

**Liturgical Ministry Retreat
September 17, 2022
Break Out Session for EMHCs**

The names given by the Church for the sacrament of the Eucharist help us to understand more deeply what is happening, and what takes place, when this sacrament is celebrated. The Catechism explains: "The inexhaustible richness of this sacrament is expressed in the different names we give it. Each name evokes certain aspects of it." CCC 1328.

Below are explanations for each of the different names given for the sacrament. Fill in the blank from the choices available below with the name that corresponds to the description given. (*You may confer and discuss the appropriate answers with others at your table.*)

This sacrament is called:

_____ because it is an action of thanksgiving to God.

_____ because of its connection with the supper which the Lord took with his disciples on the eve of his Passion and because it anticipates the wedding feast of the Lamb in the heavenly Jerusalem.

_____ because Jesus used this rite, part of a Jewish meal, when as master of the table he blessed and distributed the bread, above all at the Last Supper.

_____ because the Eucharist is celebrated amid the assembly of the faithful, the visible expression of the Church.

_____ of the Lord's Passion and Resurrection [because these events "become in a certain way present and real." CCC 1363]

_____ because it makes present the one sacrifice of Christ the Savior and includes the Church's offering.

_____ because the Church's whole liturgy finds its center and most intense expression in the celebration of this sacrament.

_____ because by this sacrament we unite ourselves to Christ, who makes us sharers in his Body and Blood to form a single body.

_____ because the liturgy in which the mystery of salvation is accomplished concludes with the sending forth (*missio*) of the faithful, so that they may fulfill God's will in their daily lives.

The <i>Eucharistic assembly</i>	Eucharist	The <i>memorial</i>	The Lord's Supper	<i>Holy Mass</i>
The <i>Breaking of Bread</i>	The <i>Holy and Divine Liturgy</i>	The <i>Holy Sacrifice</i>	<i>Holy Communion</i>	