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- Quietly explain the parts of mass.
- Sing the hymns, pray and voice the responses, Children learn liturgical behaviour from copying you.
- If you need to leave Mass with your child, please feel free to do so, but please come back.

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