Concerning The Service of Installation of Officers

During the Service of Installation of Officers new officers agree to devote themselves to the tasks their office demands and members promise to support and cooperate with their chosen officers.

The clergy of the parish installs chapter officers. In the absence of the clergy, the Chapter Chaplain may install chapter officers. The Diocesan Assembly Chaplain installs Diocesan Assembly officers and the Provincial Chaplain installs Provincial officers.

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CLERGY: We are gathered here to install the elected officers of the ____ (chapter, diocese, province). In the presence of God and each other, let us here covenant with Him and with one another to do the things we believe He would have us do and try to do well whatever we attempt. Let us offer ourselves to Him that He may continually work through us.

(To the officers) You have been chosen by these your friends to serve in a position of responsibility. To you comes the call of leadership; upon all rests the obligation of cooperation. Receiving now the responsibility placed upon you, will you agree to devote yourselves to the task that your office demands, continually seeking to be used by your Lord Jesus Christ?

OFFICERS: I will with God’s help.

CLERGY: (To the members) As members of The Order of the Daughters of the King® your duty this coming term is to cooperate with the officers you have chosen and to work together to fulfill the Rules of Prayer and Service here in this congregation (diocesan assembly, province) and beyond.

MEMBERS: We promise to pray for and support and cooperate with our officers, offering our best efforts to fulfill the mission of the Order. We declare our loyalty to our King, the Lord Jesus Christ, to His church and its work, asking the Holy Spirit for guidance and strength in all that we undertake.

CLERGY: May God richly bless you in all your efforts to the glory of His Name. For His Sake. Amen.

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