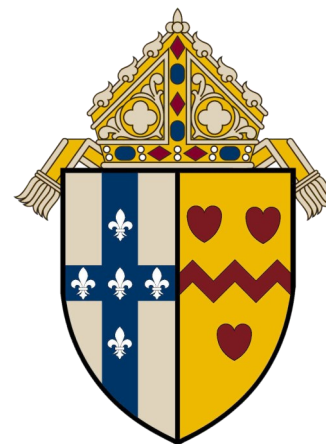


He said to them, “The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.”

Luke 10:2

Personal Ordinariate
of Our Lady of Walsingham
under the patronage of Blessed John Henry Newman

Ordination of Priest



Saturday the 30th of October 2021, 12 noon
Our Lady of the Assumption and St Gregory's, Warwick Street

Celebrated by His Eminence Vincent Cardinal Nichols
Archbishop of Westminster
at the request of the Rt Revd Mgr. Keith Newton, Ordinary

Please pray for

Michael Nazir-Ali

to be ordained to the Sacred Order of Priest today.

Final hymn

1 Christ is the King! O friends rejoice!
Brothers and sisters, with one voice
Make all men know he is your choice:
Alleluya.

2 The first Apostles round them drew
Thousands of faithful men and true,
Sharing a faith for ever new:
Alleluya.

3 Then magnify the Lord, and raise
Anthems of joy and holy praise
For Christ's brave saints of ancient days:
Alleluya.

4 O Christian women, Christian men,
All the world over, seek again
The Way disciples followed then:
Alleluya.

5 Christ through all ages is the same;
Place the same hope in his great name,
With the same faith his word proclaim:
Alleluya.

6 Let Love's unconquerable might
God's people everywhere unite
In service to the Lord of light.
Alleluya.

George Bell (1883-1958)

At the end of Mass, the newly ordained priest will return to the altar to give personal blessings to those who wish to receive one.

Postcommunion

All stand.

Cardinal: Let us pray.

WE pray thee, O Lord: that thy Sacraments may in such wise accomplish in us their perfect work; that we who now have offered them in outward fashion, may inwardly receive them in verity and truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

Mgr. Newton will give a few short notices.

Fr Michael Nazir-Ali will address the congregation.

The Concluding Rites

Cardinal: The Lord be with you.

All: And with thy spirit.

Cardinal: Blessed be the name of the Lord.

All: Now and forever.

Cardinal: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

All: Who hath made heaven and earth.

The peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord;

and the blessing of God Almighty, the ✠ Father, the ✠ Son, and the Holy ✠ Spirit, be amongst you, and remain with you always.

All: Amen.

Deacon: Go forth in peace.

All: Thanks be to God.

The Last Gospel is read.

Thanks

The Angelus will be sung at 12 noon.

We are very grateful to His Eminence Cardinal Nichols for graciously agreeing to preside at this ordination. We welcome other bishops, ecumenical guests, family and friends of Michael who are here to support him.

We would also like to thank Keith Brown, Director of Music at Our Lady of the Assumption and St Gregory's, Warwick Street, the choir, the servers, sidesmen, and those who prepared the reception.

There will be light refreshments in the Film and Television charity offices at 22 Golden Square after this Mass. Please leave the church by the main door and turn right, then right at the end of the road and then right into Golden Square, number 22 is about 25 metres into the square. Refreshments will be served on the ground floor and basement rooms.

The collection at the offertory will be for the Priest Training Fund. It costs a considerable amount of money to prepare men for ordination. Please be generous.

Today's Mass setting is Herbert Howells: *Collegium Regale*.

At the end of Mass, the newly ordained priest will return to the altar to give personal blessings to those who wish to receive one.

The Order of Mass

All stand at the sound of the sacristy bell for the entrance of the clergy.

1 PRAISE to the Holiest in the height,

And in the depth be praise,

In all his words most wonderful,

Most sure in all his ways.

2 O loving wisdom of our God!

When all was sin and shame,

A second Adam to the fight

And to the rescue came.

3 *O wisest love! that flesh and

blood,

Which did in Adam fail,

Should strive afresh against the foe,

Should strive and should prevail;

4 *And that a higher gift than grace

Should flesh and blood refine,

God's presence and his very self,

And essence all-divine.

5 O generous love! that he who smote

In Man for man the foe,

The double agony in Man

For man should undergo;

6 And in the garden secretly,

And on the cross on high,

Should teach his brethren, and inspire

To suffer and to die.

7 Praise to the Holiest in the height,

And in the depth be praise,

In all his words most wonderful,

Most sure in all his ways.

Amen.

John Henry Newman 1801-90

At the entrance of the Cardinal the choir sings

Anton Bruckner 1824-1896 : Ecce Sacerdos Magnus

As the Cardinal and ministers arrive at the Altar the choir sings the Introit and the prayers at the foot of the Altar are said.

3 We pray thee too for wanderers
from thy fold;

O bring them back, good Shepherd
of the sheep,

Back to the faith which saints
believed of old,

Back to the Church which still that
faith doth keep:

Soon may we all one Bread, one
Body be,

One through this Sacrament of
unity.

4 So, Lord, at length when
sacraments shall cease,

May we be one with all thy church
above,

One with thy saints in one
unbroken peace,

One with thy saints in one
unbounded love:

More blessed still, in peace and love
to be

One with the Trinity in Unity.

William Turton 1856-1938

Then the Cardinal standing and the People kneeling, all say the following:

Almighty and everliving God,
we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us,
in these holy mysteries,
with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood
of thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ;
and dost assure us thereby
of thy favour and goodness towards us;
and that we are very members incorporate
in the mystical body of thy Son,
he blessed company of all faithful people;
and are also heirs, through hope,
of thy everlasting kingdom,
by the merits of the most precious death and passion
of thy dear Son.

And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father,
so to assist us with thy grace,
that we may continue in that holy fellowship,
and do all such good works as thou hast prepared
for us to walk in;

through Jesus Christ our Lord,
to whom, with thee and the Holy Spirit,
be all honour and glory,
world without end.

Amen.

Cardinal: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him that taketh away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are called to the Supper of the Lamb.

All: **Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldest come under my roof, but speak the word only, and my soul shall be healed.**

The Cardinal then reverently consumes the Body and Blood of Christ and the faithful are invited to receive Holy Communion. The Communion chant is sung, and may be followed by a motet and hymns.

Those who are not in full communion with the Catholic Church or who do not wish to receive Holy Communion, are welcome to come forward for a blessing. Crossing your arms across your chest will indicate to the priest you would like to receive a blessing.

Communion Antiphon

Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel: I am with you always, saith the Lord.

Communion Anthem

Tues Petrus: Robert Lucas Pearsall 1795-1856

Communion Hymns

1 O thou, who at thy Eucharist didst pray That all thy Church might be for ever one, Grant us at every Eucharist to say With longing heart and soul, 'Thy will be done.' Oh, may we all one Bread, one Body be, One through this Sacrament of unity.	2 For all thy Church, O Lord, we intercede; Make thou our sad divisions soon to cease; Draw us the nearer each to each, we plead, By drawing all to thee, O Prince of Peace: Thus may we all one Bread, one Body be, One through this Sacrament of unity.
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Introit

If any man serve me, let him follow me: and where I am, there shall also my servant be.

(Ps) I will always give thanks unto the Lord: his praise shall ever be in my mouth.

GLORY.

The Kyrie and Gloria follow. Please sit when the Cardinal sits.

Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison.

Christe eleison. Christe eleison.

Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison.

Glory be to God on high,
and on earth peace,
good will towards men.

We praise thee,

we bless thee,

we worship thee,

we glorify thee,

we give thanks to thee

for thy great glory,

O Lord God, heavenly King,

God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God,

Son of the Father,

that takest away the sins of the world,

have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away

the sins of the world,

receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,
have mercy upon us.
For thou only art holy;
thou only art the Lord;
thou only, O Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
✠art Most High
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

Herbert Howells: *Collegium Regale*.

Cardinal: Peace be with you.
All: **And with thy spirit.**

Let us pray.

ALmighty God, the giver of all good gifts, who of thy divine providence hast appointed divers Orders in thy Church: give thy grace, we humbly beseech thee, to all who are now called to any office and ministry for thy people; and so fill them with the truth of thy doctrine and clothe them with holiness of life, that they may faithfully serve before thee, to the glory of thy great Name and for the benefit of thy holy Church; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end.

All: **Amen.**

All sit.

The Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

Acts 1. 6-14

Reader: The word of the Lord.
All: **Thanks be to God.**

As the Cardinal takes the Host and breaks it, he sings or says:

Cardinal: Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
All: **Therefore let us keep the feast.**

The People kneel. The Agnus Dei is sung:

**O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.
O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
grant us thy peace.**

Herbert Howells: *Collegium Regale*

Then the Cardinal, bowing profoundly, says, with all who shall receive Communion:

We do not presume
to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord,
trusting in our own righteousness,
but in thy manifold and great mercies.
We are not worthy
so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table.
But thou art the same Lord
whose property is always to have mercy.
Grant us therefore, gracious Lord,
so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ,
and to drink his blood,
that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his Body,
and our souls washed through his most precious Blood,
and that we may evermore dwell in him,
and he in us.
Amen.



Our Fa - ther, who art in heavn, hal-low'd be thy name;
 thyking-dom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heav'n.
 Give us this day our dai - ly bread, and for-give us our tres-pas-ses,
 as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us;
 And lead us not in - to temp-ta - tion, but de - li - ver us from e - vil.

Cardinal: Deliver us, O Lord, we beseech thee, from all evils, past, present, and to come; and at the intercession of the blessed and glorious ever Virgin Mary, Mother of God, with thy blessed Apostles Peter and Paul, and with Andrew, and all the Saints, favourably grant peace in our days, that by the help of thine availing mercy we may ever both be free from sin and safe from all distress.

All: **For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

Cardinal: O Lord Jesus Christ, who saidst to thine Apostles, Peace I leave with you; my peace I give unto you: regard not our sins, but the faith of thy Church; and grant to her peace and unity according to thy will; who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end.

All: **Amen.**

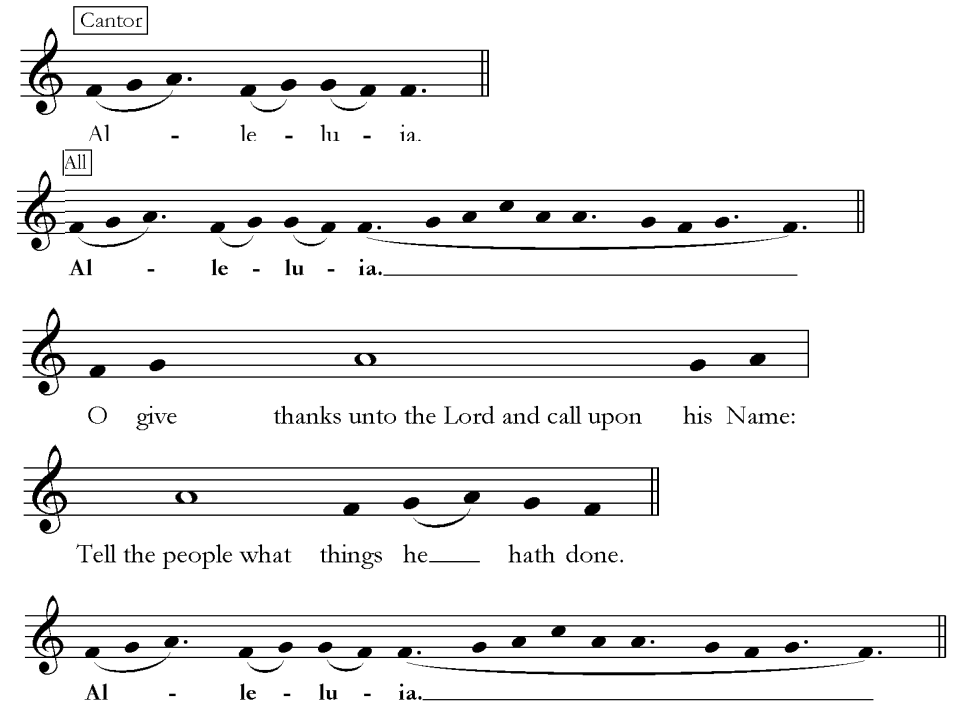
Cardinal: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: **And with thy spirit.**

Gradual

It is better to trust in the Lord than to put any confidence in man. It is better to trust in the Lord than to put any confidence in princes.

All stand as the Deacon proceeds to the Ambo.



Cantor
 Al - le - lu - ia.
 All
 Al - le - lu - ia.
 O give thanks unto the Lord and call upon his Name:
 Tell the people what things he hath done.
 Al - le - lu - ia.

Gospel Reading

Luke 1.39-46

Deacon: The Lord be with you.

All: **And with thy spirit.**

Deacon: ✠ A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

All: **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

At the end of the Gospel, the Deacon acclaims:

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.
All: **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

All remain standing.

RITE OF ORDINATION

CALLING OF THE CANDIDATE

Deacon: Let he who is to be ordained priest
please come forward.
Candidate: Present.

PRESENTATION OF THE CANDIDATE

Fr Halsall: Most Reverend Father, holy mother Church asks you to
ordain this man, our brother, for service as priest.
Cardinal: Do you judge him to be worthy?
Fr Halsall: After inquiry among the people of Christ and upon
recommendation of those concerned with his training,
and with the permission of the Holy See, I testify that
he has been found worthy.

ELECTION BY THE CARDINAL AND CONSENT OF THE PEOPLE

Cardinal: We rely on the help of the Lord God and our Saviour
Jesus Christ, and we choose this man, our brother, for
priesthood in the presbyteral order.
All: Thanks be to God.
Cardinal: The Holy Catholic Church recognises that not a few of the
sacred actions of the Christian religion as carried out in
communities separated from her can truly engender a life
of grace and can rightly be described as providing access
to the community of salvation; therefore we pray:

CC: WE humbly beseech thee, Almighty God, command these offerings
to be brought by the hands of thy holy Angel to thine altar on high, in sight
of thy divine majesty; that all we who at this partaking of the altar shall
receive the most sacred Body and Blood of thy Son, may be fulfilled with
all heavenly ✠ benediction and grace.

C3: REMEMBER also, O Lord, thy servants and handmaids, [N. and N.],
who have gone before us sealed with the seal of faith, and who sleep the
sleep of peace.

To them, O Lord, and to all that rest in Christ, we beseech thee to grant the
abode of refreshing, of light, and of peace.

C4: TO us sinners also, thy servants, who hope in the multitude of thy
mercies, vouchsafe to grant some part and fellowship with thy holy
Apostles and Martyrs; with John, Stephen, Matthias, Barnabas, Ignatius,
Alexander, Marcellinus, Peter, Felicitas, Perpetua, Agatha, Lucy, Agnes,
Cecilia, Anastasia and with all thy saints: within whose fellowship, we
beseech thee, admit us, not weighing our merit, but granting us forgiveness;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

PC: Through whom, O Lord, thou dost ever create all these good things;
dost sanctify, quicken, bless, and bestow them upon us.

CC: BY whom and with whom and in whom, to thee, O Father Almighty,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory throughout all ages,
world without end.

All: **Amen.**

The Communion Rite

Cardinal: As our Saviour Christ hath commanded and taught us, we are
bold to say,

CC: Who the day before he suffered, took bread into his holy and venerable hands, and with eyes lifted up to heaven, unto thee, God, his almighty Father, giving thanks to thee, he blessed, broke and gave it to his disciples, saying:

TAKE THIS, ALL OF YOU, AND EAT OF IT:
FOR THIS IS MY BODY,
WHICH WILL BE GIVEN UP FOR YOU.

Likewise, after supper, taking also this goodly chalice into his holy and venerable hands, again giving thanks to thee, he blessed, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

TAKE THIS, ALL OF YOU, AND DRINK FROM IT,
FOR THIS IS THE CHALICE OF MY BLOOD,
THE BLOOD OF THE NEW AND ETERNAL COVENANT,
WHICH WILL BE POURED OUT FOR YOU AND FOR MANY
FOR THE FORGIVENESS OF SINS.
DO THIS IN MEMORY OF ME.

The mystery of faith:

**All: We proclaim thy Death, O Lord,
and profess thy Resurrection
until thou come again.**

CC: WHEREFORE, O Lord, we thy servants, and thy holy people also, remembering the blessed passion of the same Christ thy Son our Lord, as also his resurrection from the dead, and his glorious ascension into heaven; do offer unto thine excellent majesty of thine own gifts and bounty, the pure victim, the holy victim, the immaculate victim, the holy Bread of eternal life, and the Chalice of everlasting salvation.

CC: VOUCHSAFE to look upon them with a merciful and pleasant countenance; and to accept them, even as thou didst vouchsafe to accept the gifts of thy servant Abel the righteous, and the sacrifice of our patriarch Abraham; and the holy sacrifice, the immaculate victim, which thy high priest Melchisedech offered unto thee.

Cardinal

Almighty Father, we give you thanks for the years of faithful ministry of your servant in the Church of England, whose fruitfulness for salvation has been derived from the very fullness of grace and truth entrusted to the Catholic Church. As your servants have been received into full communion and now seek to be ordained to the presbyterate in the Catholic church, we beseech you to bring to fruition that for which we now pray. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All sit.

HOMILY

Cardinal Vincent Nichols, Archbishop of Westminster

EXAMINATION OF THE CANDIDATE

Cardinal: My son, before you proceed to the order of the presbyterate, declare before the people your intention to undertake this priestly office.

Are you resolved, with the help of the Holy Spirit, to discharge without fail the office of priesthood in the presbyteral order as conscientious fellow workers with the bishops in caring for the Lord's flock?

Candidate: I am.

Are you resolved to celebrate the mysteries of Christ faithfully and religiously as the Church has handed them down to us for the glory of God and the sanctification of Christ's people?

Candidate: I am.

Cardinal: Are you resolved to exercise the ministry of the word worthily and wisely, preaching the Gospel and explaining the Catholic faith?

Candidate: I am.

Cardinal: Are you resolved to consecrate your life to God for the salvation of his people, and to unite yourself more closely every day to Christ the High Priest, who offered himself for us to the Father as a perfect sacrifice?

Candidate: I am, with the help of God.

PROMISE OF OBEDIENCE

Then the candidate goes to the Ordinary and, kneeling before him, places his joined hands between those of the Ordinary . The Ordinary asks:

Mgr. Newton: Do you promise respect and obedience to me and my successors?
Candidate: I do.
Mgr. Newton: May God who has begun the good work in you bring it to fulfilment.

All stand.

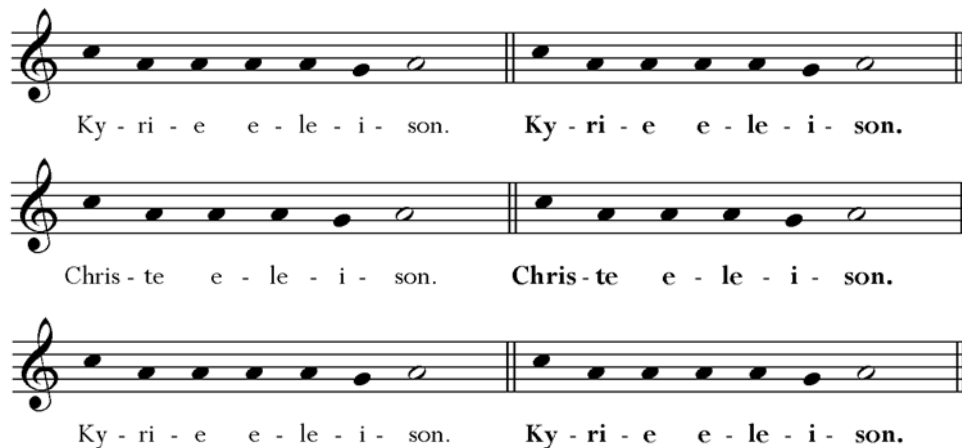
INVITATION TO PRAYER

The candidate prostrates himself before the altar.

Cardinal: My dear people, let us pray,
that the all-powerful Father
may pour the gifts of heaven
on this servant of his,
whom he has chosen to be priest.

Deacon: Let us kneel.

LITANY OF THE SAINTS



Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

Chris - te e - le - i - son. Chris - te e - le - i - son.

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PC: THEREFORE, most merciful Father, we humbly pray thee, through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, and we ask, that thou accept and bless these ✠ gifts, these offerings, these holy and unblemished sacrifices. WE offer them unto thee, first, for thy holy Catholic Church: that thou vouchsafe to keep her in peace, to guard, unite, and govern her throughout the whole world; together with thy servant Francis our Pope, Keith, our Ordinary, and all the faithful guardians of the catholic and apostolic faith.

C1: REMEMBER, O Lord, thy servants and handmaid Michael and all who here around us stand, whose faith is known unto thee and their steadfastness manifest, on whose behalf we offer unto thee, this sacrifice of praise; for themselves, and for all who are theirs; for the redemption of their souls, for the hope of their health and well-being; and who offer their prayers unto thee, the eternal God, the living and the true.

C2: UNITED in one communion, we venerate the memory, first of the glorious ever-virgin Mary, Mother of our God and Lord Jesus Christ; of Joseph her spouse; as also of thy blessed Apostles and Martyrs, Peter and Paul, Andrew, James, John, Thomas, James, Philip, Bartholomew, Matthew, Simon and Thaddeus; Linus, Cletus, Clement, Xystus, Cornelius, Cyprian, Lawrence, Chrysogonus, John and Paul, Cosmas and Damian, and of all thy saints; grant that by their merits and prayers we may in all things be defended with the help of thy protection.

PC: WE beseech thee then, O Lord, graciously to accept this oblation from us thy servants, and from thy whole family; order thou our days in thy peace, and bid us to be delivered from eternal damnation, and to be numbered in the fold of thine elect.

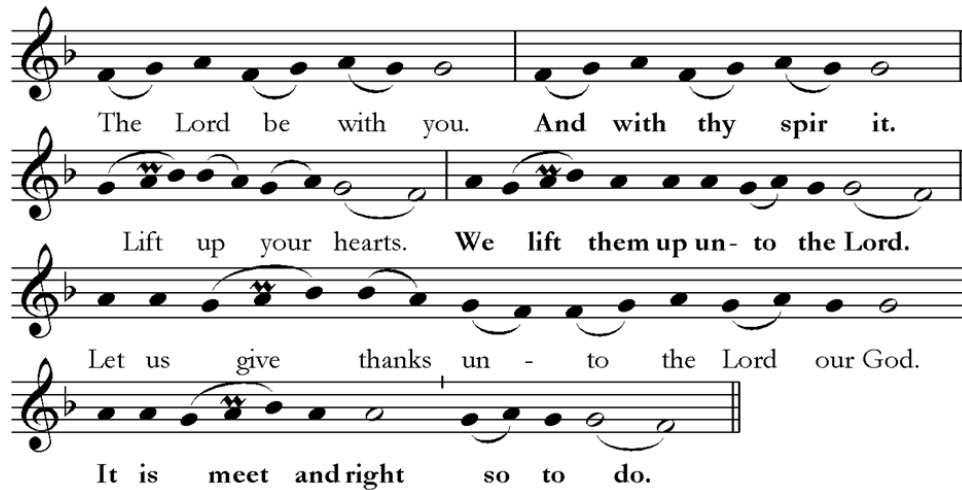
CC: VOUCHSAFE, O God, we beseech thee, in all things to make this oblation blessed, approved, and accepted, a perfect and worthy offering; that it may become for us the Body and Blood of thy dearly beloved Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.

Prayer over the Offerings

GRANT, we beseech thee, Almighty God: that these gifts which we offer in the sight of thy divine majesty, may obtain for us grace to serve thee in this life with all godliness, and bring us in the end to everlasting felicity; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER



The Lord be with you. And with thy spir it.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them up un- to the Lord.

Let us give thanks un - to the Lord our God.

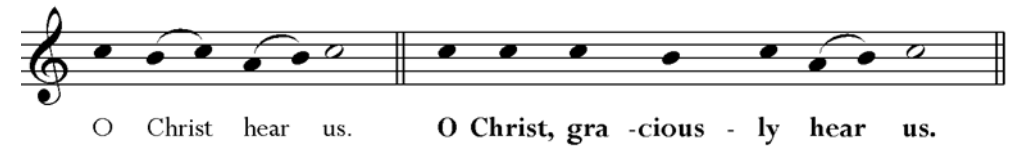
It is meet and right so to do.

The Cardinal continues the Preface, which concludes with the Sanctus:

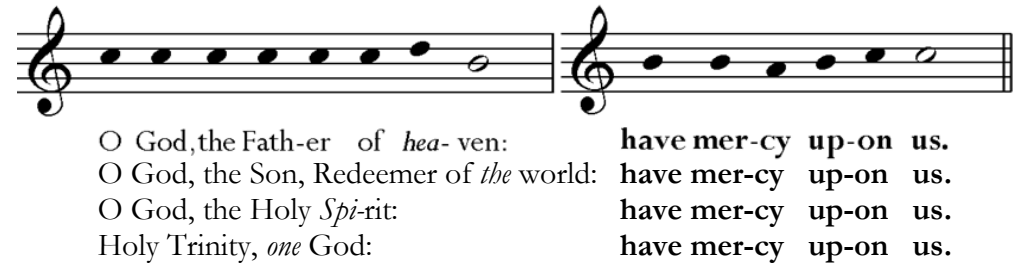
Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; ever more praising thee, and saying,

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.
✠ Blessed is he that cometh
in the Name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the Highest.

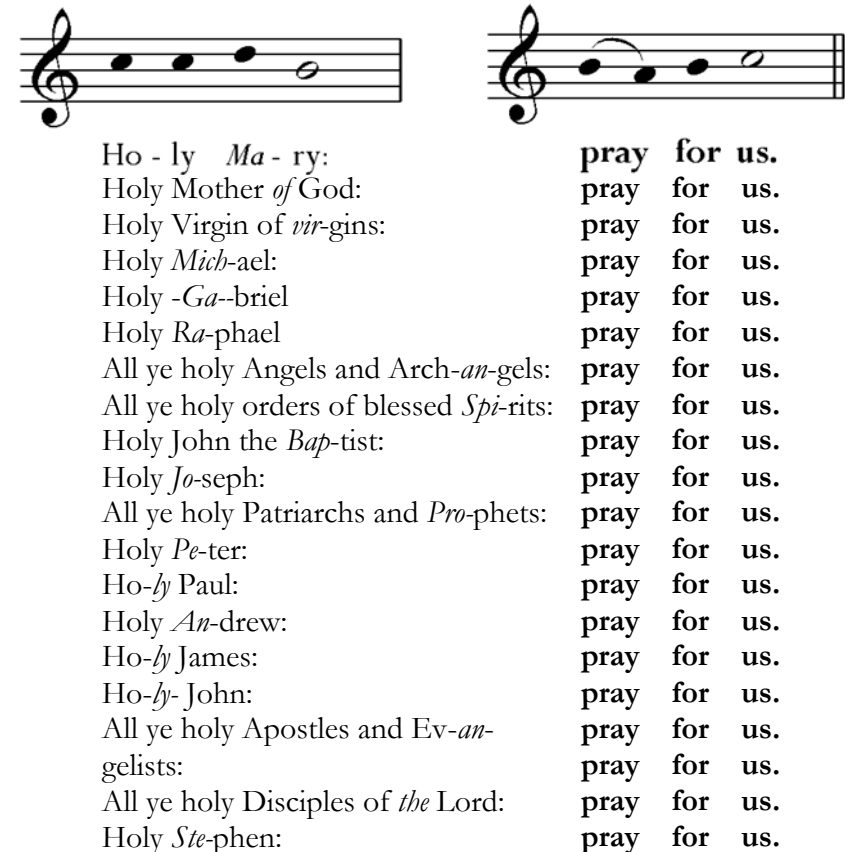
Herbert Howells: *Collegium Regale*



O Christ hear us. O Christ, gra - cious - ly hear us.



O God, the Fath-er of hea- ven: have mer-cy up-on us.
 O God, the Son, Redeemer of the world: have mer-cy up-on us.
 O God, the Holy Spi-rit: have mer-cy up-on us.
 Holy Trinity, one God: have mer-cy up-on us.



Ho - ly Ma - ry:	pray for us.
Holy Mother of God:	pray for us.
Holy Virgin of vir-gins:	pray for us.
Holy Mich-ael:	pray for us.
Holy -Ga-briel	pray for us.
Holy Ra-phael	pray for us.
All ye holy Angels and Arch-an-gels:	pray for us.
All ye holy orders of blessed Spi-rits:	pray for us.
Holy John the Bap-tist:	pray for us.
Holy Jo-seph:	pray for us.
All ye holy Patriarchs and Pro-phets:	pray for us.
Holy Pe-ter:	pray for us.
Ho-ly Paul:	pray for us.
Holy An-drew:	pray for us.
Ho-ly James:	pray for us.
Ho-ly John:	pray for us.
All ye holy Apostles and Ev-an-gelists:	pray for us.
All ye holy Disciples of the Lord:	pray for us.
Holy Ste-phen:	pray for us.



pray for us.

Holy *Lam*-rence:
 Holy *Vin*-cent:
 All ye holy *Mar*-tyrs:
 Holy *Syl-ves*-ter:
 All ye holy Bishops and *Con-fess*-ors:
 All ye holy *Doc*-tors:
 Holy *An*-thony:
 Holy *Ben*-edict:
 Holy *Ber*-nard:
 Holy *Dom*-inic:
 Holy *Fran*-cis
 Holy John Vianny
 Holy Jude
 Holy John Henry *New*-man:
 Holy John Fisher and Thomas More
 Holy Justus
 Holy Augustine of Canterbury
 Holy Gregory the Great
 Holy John Paul II
 Holy Maximilian Kolbe
 All ye holy Priests and *Le*-vites:
 All ye holy Monks and *Her*-mits:
 Holy Mary *Mag*-dalene:
 Holy Perpetua and *Fe-li*-citas:
 Holy *Ag*-nes:
 Holy *Ce-ci*-lia:
 Holy *Cath*-erine:
 Holy *The-re*-sa of Avila:
 All ye holy Virgins and *Wi*-dows:
 All ye holy Saints *of* God:

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The Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory Antiphon

If any man serve me, let him follow me: and where I am, there shall also my servant be.

Offertory Hymn

A collection will be taken during this hymn for the Ordinariate Priest Training Fund.

1 Jerusalem the golden,
With milk and honey blest,
Beneath thy contemplation
Sink heart and voice opprest.
I know not, O I know not,
What social joys are there,
What radiancy of glory,
What light beyond compare.

3 There is the throne of David,
And there, from care released,
The song of them that triumph,
The shout of them that feast;
And they who, with their Leader,
Have conquered in the fight,
For ever and for ever
Are clad in robes of white.

2 They stand, those halls of Sion,
Conjubilant with song,
And bright with many an angel,
And all the martyr throng;
The Prince is ever in them,
The daylight is serene,
The pastures of the blessèd
Are decked in glorious sheen.

4 O sweet and blessed country,
Shall I ever see thy face?
O sweet and blessed country,
Shall I ever win thy grace?
Exult, O dust and ashes!
The Lord shall be thy part:
His only, his for ever,
Thou shalt be, and thou art!

Bernard of Cluny 12th Century
Tr JM Neale (1818-66)

Cardinal: Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours
may be acceptable unto God, the Father almighty.

All: **May the Lord accept the sacrifice at thy hands,
for the praise and glory of his Name,
for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

2. Thy blessèd unction from above
Is comfort, life, and fire of love;
Enable with perpetual light
The dullness of our blinded sight.

ANOINTING OF HANDS

Cardinal: The Father anointed our Lord Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit. May Jesus preserve you to sanctify the Christian people and to offer sacrifice to God.

3. Anoint and cheer our soilèd face
With the abundance of thy grace:
Keep far our foes, give peace at home;
Where thou art guide no ill can come.

4. Teach us to know the Father, Son,
And thee, of Both, to be but One;
That through the ages all along
This may be our endless song,

Praise to thy eternal merit,
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

John Cosin (1594-1672), based on Veni Creator Spiritus

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

A paten holding the bread and a chalice containing wine mixed with water are presented to the Cardinal. These are handed to the priest.

Cardinal: Accept from the holy people of God the gifts to be offered to him. Know what you are doing, and imitate the mystery you celebrate: model your life on the mystery of the Lord's Cross.

KISS OF PEACE

The Cardinal and Mgr. Newton stand and greet the priest followed by the other priests.

Cardinal: Peace be with you.
Priest: And with your spirit.



Lord, be—mer - ci - ful:	Lord, save thy peo - ple.
From all e- vil:	Lord, save thy peo - ple.
From ev- ery [] sin:	Lord, save thy peo - ple.
From ev- er last- ing death:	Lord, save thy peo - ple.
By thy com- ing as [] man:	Lord, save thy peo - ple.
By thy death and ri- sing to [] life:	Lord, save thy peo - ple.
By thy gift of the Ho- ly Spir- [] it:	Lord, save thy peo - ple.
Be merciful to us sin- [] ners:	Lord, save thy peo - ple.



Guide and protect thy ho - ly [] Church. Lord, hear our prayer.

Keep the Pope and all the clergy
in faithful service to thy Church: Lord, hear our prayer.

Bring all people together in trust and peace: Lord, hear our prayer.

Strengthen us in thy service: Lord, hear our prayer.

Bless these cho- sen men: Lord, hear our prayer.

Bless these chosen men and make them holy: Lord, hear our prayer.

Bless these chosen men,
make them holy, and consecrate
them for their sa- cred duties: Lord, hear our prayer.



O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world: spare us, O Lord.



O Lamb of God...

gra-cious-ly hear us, O Lord.



O Lamb of God...

have mer - cy up - on— us.



O Christ, hear— us.

O Christ, gra-cious-ly hear— us.

All remain kneeling. The Cardinal alone stands and says:

Hear us, Lord our God,
as we pour out upon these servants of yours
the blessings of the Holy Spirit
and the grace and power of the priesthood.
In your sight we offer these men for ordination:
support them with your unfailing love.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen.**

Deacon: Let us stand.

LAYING ON OF HANDS

*In silence the Cardinal lays his hands on the heads of the candidate. Concelebrants and priests assisting in choir do the same.
The sacrament is conferred through a special outpouring of the Spirit which accompanies this action, and the following Prayer of Consecration, conforming the candidate to Christ.*

THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Cardinal: Come to our help, Lord, Holy Father,
Almighty and Eternal God:
you are the source of every honour and dignity,
of all progress and stability.
You watch over the growing family of man
by your gift of wisdom and your pattern of order.
When you had appointed high priests to rule your people,
you chose other men next to them in rank and dignity
to be with them and help them in their task;
and so there grew up the ranks of priests
and the offices of levites, established by sacred rites.
In the desert you extended the spirit of Moses
to seventy wise men
who helped him to rule the great company of his people.
You shared among the sons of Aaron
the fullness of their father's power,

to provide worthy priests in sufficient number
for the increasing rites of sacrifice and worship.
With the same loving care
you gave companions to your Son's apostles
to help in teaching the faith:
they preached the Gospel to the whole world.

Lord, grant also to us such fellow workers,
for we are weak and our need is greater.
Almighty Father,
grant to this servant of yours the dignity of the priesthood.
Renew within him the Spirit of holiness.
As co-worker with the order of bishops
may he be faithful to the ministry that he receives from you,
Lord God, and be to others a model of right conduct.
May he be faithful in working with the order of bishops,
so that the words of the Gospel
may reach the ends of the earth,
and the family of nations,
made one in Christ,
may become God's one, holy people.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.

All: **Amen.**

All sit.

INVESTITURE WITH STOLE AND CHASUBLE

1. Come, Holy Ghost, our souls inspire,
And lighten with celestial fire;
Thou the anointing Spirit art,
Who dost thy sevenfold gifts impart: