



*we offer Jesus on the altar back to the Father?*

Acknowledging the mystery of having Jesus present on the altar, the priest speaks for all of us - "we" are celebrating the memorial of Jesus' Death and Resurrection and offering to the Father the "Bread of Life and Chalice of salvation". The Mass fulfills Jesus' request at the Last Supper, "Do this in memory of me." Jesus wanted his disciples to hold forever in their minds and hearts this momentous occasion. The eucharistic meal at the Last Supper and his sacrificial death on the altar of the cross must never be forgotten. As disciples, like those before us, we cherish his body and blood as priceless gifts and offer them back to the Father in thanksgiving. *Want to know more? Our Adult Ed offerings cover this and much more!*