

INSTALLATION OF THE CANON TO THE ORDINARY

Following the Sermon (and Creed), the Bishop and candidate stand before the people. The Bishop explains the nature of this occasion saying these or similar words.

Today we install The Rev. Craig Loya as Canon to the Ordinary in the Episcopal Diocese of Kansas. The office of a Canon carries with it certain responsibilities.

The Charge is delivered.

A Canon should be a holy person; who prays regularly for God's blessing upon the work of the Diocese and all its' parishes, and enters wholeheartedly into the tradition of those before who have served God through worship.

A Canon should be a person who confesses Jesus as Lord, whose studies are grounded in Scripture and disciplined to the discovery and advancement of truth; a faithful, discreet and well-informed adviser to the Bishop.

A Canon should be hospitable, welcoming strangers and the poor, a person who shares the generous love and modesty that mark a disciple of Christ.

Bishop: Craig, will you strive to be such a person, with the help of God?

Craig: I will with God's help.

Bishop: Almighty God, who has put into your heart to make these solemn promises, give you grace to perform the same, that with your Brothers and Sisters, you may inherit everlasting life.

{The Bishop may conduct the candidate to the stall in the sanctuary and seat the new Canon saying}

As Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Kansas, I install you, Craig, as Canon to the Ordinary with all associated rights, responsibilities, and dignity of this office. The Lord preserve your coming in and going out from this time forth and for evermore. *Amen.*

The new Canon being installed, the Bishop says

Go before us, O Lord, in all our doings with your most gracious favor and further us with your continual help, that in all our works begun, continued, and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. *Amen.*

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Bishop: Mary, will you strive to be such a person, with the help of God?

Mary: I will with God's help.

Bishop: Almighty God, who has put into your heart to make these solemn promises, give you grace to perform the same, that with your Sisters and Brothers, you may inherit everlasting life.

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As Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Kansas, I install you, Mary, as Canon to the Ordinary with all associated rights, responsibilities, and dignity of this office. The Lord preserve your coming in and going out from this time forth and for evermore. *Amen.*

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