

LITURGYNOTES – FOR JUNE 2017

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NINTH BISHOP OF DAVENPORT

Eucharistic Prayer & Intercessions

With the acceptance of Bishop Amos' retirement while also naming him as our apostolic administrator, and with the naming of Monsignor Thomas Zinkula of the Archdiocese of Dubuque as our next bishop, the following norms are to be observed in regards to the Eucharistic Prayer and the Universal Prayer:

From Now Until Bishop-Elect Zinkula is Ordained

Basically, nothing changes as far as the Eucharistic Prayer is concerned. Bishop Amos continues to be mentioned as he has been in the past. The next bishop is NOT mentioned in the Eucharistic Prayer. As a reminder, the name of the Pope is mentioned *without* enumeration in the Eucharistic Prayer (e.g. Pope Francis, *not* Pope Francis I).

In the Universal Prayer, because the next Bishop has not yet been ordained to the episcopacy, the term "bishop-elect" is preferred. For example, the following intercessions could be used:

- For Bishop-elect Thomas, our next shepherd; that he would be filled with every grace and lead your people in kindness and truth. We pray to the Lord.
- That Bishop-elect Thomas, who has been called to be the ninth Bishop of Davenport, would be a compassionate and wise shepherd. We pray to the Lord.

After the Ordination of Bishop-Elect Zinkula

Bishop Zinkula is now mentioned in the Eucharistic Prayer and Universal Prayer.

Bishop Amos' name is no longer mentioned in the Eucharistic Prayer. While the term "bishop emeritus" is not used in the Eucharistic Prayer, references to Bishop Amos in the intercessions use that designation.

Forms of Address and Dress

In terms of the externals, from the moment their appointments are announced, bishops-elect are entitled to the styles "Excellency" and "Most Reverend." They may also immediately assume the zucchetto and pectoral cross (as well as the amaranth choir cassock, biretta, mozzetta, rochet, and the simar with appropriate piping and shoulder cape). The miter, crozier, and ring are conferred at ordination.

Schedule of Liturgies

Bishop Amos' Farewell Liturgy

According to the *Ceremonial of Bishops*, "When a bishop is transferred to another see or his resignation is accepted by the Roman Pontiff, it is proper that he gather his people at a liturgical service. In this way he can bid them farewell and with them give thanks for the blessings received from God during his episcopate" (#1156). Therefore, Bishop Amos will celebrate Solemn Vespers at St. Mary Church in Iowa City on Sunday, June 11, at 5pm. All are invited. A reception will follow.

Bishop-Elect Zinkula: Vespers

It is customary for the Bishop-Elect to celebrate Vespers with the people and clergy of his new diocese on the eve of his ordination. The episcopal regalia (miter, crozier, ring) are usually blessed at this time. Vespers is scheduled for Wednesday, June 21, at 7 pm. The liturgy will take place at St. John Vianney Church in Bettendorf. Due to the large interest, this will be a ticketed event.

Bishop-Elect Zinkula: Ordination

Bishop-Elect Zinkula's ordination to the Episcopacy will take place at St. John Vianney Church on Thursday, June 22, at 2 pm. Attendance at this liturgy is by invitation only.

LITURGY NEWS

CDWDS Confirms Exorcisms and Related Supplications

In a decree dated December 8, 2016, the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments has confirmed the liturgical text of Exorcisms and Related Supplications for the dioceses of the United States (Prot. n. 242/15). The Secretariat of Divine Worship is completing its standard editorial review of the confirmed text. The ritual edition, to be implemented later this year, will be produced by USCCB Communications and sold only to Bishops and their designated exorcists. Appendix II of the book, a collection of prayers that the faithful may use to combat the powers of darkness, will be made available to interested liturgical publishers for public sale.

CDWDS Confirms "Book of the Chair": Excerpts from the Roman Missal

The Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments, by a decree dated Ash Wednesday, March 1, 2017 (Prot. n. 103/16), has confirmed a shorter edition of the Roman Missal, Third Edition for optional use at the presidential chair by the priest celebrant, entitled *Excerpts from the Roman Missal*. The Secretariat of Divine Worship is undertaking its standard review of the confirmed text at this time. Publishers of the original Roman Missal, Third Edition will be invited to publish the Excerpts ritual edition. We will share further information as it becomes available.

Plenary Indulgence Available for Centennial of Our Lady of Fatima Apparitions

In celebration of the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima, a one-year Jubilee began on the First Sunday of Advent, November 27, 2016, at the Basilica Shrine of Our Lady of the Rosary of Fatima in Portugal, and will continue until November 26, 2017. Pope Francis made a

pilgrimage to the shrine on May 12-13, 2017, on the anniversary of the first apparition to Lucía Santos and Saints Jacinta and Francisco Marto at the *Cova da Iria*. The Apostolic Penitentiary has granted a plenary indulgence for the centennial anniversary of the Fatima apparitions. An English translation of the decree was released by the basilica shrine:

“The plenary indulgence of the jubilee is granted:

- a) to the faithful who visit the Shrine of Fatima in pilgrimage and devotedly participate in a celebration or prayer in honor of the Virgin Mary, pray the Our Father, recite the Symbol of Faith (Creed) and invoke Our Lady of Fatima;
- b) to the pious faithful who visit with devotion an image of Our Lady of Fatima solemnly displayed for public veneration in any temple, oratory or adequate place, during the days of the anniversary of the apparitions (the 13th of each month, from May to October 2017), and devotedly participate there in any celebration or prayer in honor of the Virgin Mary, pray the Our Father, recite the Symbol of Faith (Creed) and invoke Our Lady of Fatima;
- c) to the faithful who, due to their age, disease or other serious reason, are impeded of moving, if, repentant of all their sins and having the firm intention of performing, as soon as possible, the three conditions mentioned below, in front of a small image of Our Lady of Fatima, spiritually unite in the days of the apparitions to the Jubilee celebrations, offering with trust to God all-merciful through Mary their prayers and pains, or the sacrifices of their own lives.

“To obtain the plenary indulgence, the faithful, truly penitent and animated with charity, must ritually fulfill the following conditions: sacramental confession, Eucharistic communion and prayer for the intentions of the Holy Father.”

Parishes and oratories may consider placing a statue of Our Lady of Fatima for public veneration throughout the year, or at least on the six anniversary dates (May 13, June 13, July 13, August 13, September 13, and October 13). In particular, the 100th anniversary of the first apparition on May 13 should be celebrated at parishes and oratories named in honor of Our Lady of Fatima with greater festivity, as it is also the titular solemnity for those places. Although obligatory or optional memorials occur on the other anniversary dates, except for October 13, a Votive Mass of Our Lady of Fatima could be celebrated for the pastoral advantage of the people, if the pastor or other priest celebrant judges it suitable (see General Instruction of the Roman Missal, no. 376).

UPCOMING EVENTS

See the Liturgy Events webpage at: <http://www.davenportdiocese.org/liturgy-events>.

DIOCESAN LITURGIES

Ordinations

The members of Deacon Formation Class VII will be ordained at St. John Vianney Church in Bettendorf on Saturday, July 8, at 10:00 a.m. Due to the crowd expected, admission will be *by ticket only*. Thank you for your understanding.

You may want to include intercessions for these men as part of the Universal Prayer at Mass; for example:

For those who will be ordained this year for ministry in our diocese; we pray to the Lord:

That those who will be ordained to the diaconate and priesthood this year would faithfully follow the Good Shepherd as they serve the Diocese of Davenport; we pray to the Lord:

CONTINUING FORMATION FOR LITURGY / LITURGICAL MINISTRY

For more opportunities, see the Liturgy Events webpage at: <http://www.davenportdiocese.org/liturgy-events>.

Retreat: *Who is God and how do we worship Him?*

Join us to hear responses to this question at the first-ever Eastern Catholic retreat presented by the Iowa Eastern Catholic Outreach on June 3, 2017 from 11 am-6:30 pm at St. Wenceslaus Church, 630 E. Davenport St., Iowa City. Come learn more about Christ, his Gospel, and how the Eastern Catholic Churches uniquely proclaim Him in their theology, spirituality, liturgy, and community. Come on your own or bring your family—programs will be for adults, teens, and kids. Daycare will be provided for toddlers. Lunch will be provided and the day will end with Byzantine Vespers (Evening Prayer) to celebrate Pentecost Sunday. The event is free, but registration is required. To register and for more information, go to: <http://www.eceia.org/retreat-2017.html>. Come receive the Holy Spirit!

LTP & FDLC Virtual Workshop

In collaboration with FDLC, Liturgy Training Publications is presenting “Promoting the Intercultural Worship of Diverse Communities” featuring Rev. Mark Francis, CSV. Father Francis is the President of Catholic Theological Union (CTU) and is the principle author of one of FDLC’s best-selling books, *Liturgy in a Culturally Diverse Community: A Guide Towards Understanding*. The interactive virtual workshop will air on June 8 at 1:00 (Eastern). The session only costs \$10. For more information or to register, please visit <https://www.ltp.org/p-2987-promoting-the-intercultural-worship-of-diverse-communities.aspx>.

From Mass to Mission: Teaching Your Students about Mass and Discipleship

Presented by Joyce Donohue. Explore the role of ongoing mystagogy in the life of the parish as you discuss the various ways to serve as a witness of liturgical discipleship, gathering weekly at Eucharist to go forth on our common mission. Visit <http://www.ltp.org/p-2976-from-mass-to-mission-teaching-your-students-about-mass-and-discipleship.aspx>.

August 29, 2017: 7:30 pm ET / October 17, 2017: 7:30 pm ET / Order code: VWFMMC \$10

Lector Series

LTP is also offering a series of video “virtual workshops” for readers; you can “attend” individual workshops or sign up for all 3 at a discount (\$25 / Order code: VWLECP2)

The topics are:

“Techniques for Effective Proclaiming: Public Speaking Skills to Bring God's Word to Life”

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Presented by D. Todd Williamson / September 26, 2017: 7:30 pm ET / Order code: VWTEPS \$10

Develop the skills needed to announce God's Word with a well-trained tongue and consider the importance of techniques such as breathing, pacing, and emphasis in fostering the full participation of the liturgical assembly.

“Literary Genres in the Lectionary: Proclaiming the Different Forms of Scripture”

Presented by D. Todd Williamson / October 10, 2017: 7:30 pm ET / Order code: VWLGL \$10

Proclaim the different forms of Scripture with conviction and a clear understanding by learning how to identify, prepare, and pray with the Word of God in the form of poetry, stories, prophecies, and discourses.

“The Word of the Lord at Mass: Understanding the Lectionary for Lectors”

Presented by Michael Cameron / October 25, 2017: 7:30 pm ET / Order code: VWWLM \$10

Discover the Lectionary: what it is, how it is designed, how it developed over time, and how it presents selections of Scripture that unfold Christ's Paschal Mystery in harmony with the rhythms of the liturgical year.

For more information or to register, go to: <http://www.ltp.org/s-51-lector-series.aspx>.

Notre Dame 2017

June 19-23 - Liturgy and Life: Encountering Jesus Christ in the Bible and the Liturgy

June 26-30 - Forming the Sacramental Imagination: Catechesis of the Good Shepherd-The Senses of Scripture

July 17-21 - Liturgical Music Ministers: The Word, Music, and *The Saint John's Bible*

Information at: <http://liturgy.nd.edu/events/summerliturgy/>

July 24-26 - Notre Dame Preaching Conference: To Set the Earth on Fire-Effective Catholic Preaching

Information at: <http://theology.nd.edu/graduate-programs/the-marten-program/conferences-and-events/2017-conference/>

FDLC Annual Meeting

We look forward to welcoming you to our forty-eighth annual national meeting, which will be held in Bloomington, MN on October 3-5! This year's theme is “Pastoral Care of the Sick: Touching the Hem of His Garment.” We will focus on the pastoral care of the sick and the dying. We are excited about the subject and even more excited about the impressive line-up of presenters who will be joining us. The attached registration brochure will provide details about the schedule, presenters, and the hotel.

Or visit: <https://fdlc.org/national-meeting>.

TeamRCIA: The NINE Essential Strategies for Making Lifelong Disciples

Nick Wagner and Diana Macalintal, founders of TeamRCIA, are offering once again this advanced training that walks you through each of the nine core teachings required to make life-long disciples.

This online course is for RCIA team members, catechists, pastors, and pastoral leaders. This course is for you if you want to answer Pope Francis's call to heal the wounds and make true disciples.

See <http://teamrcia.com/catalog/11-026kerygma/> for more information.

You need to be in this course if:

- You want to shift from making name-only-Catholics to making Catholic-disciples
- You want to learn the first thing we have to say to seekers
- You want a thoroughly Catholic understanding of evangelization
- You want to learn how what we teach and the way we teach heals the suffering of the world and the wounds of the seekers
- You want to discover Pope Francis's solution to what he sees as an urgent crisis in the world
- You want to know what the true vocation of a catechist is and how to live it out
- You want to know why only nine core teachings of the church should be the consistent focus of our catechesis
- You want to learn how the nine core teachings of the church tell the great story of our salvation

LITURGY PREPARATION

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

June 23 & 24

The Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus is celebrated on Friday, June 23, and the Solemnity of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist on Saturday, June 24, 2017.

In case of serious need or pastoral advantage, the Vigil Mass of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist may be celebrated either before or after Evening Prayer II of the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart (except at the Cathedral, where they observe their patronal feast). The Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary is omitted this year.

	Morning Prayer	Mass before 4pm	Mass after 4pm	Evening Prayer
Friday, June 23	Sacred Heart	Sacred Heart	Sacred Heart OR Vigil of St. John the Baptist	EP II of the Sacred Heart
Saturday, June 24	Nativity of St. John the Baptist	St. John the Baptist	Anticipatory Mass for 12 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	EP II for St. John the Baptist or, if public recitation, EP I for Sunday

Feast of the Transfiguration

The Feast of the Transfiguration is celebrated on August 6 – a Sunday this Year. Therefore, the Transfiguration replaces the 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time. August 6 is also the anniversary of the dropping of the atomic bomb on Hiroshima, when nature itself was violently transfigured. Perhaps as we

gather for Eucharist or pray the Hours this day we would do well to pray for peace and that the horrors of that August 6 seventy-two years ago will never be repeated.

Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Solemnity of the Assumption, celebrated on August 15, falls on a Tuesday this year, and so is a Holy Day of Obligation. One of the popular traditions associated with the Assumption is the Blessing of Fruits and Herbs (*Directory on Popular Piety*, #181). In the United States, the rite for use within or outside of Mass may be found in the *Book of Blessings*, ch. 59: "Order for the Blessing of Food or Drink or Other Elements Connected with Devotion." A rite for use at home can also be found in *Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers* (1st ed. p. 170; 2nd edition p. 312).

RESOURCE

Ciborium for Gluten-sensitive individuals

A pastor called my attention to the "The G.I.F.T. (Gluten Intolerant Faithful Thanksgiving) Ciborium" that clips to the side of your usual ciborium, to help keep low-gluten hosts segregated from regular hosts. If you are interested, see: <https://www.churchsupplies.com/store/low-gluten-host-ciborium.shtml>.

Please see our policy if you have questions about what constitutes valid matter as well as other practical issues: <http://www.davenportdiocese.org/documents/2016/6/litEucharistGlutenAlcoholIntolerance-042116.pdf>.

INTERCESSIONS

Here are resources for the Universal Prayer:

- (1) Intercessions for various life issues may be found on the USCCB website at:
<http://usccb.org/about/pro-life-activities/prayers/intercessory-prayers-for-life.cfm>
- (2) Intercession for vocations (in English and Spanish) keyed to the lectionary cycle may be found at the Diocese of Arlington website:
http://www.arlingtondiocese.org/vocations/voc_intercessions.aspx
- (3) The Center for Liturgy website offers general intercessions for each Sunday as well:
<http://liturgy.slu.edu/>
- (4) The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops offers intercessions and homily ideas as part of their Pastoral Initiative for Life and Family:
<http://www.cccb.ca/site/eng/church-in-canada-and-world/catholic-church-in-canada/life-and-family/3296-documents-and-activities-proposed-by-the-ccb>

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