands
- Anointing with Chrism
- Sign of Peace

