

RITE OF DEDICATION of a Memorial Gift

Priest: Our help + is in the name of the Lord
All: Who made heaven and earth

Priest: The Lord be with you
All: And also with you

Priest: Blessed are you Lord God of all creation,
through your goodness we have this gift to offer,
a sign of devotion to you
and the fruit of the skills you have given us.
Accept it and the love of those who gave it
for the one in whose memory it has been made.
All: Blessed be God for ever

Priest: In the faith of Christ and for the benefit of his holy Church
we dedicate this to the glory of God
and in thanksgiving for the life of his *son/daughter*;
in the name of the Father + and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen

The priest sprinkles the memorial with holy water

Priest: O God the maker and redeemer of all mankind,
grant us with your servant and all your faithful departed,
the sure benefits of your son's saving passion
and glorious resurrection;
that in the last day when you gather up all things in Christ
we may, with them, enjoy the fullness of your promises;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen