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Catholic Reunion

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REUNION WITH THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

The candidate stands with two witnesses in front of the vicar or a priest delegated by him. A table with crucifix, Bible and two lighted candles shall be setup.

CEL: What do you desire?

CANDIDATE: I desire to reunite with the Catholic Church.

CEL: May God bless you.

The candidate makes the profession of faith as follows:

I *(name)* ....., firmly believe / and publicly declare / all the truth contained / in the profession of faith.

I believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, make of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen. I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, one in Being with the Father, Through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation / he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit / he was born of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake / he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered, died, and was buried. On the third day he rose again in fulfillment of the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven / and is seated at the right hand of the Father, He will come again in glory / to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son / he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy / catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

(The candidate places right hand on the Bible and continues).

I firmly accept and embrace / all that are taught and proclaimed by the church / collectively or individually / on faith and morals using the supreme or ordinary authority. I especially declare my firm faith / in the mystery of church, sacraments, Holy Mass and supremacy of the Pope.

ALL: Praise be to God.

CEL: May the providence of Our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God the Father, and dwelling of the Holy Spirit be with you, now, always, + and forever.

ALL: Amen.

(Documentation of the reunion is to be recorded in the baptismal register).

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