

### Prayer for Priestly Vocations

Lord Jesus Christ, Shepherd of souls, Who called the apostles to be fishers of men, raise new apostles in Your Holy Church. Teach them that to serve You is to reign; to possess You is to possess all things.

Kindle in the hearts of our young people the fire of zeal for souls.

Grant them the courage to follow You, who are the Way, the Truth and the Life, Who lives and reigns forever and ever.

Amen.



#### With Prayerful Gratitude to:

Almighty God, to Whom belongs all glory, and from Whom the blessing of a priestly vocation flows.

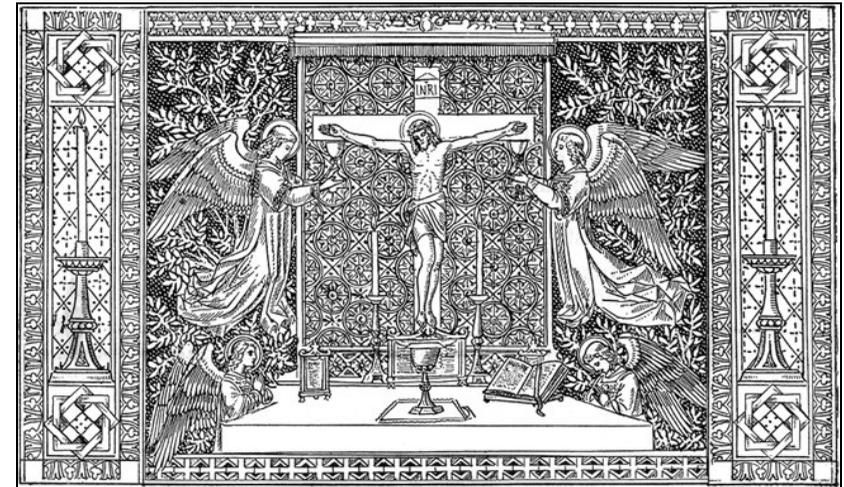
Dr. Kevin D. Parizo, Mr. Gary Moreau and the choir of the Cathedral, Co-Cathedral and other parishes who added solemnity and dignity to this celebration.

The Knights of Columbus and the Knights of the Holy Sepulchre.

## SOLEMN MASS OF ORDINATION

TO THE ORDER OF DEACON  
**MR. CURTIS MILLER**

TO THE SACRED PRIESTHOOD OF  
JESUS CHRIST  
**REVEREND MR. SCOTT GRATTON**



**THE ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON**  
**THE CO-CATHEDRAL OF SAINT JOSEPH**  
**JULY 11, 2015**

# The Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington

Principal Celebrant and Homilist:

The Most Reverend Christopher J. Coyne, D.D., S.L.D.  
Tenth Bishop of Burlington

Principal Concelebrant:

Reverend Monsignor John J. McDermott  
Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia

Reverend Father Jay Haskin, Senior Priest of the Diocese of Burlington

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Vesting Priests

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Director of Vocations and Chaplain of the UVM Catholic Center

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Reverend Father James Quigley, O.P. of The Pontifical North American College

Masters of Ceremony

Reverend Monsignor Peter A. Routhier  
Reverend Monsignor Bernard W. Bourgeois

Readers:

Mrs. Caitlyn Sisler  
Mr. Francois Daigneault

Gift Bearers:

Mr. Edward Miller and Mrs. Judy Miller  
Mr. Peter Gratton and Mrs. Janet Gratton

Servers at the Altar:

Seminarians of the Diocese of Burlington and Cathedral Altar Servers

Recessional Hymn: *O God Beyond All Praising*, #544



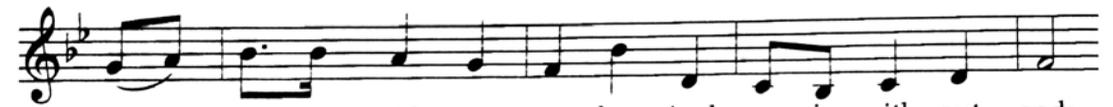
1. O God be-yond all prais-ing, We wor-ship you to - day
2. The flow'r of earth-ly splen-dor In time must sure - ly die,
3. Then hear, O gra-cious Sav - ior, Ac - cept the love we bring,



1. And sing the love a - maz-ing That songs can - not re - pay;
2. Its frag - ile bloom sur - ren - der To you, the Lord most high;
3. That we who know your fa - vor May serve you as our King;



1. For we can on - ly won - der At ev - 'ry gift you send,
2. But hid - den from all na - ture Th'e - ter - nal seed is sown,
3. And wheth - er our to - mor - rows Be filled with good or ill,



1. At bless - ings with - out num - ber And mer - cies with - out end:
2. Though small in mor - tal stat - ure, To heav - en's gar - den grown:
3. We'll tri - umph through our sor - rows And rise to bless you still:



1. We lift our hearts be - fore you And wait up - on your word,
2. For Christ the man from heav - en From death has set us free,
3. To mar - vel at your beau - ty And glo - ry in your ways,



1. We hon - or and a - dore you, Our great and might - y Lord.
2. And we through him are giv - en The fi - nal vic - to - ry.
3. And make a joy - ful du - ty Our sac - ri - fice of praise.

# The Order of the Mass

## The Concluding Rite

### Prayer after Communion

### Blessing of the Newly Ordained and the People

**Bishop:** Blessed be the name of the Lord.  
*All:* *Now and forever.*

**Bishop:** Our help is in the name of the Lord.  
*All:* *Who made heaven and earth.*

## Blessing

*Following the Recessional, Father Gratton will impart his Priestly Blessing to the priests and to the laity in front of the altar in the lower church. There is a light reception being held immediately after the ordination in St. Joseph parish hall. All are welcome to attend.*

## Prelude

### INTRODUCTORY RITES

**Entrance Hymn:** *Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain #186*

### Greeting

### Penitential Act

**Gloria:** *“Glory to God in the Highest” Heritage Mass#886*

### Collect

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

**First Reading:** The Prophet Jeremiah 1:4-9

**Responsorial Psalm:** “Forever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.”

**Second Reading:** Acts of the Apostles 6:1-7b

**Gospel Acclamation:** Luke 4:18

**Gospel:** John 15:9-17

## THE RITE OF ORDINATION

### Calling and Presentation of the Candidate for the Diaconate

#### Election by the Bishop and the Consent of the People

After the candidate has been presented, the Bishop elects him for ordination, with the people's consent. (*Applause is an appropriate sign of approval.*)

### Calling and Presentation of the Candidate for the Priesthood

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#### Homily

The Most Reverend Christopher J. Coyne

### Promise of the Elect for the Diaconate

### Promise of the Elect for the Priesthood

#### Litany of Supplication

*(Please kneel)*

The Church invokes the intercession of the saints and martyrs in heaven to intercede for the candidate and the entire pilgrim Church on earth, asking for God to pour forth His grace and mercy.

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts:	<i>The King of Love, My Shepherd Is #472</i>
Holy, Holy, Holy:	<i>Heritage Mass</i>
The Mystery of Faith:	<i>Heritage Mass</i>
Great Amen:	<i>Heritage Mass</i>

## THE COMMUNION RITE

The Lord's Prayer

The Sign of Peace

Lamb of God

Communion Hymn:	<i>Jesus, My Lord, My God, My All</i> <i>(handout)</i>
	<i>Adoro Te Devote #413</i>
	<i>Panis Angelicus #370</i>

#### **Guidelines for the Reception of Communion:**

*The Eucharist is the very Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Our Lord Jesus Christ. We believe the reception of the Most Holy Eucharist is the greatest privilege extended to us as children of God. Receiving Our Lord in the Eucharist presupposes Divine and Ecclesial unity; therefore, only practicing Catholics who are free of serious sin, have fasted for at least one hour, and are in full unity with the Catholic Church, should present themselves for Holy Communion.*

*All who are not receiving Holy Communion are encouraged to express in their hearts a prayerful desire for unity with the Lord Jesus and with one another.*

**Presentation of the Gifts**

The handing over of the bread and wine, placed into the hands of the newly ordained, points to his duty of presiding at the Celebration of the Eucharist and of following Christ crucified. The Bishop says, *“Receive the oblation of the holy people, to be offered to God. Understand what you do, imitate what you celebrate, and conform your life to the mystery of the Lord’s cross.”*

**First the Priest, then the Deacon receive the Fraternal Kiss from the Bishop**

**Priests present give the Fraternal Kiss to the Newly Ordained Priest**

**Deacons present give the Fraternal Kiss to the Newly Ordained Deacon**



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| <i>Cantor:</i>                         | <i>All:</i>        |
| Lord, have mercy .....                 | Lord, have mercy   |
| Christ, have mercy.....                | Christ, have mercy |
| Lord, have mercy .....                 | Lord, have mercy   |
| Holy Mary, Mother of God.....          | pray for us        |
| Saint Michael.....                     | pray for us        |
| Holy Angels of God.....                | pray for us        |
| Saint John the Baptist .....           | pray for us        |
| Saint Joseph .....                     | pray for us        |
| Saints Peter and Paul.....             | pray for us        |
| Saint Andrew .....                     | pray for us        |
| Saint John .....                       | pray for us        |
| Saint Mary Magdalene.....              | pray for us        |
| Saint Stephen .....                    | pray for us        |
| Saint Ignatius of Antioch .....        | pray for us        |
| Saint Lawrence .....                   | pray for us        |
| Saint Vincent.....                     | pray for us        |
| Saint Perpetua and Saint Felicity..... | pray for us        |
| Saint Agnes.....                       | pray for us        |
| Saint Gregory.....                     | pray for us        |
| Saint Augustine .....                  | pray for us        |
| Saint Lucy .....                       | pray for us        |
| Saint Basil .....                      | pray for us        |
| Saint Ephrem.....                      | pray for us        |
| Saint Martin.....                      | pray for us        |
| Saint Benedict .....                   | pray for us        |
| Saint Francis .....                    | pray for us        |
| Saint Dominic .....                    | pray for us        |
| Saint John Vianney .....               | pray for us        |
| Saint Catherine of Siena .....         | pray for us        |
| Saint Teresa of Jesus.....             | pray for us        |
| Saint Anthony.....                     | pray for us        |
| Saint Cecilia.....                     | pray for us        |

*Cantor:* Saint Agatha.....pray for us  
Saint Thérèse of Lisieux.....pray for us  
Saint Anne.....pray for us  
Saint Monica..... pray for us  
Saint Benedict Labre..... pray for us  
Saint Andre Bessette.....pray for us  
Saint Isaac Jogues.....pray for us  
Saint Vincent dePaul.....pray for us  
Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati.....pray for us  
All holy men and women, Saints of God.....pray for us

*All:*

Lord, be merciful ..... Lord, deliver us, we pray  
From all evil ..... Lord, deliver us, we pray  
From every sin..... Lord, deliver us, we pray  
From everlasting death ..... Lord, deliver us, we pray  
By your Incarnation..... Lord, deliver us, we pray  
By your Death and Resurrection..... Lord, deliver us, we pray  
By the outpouring of the Holy Spirit ..... Lord, deliver us, we pray

Be merciful to us sinners .....Lord, we ask you, hear our prayer  
Govern and protect your holy Church .....Lord, we ask you, hear our prayer  
Keep the Pope and all the ordained in faithful  
service to your Church.....Lord, we ask you, hear our prayer

Bless these chosen men .....Lord, we ask you, hear our prayer  
Bless and sanctify these chosen men .....Lord, we ask you, hear our prayer  
Bless, sanctify, and consecrate these chosen men .....Lord, we ask you, hear our prayer  
Bring all peoples together in peace  
and true harmony .....Lord, we ask you, hear our prayer  
Comfort with your mercy the troubled  
and the afflicted .....Lord, we ask you, hear our prayer

Strengthen all of us and keep us

in your holy service .....Lord, we ask you, hear our prayer  
Jesus, Son of the living God .....Lord, we ask you, hear our prayer

Christ hear us ..... Christ hear us

Christ, graciously hear us ..... Christ, graciously hear us

### **Laying On of Hands and Prayer of Ordination to the Diaconate**

Through the Laying on of Hands by the Bishop and the Prayer of Ordination, the gift of the Holy Spirit for the diaconal office is conferred on the candidate.

### **Investiture with Diaconal Stole and Dalmatic**

The newly ordained is vested in a stole and dalmatic, signs of the office of deacon.

### **Handing On of the Book of the Gospels**

The newly ordained kneels before the Bishop who prays, *“Receive the Gospel of Christ, whose herald you have become. Believe what you read, teach what you believe, and practice what you teach.”*

### **Laying On of Hands and Prayer of Ordination to the Priesthood**

Through the Laying on of Hands by the Bishop and the Prayer of Ordination, the gift of the Holy Spirit for the priestly office is conferred on the candidate. The other priests present lay hands on the candidate to signify incorporation into the priesthood.

### **Investiture with Stole and Chasuble**

The newly ordained is vested in a stole and chasuble, signs of the office of the ministerial priesthood.

### **Anointing of Hands**

The newly ordained priest’s hands are anointed with Sacred Chrism, as the Bishop says, *“The Lord Jesus Christ, whom the Father anointed with the Holy spirit and power, guard you and preserve you, that you may sanctify the Christian people and offer sacrifice to God.”*