

Know your Church



Hello my name is Mary and I am seven years old. Every Sunday I go to church to pray and attend Sunday School. I love church but I have some questions about the liturgy. I will have to ask my priest.

"Father, why do we take off our shoes before we enter the altar? "

"We take off our shoes before we enter the altar because the altar is a Holy place" explained the priest.

God ordered Moses to do this on Mount Horeb. God commanded,

"Take off your shoes for this is a Holy place"

(Exodus 3:5)



We must remember that the altar is the most Holy place and we cannot talk with our friends but we have to participate in singing and praying.

