

VESTMENTS PROTOCALS

FOR CEREMONIAL RITUALS



for Ceremonial Rituals

FOR APOSTLES

Red Neckband Shirt or Red Purple Breast Front

Pontiff #3 or Clericool #3 Collar

Black Suit, Shoes, Socks Gold Chain, Gold Pectoral Cross with Red Stone

FOR BISHOPS

Roman Purple Neckband Shirt or Roman Purple Breast Front

Pontiff #3 or Clericool #3 Collar

Black Suit, Shoes, Socks Gold Chain, Gold Pectoral Cross with Amethyst

<u>Note:</u> The chain from which the cross is suspended should be at least forty inches (40") in length from end to end. The Cross and Chain should be of precious gold or silver and may be worn.

This ring is usually signet or jeweled. It is worn on the right hand ring finger. When it is worn, no other ring is proper except the Wedding Ring for those bishops who are married.

FOR OVERSEERS

Royal Blue Neckband Shirt

Black Suit, Shoes and Socks

Silver Chain with Silver Pectoral Cross with Royal Blue Stone

FOR ORDAINED ELDERS (INCLUDES PASTORS)

Black Neckband Clergy Shirt

Pontiff #2 or Clericool #2 Collar

Black Cord & Silver Cross

Black Suit, Shoes and Socks

Note: Black on black suits, with black socks, black shoes. Ladies wear black hose and a full pump must be worn. For earrings please wear small pearl studs. Also wear black shirts with ordained white collar. Shoes, socks, suits should not have any designs, patterns or prints, must be solid black.

LICENSED MINISTERS

Black Tab Collar Clergy Shirt

Black Suit, Shoes and Socks

Note: Black on black suits, with black socks, black shoes. Ladies wear black hose and a full pump must be worn. For earrings please wear small pearl studs. Also wear black shirts with ordained white collar. Shoes, socks, suits should not have any designs, patterns or prints, must be solid black.

DEACONS

Black Suit, White Shirt, and Black Tie



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- Red Neckband Clergy Shirt
- Clergy Collar PONTIFF #3 OR CLERICOOL #3
- Red Purple 33 Button Clergy Cassock Robe with Band Cincture
- White Rochet with Roman Red Cuff Bands
- Red Traditional Chimere
- Red Tippet CHURCH SEAL ON LEFT SIDE/APOSTLE'S SEAL ON RIGHT
- Red Zucchetto
- Apostles Ring
- Apostles Pectoral Cross Gold with Red Stone SUSPENDED BY GOLD CHAIN

PRESIDING PRELATE /APOSTLE



- Red Neckband Clergy Shirt
- Clergy Collar PONTIFF #3 OR CLERICOOL #3
- Red Purple 33 Button Clergy Cassock Robe with Band Cincture
- White Rochet with Roman Red Cuff Bands
- Red Traditional Chimere
- Black Tippet CHURCH SEAL ON LEFT SIDE/APOSTLE'S SEAL ON RIGHT
- Red Zucchetto
- Apostles Ring
- Apostle Pectoral Cross Gold with Red Stone SUSPENDED BY GOLD CHAIN

APOSTLES



- Fuchsia Neckband Clergy Shirt
- Clergy Collar PONTIFF #3 OR CLERICOOL #3
- Fuchsia 33 Button Clergy Cassock Robe with Band Cincture
- White Rochet with Fuchsia Cuff Bands
- Fuchsia Traditional Chimere
- Fuchsia Tippet
 CHURCH SEAL ON LEFT SIDE/BISHOP'S SEAL ON RIGHT
- Fuchsia Zucchetto
- Bishops Ring
- Bishop Pectoral Cross Gold with Amethyst SUSPENDED BY GOLD CHAIN

BISHOPS (VICE-PRESIDER)



- Roman Purple Neckband Clergy Shirt
- Clergy Collar PONTIFF #3 OR CLERICOOL #3
- Roman Purple 33 Button Clergy Cassock Robe with Band Cincture
- White Rochet with Roman Purple Cuff Bands
- Roman Purple Traditional Chimere
- Roman Purple Tippet CHURCH SEAL ON LEFT SIDE/BISHOP'S SEAL ON RIGHT
- Roman Purple Zucchetto
- Bishops Ring
- Bishop Pectoral Cross Gold with Amethyst SUSPENDED BY GOLD CHAIN

BISHOPS



- Royal Blue Neckband Clergy Shirt
- Clergy Collar PONTIFF #3 OR CLERICOOL #3
- Royal Blue 33 Button Clergy Cassock Robe with Band Cincture
- White Rochet with Royal Blue Cuff Bands
- Royal Blue Chimere
- Royal Blue Tippet CHURCH SEAL ON LEFT SIDE
- Pectoral Cross Silver with Royal Blue Stones
 SUSPENDED BY SILVER CHAIN

OVERSEERS



- Black Neckband Clergy Shirt
- Clergy Collar PONTIFF #3 OR CLERICOOL #3
- Black 33 Button Clergy Cassock Robe with Band Cincture
- White Rochet with Black Cuff Bands
- Black Chimere
- Black Tippet CHURCH SEAL ON LEFT SIDE
- Pectoral Cross Silver
 SUSPENDED BY BLACK AND WHITE CORD

ASSISTANT OVERSEERS



- Black Neckband Clergy Shirt
- Clergy Collar PONTIFF #2 OR CLERICOOL #2
- Black 33 Button Clergy or 12 Button Cassock Robe
- White Lace Surplice
- Black Tippet CHURCH SEAL ON LEFT SIDE
- Pectoral Cross Silver SUSPENDED BY BLACK CORD

ORDAINED ELDERS WILL WEAR ALL BUT THE WHITE LACE SURPLICE

PASTORS & ELDERS





MEN

- Anglican Black Cassock Robe
- Black Band Cincture
- White Surplice With Lace
- Black Tippet
- Red cord with Silver Cross (Cross measures 2x3 inches) for those Ordained

FOR THOSE LICENSED, NO TIPPET OR CROSS

WOMEN

- Roman Style Black Cassock Robe (9 Front Button)
- Black Band Cincture
- White Surplice With Lace
- Black Tippet
- Red cord with Silver Cross (Cross measures 2x3 inches) for those Ordained

FOR THOSE LICENSED, NO TIPPET OR CROSS

Shoes, socks, suits should not have any designs, patterns or prints, must be solid black.

ADJUTANTS

The **Cassock** is the foundation garment of the Bishop and Apostle, over which all other garments are layered. It is a close-fitting garment, reaching to the feet, and may be worn by all ordained clergy as a symbol of a servant. The Apostle wears the cassock in accordance with the Lord's instruction "whoever will be chief among you, let him be your servant." (Matthew 20:27)

The **Cincture** is a wide belt, which is tied around the waist, even as the Apostle is exhorted to gird herself with truth. It also speaks to us of the humility which our Lord girded Himself with a towel as He washed His disciples' feet.

The **Rochet** is a white garment with full sleeves, which are tied at the wrist by bands. It is a ceremonial garment that serves as a symbol of the priesthood. It is reminiscent of the linen ephod worn by the high priest in the book of Leviticus.

The **Chimere** is a sleeveless gown worn over the rochet and represents the mantle of a prophet. It is worn exclusively by the Apostles and Bishops because they are the chief proclaimers and defenders of the faith in the apostolic tradition. It is often worn by Overseers with special dispensation.

The **Tippet** is a skillful wide cut black material worn over the chimere, and may be embellished with the personal coat of arms of the Apostle or Bishop, the Diocesan coat of arms or the seminary of matriculation. The Tippet is used instead of the stole that is normally used with the Chausable.

The **Zucchetto** is the indoor covering. A small, semispherical headdress, skullcap worn by the clergy. It is ordinarily made of cloth or skin. The color is scarlet, red-purple, blue-purple, cardinal-red or magenta.

The Gold Chain & Pectoral Cross is worn only by Apostles and Bishops.

The cross of Gold is hung around the Apostle's neck as a symbol of his imprisonment for Christ. The gold chain is a symbol of endurance, which emphasizes that the wearer is not a novice. The cross is the sign of salvation and man's redemption. Although it is placed on a beautiful gold chain, it is not suspended around the neck, but is placed in the left-hand pocket. Therefore it is not worn, but borne over the wearer's heart.

The **Bishop's Ring** is gold with amethyst and the **Apostle's Ring** is gold with a Red stone as a Ruby; it depends on preference. The ring is worn on the right hand as the signet of the Bishop's and Apostle's authority, as well as his dedication to Christ and His Church.

The **Crozier** is a tall staff which represents the office of the Shepherd. It is a symbol of a Bishop's authority and role as a watchman and overseer of God's precious people.

The preferred material for wear with clergy attire is leather. All other skins and fabrics (Alligator, Crocodile, Ostrich, Snake, Suede, etc.) are not appropriate for wear with clergy attire.

Preferred online stores to purchase items

Mercy Robes

http://www.mercyrobes.com

Autom

http://www.autom.com

CM ALMY

Outfitters to the church & clergy since 1892. http://www.almy.com

www.twosfellowship.org