

Nicene Creed

I trust in God, the source of all that was, that is, that can ever be.

I trust in the Hand of God, source of all life, source of all power, who is making heaven and earth, who is making all that is, seen and unseen.

I trust in the Wisdom of God, my only Lord, the only Child of God, who shone from the Hand of God before anything was, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, a child, not something made, at heart the same as the Hand of God; through the Wisdom of God all things are designed and made. For us and to bring us to safety, the Wisdom of God came down from heaven, was anointed by the Hand of God, and was given a body by the Spirit from the Virgin Mary and became truly human, taking the name Jesus. For our sake Jesus was crucified at the command of Pontius Pilate, endured death and was buried. On the third day Jesus rose again from death as the Scriptures teach, went up into heaven to be alongside the Hand of God, and will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and the kingdom of Jesus, the Anointed of God, the Wisdom of God, will have no end.

I trust in the Spirit of God, who is within the making of everything, within the life of everything, who comes from the Hand of God and the Wisdom of God, who with the Hand of God and the Wisdom of God is given honour and glory, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe one holy, worldwide Church, rooted in the apostles. I need one washing away of all that is wrong in me. I look for the living again of those who have died, and for the life of the world to come. Amen.