

Tridentine Community News

October 8, 2017 – Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Confirmations in the Extraordinary Form No Longer a Rare Occurrence

Last Sunday, October 1, Detroit Auxiliary Bishop Donald Hanchon celebrated a Pontifical Low Mass for the Oakland County Latin Mass Association at the Academy of the Sacred Heart Chapel in Bloomfield Hills. After Mass His Excellency celebrated Confirmation in the



Extraordinary Form. [Photos by Cecilia Lakin]

On Sunday, October 22, Archbishop Allen Vigneron will celebrate Confirmation in the Extraordinary Form at St. Joseph Oratory, as His Excellency has done previously once at St. Josaphat and twice at St. Edward on the Lake in Lakeport.



Within a few months, a date will be announced for Confirmations in the Extraordinary Form at the St. Benedict Tridentine Community in Windsor.

There was a time, not so many years ago, when Tridentine Confirmations, globally as well as locally, were truly exceptional events. The rare instance of EF Confirmations would warrant notice on one of the major blogs such as New Liturgical Movement. One sign of progress in liturgical affairs is how...normal...Extraordinary Form Confirmations have become.

Postures for Low Mass vs. High Mass

Many of our readers only rarely attend a Low Mass, as we are blessed to have High Masses as the norm on Sundays at most Tridentine Mass sites around metro Detroit and Windsor. After last Sunday's Pontifical Low Mass at the OCLMA/Academy, two readers asked for information on the differences in the postures of the faithful called for in Low Masses versus High Masses.

Please note that the Red Missals provide guidance on posture in the right margin of the right side [English] pages. For example, on page 39 at the Pater Noster, it says "Stand – High Mass".

Comments? Ideas for a future column? Please e-mail info@windsorlatinmass.org. Previous columns are available at www.windsorlatinmass.org.

Missa Cantata and Solemn High (Sung Masses)

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| During the entrance procession and <i>Aspérge</i> s | Stand |
| From the beginning of Mass to the <i>Glória</i> | Kneel |
| At the intoning of the <i>Glória</i> <i>If the congregation sings, remain standing. If the choir only sings, sit if and when the celebrant sits.</i> | Stand |
| <i>Dóminus vobiscum</i> and Collect(s) | Stand |
| At the Epistle | Sit |
| At the Gospel | Stand |
| At the English Readings and Homily <i>Stand for the reading of the Gospel in English</i> | Sit |
| At the Credo <i>Kneel from "Et incarnátus est" to "Et homo factus est"</i> | Stand |
| <i>Dóminus vobiscum, Orémus</i> | Stand |
| During the Offertory | Sit |
| Preface dialogue to <i>Sanctus</i> | Stand |
| <i>Sanctus</i> , Canon | Kneel |
| At the <i>Pater Noster</i> | Stand |
| <i>Agnus Dei</i> , Communion | Kneel |
| <i>Dóminus vobiscum</i> and Postcommunion Collect | Stand |
| At the Blessing | Kneel |
| Last Gospel to exit of celebrant <i>Kneel during "Et Verbum caro factus est"</i> | Stand |

Low Mass

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| During the celebrant's entrance | Stand |
| From beginning to Gospel | Kneel |
| At the Gospel | Stand |
| At the English Readings and Homily <i>Stand for the reading of the Gospel in English</i> | Sit |
| At the Credo (if there is one) <i>Kneel from "Et incarnátus est" to "Et homo factus est"</i> | Stand |
| <i>Dóminus vobiscum, Orémus</i> | Stand |
| During the Offertory | Sit |
| Preface dialogue to <i>Sanctus</i> | Sit |
| From the <i>Sanctus</i> to the Last Gospel | Kneel |
| At the Last Gospel | Stand |
| Prayers after Low Mass | Kneel |
| Exit of celebrant | Stand |

If Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament follows Holy Mass, kneel for the entire Benediction ceremony.

Tridentine Masses This Coming Week

Mon. 10/09 7:00 PM: Low Mass at *St. Josaphat* (St. John Leonardi, Confessor)

Tue. 10/10 7:00 PM: Low Mass at *Holy Name of Mary, Windsor* (St. Francis Borgia, Confessor)

Wed. 10/11 7:00 PM: High Mass at *Our Lady of the Scapular* (Maternity of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

Sat. 10/14 8:30 AM: Low Mass at *Miles Christi* (St. Callistus I, Pope & Martyr)