Nicaea 1700 Leavers' Service Version (text in bold to be spoken in unison)

Reader 1: What do you believe?

As we stand here together in this room right now

and celebrate the Year of Faith,

I wonder:

All: What do you believe?

Reader 2: In our assemblies, and nativities,

and harvest festivities,

I wonder

All: What do you believe?

Reader 3: As we stretch out our hands to share Peace and for bread,

as we lift up our voices and bow down our heads,

as we love one another just like Jesus said:

All: What do you believe?

Reader 4: Do you believe in the Father who flung stars into space,

whose image of kindness can be found in your face,

whose unending love fills every embrace:

All: What do you believe?

Reader 5: Do you believe in the Son,

the one who would come and save us all,

with a promise to be with us until the Kingdom will dawn:

All: What do you believe?

Reader 6: Do you believe in the Spirit? The giver of life?

Who pours out its gifts at our baptism start, and makes us one faith, one body, one heart:

All: What do you believe?

Reader 7: Do you believe in the church? Who is called to unite!

To be beacons of hope and children of light:

All: What do you believe?

Service leader: We stand with the Saints, and join with their praise,

in this room here, right now, all our voices we raise!

To proclaim our faith, our Creed, our Way.

In our leavers' service today, we say:

We believe.