

Hymn choices prepared by Bernadette Gasslein, Karen Koester, Heather Reid and Christina Ronzio. Please note that these selections are not meant to be prescriptive, but to help you in your choice of music that works for your community, with its resources and repertoire.

SUNDAY/ FEAST	Part of the Mass	CBW III	Breaking Bread 2017	Glory and Praise (Green, 1997)	Gather
July 9, 2017 Fourteenth Sunday in OT	Opening hymn	548 All the Ends of the Earth CIS 6.34 Let Us Go the Altar of God	548 All the Ends of the Earth 570 This Day Was Made By the Lord	537 Come to Us 683 All the Ends of the Earth 684 Come, Christians, Join to Sing	613 Praise My Soul the King of Heaven
	Preparation of Gifts	481 Be Not Afraid CIS 6.26 All for Your Glory	401 This Alone 677 The Lord Is My Light	281 Psalm 145: I Will Praise Your Name 406 Spirit, Come	724 I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say 647 Neither Death Nor Life 727 Come to Me Weary Traveler
	Communion	482 Eye Has Not Seen 13D Your Love is Finer than Life CIS 6.10 Taste and See	758 Taste and See 361 Take and Eat	424 At the Name of Jesus 628 Come to Me, All Who Are Weary	908 Take and Eat, This is My Body 950 Take and Eat
	Closing	542 Canticle of the Sun CIS 6.23 Holy Is Your Name	560 Sing of the Lord's Goodness 375 The Spirit Sends Us Forth	422 To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King 622 Lord of All Hopefulness	519 Sing to the Mountains 615 Holy God We Praise Thy Name
July 16, 2017 Fifteenth Sunday in OT	Opening hymn	532 For the Fruit of All Creation CIS 6.38 A Sower's Seed Fell on a Path	536 All Creatures Of Our God and King 552 Sing Out Earth and Skies	537 Come to Us 683 All the Ends of the Earth 684 Come, Christians, Join to Sing	610 Sing of the Lord's Goodness 856 This Day God Gives Me
	Preparation of Gifts	442 Praise to you, O Christ our Saviour	593 O Word of God 390 Open My Eyes	281 Psalm 145: I Will Praise Your Name 406 Spirit, Come	633 For the Beauty of the Earth 805 Touch the Earth Gently
	Communion	604 Seed, Scattered and Sown 13D Your Love Is Finer than Life CIS 6.10 Taste and See	353 Seed, Scattered and Sown 774 How Lovely Is Your Dwelling Place	424 At the Name of Jesus 628 Come to Me, All Who Are Weary	946 Let Us Be Bread 943 Bread of Life From Heaven
	Closing	477 God of Day and God of Darkness 505 Disciples' Song CIS 6.23 Holy Is Your Name CIS 6.40 Faith and Trust and Life Bestowing	545 Glory and Praise to Our God 548 All the Ends of the Earth	422 To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King 622 Lord of All Hopefulness	806 The Harvest of Justice 734 Bring Forth the Kingdom
July 23, 2017 Sixteenth Sunday in OT	Opening hymn	522 Blest Are They CIS 6.38 A Sower's Seed Fell on a Path	419 For the Fruits of This Creation 422 All the Earth	537 Come to Us 683 All the Ends of the Earth 684 Come, Christians, Join to Sing	596 Praise to You, O Christ Our Saviour
	Preparation of Gifts	474 Lord, You Search Me 487 You Are Near	330 Unless a Grain of Wheat 436 O God You Search Me	281 Psalm 145: I Will Praise Your Name 406 Spirit, Come	738 The Reign of God
	Communion	603 Gift of Finest Wheat 13D Your Love Is Finer than Life CIS 6.10 Taste and See	325 In the Breaking of the Bread 324 Gift of Finest Wheat	424 At the Name of Jesus 628 Come to Me, All Who Are Weary	948 At the Table of Jesus
	Closing	433 The Voice of God (tune: 575) CIS 6.40 Faith and Trust and Life Bestowing	421 I Sing the Mighty Power of God 560 Sing of the Lord's Goodness	422 To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King 622 Lord of All Hopefulness	635 Let All Things Now Living 734 Bring Forth the Kingdom

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July 30, 2017 Seventeenth Sunday in OT	Opening hymn	566 Sing a New Song to the Lord	315 Let Us Go to the Altar	414 Holy, Holy, Holy	839 As We Gather at Your Table
		568 Praise to the Lord	302 Gather Us In	536 Come, Worship the Lord	856 This Day God Gives Me
		CIS 6.34 Let Us Go the Altar of God			
	Preparation of Gifts	445 Earthen Vessels	485 God Is Love	349 Change Our Hearts	658 Seek Ye First
			549 We Praise You	593 Center of My Life	738 The Reign of God
				719 Thy Kingdom Come	
	Communion	520 Blest Are They	627 Blest Are They	266 Psalm 119: More than Gold	937 Now in This Banquet
		13D Your Love Is Finer than Life	324 Gift of Finest Wheat	520 Bread of Life	
		CIS 6.10 Taste and See			
	Closing	542 Canticle of the Sun	375 The Spirit Sends Us Forth	415 All Praise and Glad Thanksgiving	736 The Kingdom of God
		CIS 6.39 The Summons	374 Servant Song	608 Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God	807 We Are Called
August 6, 2017 Transfiguration	Opening hymn	685 Splendor and Honour	727 Alleluia Sing to Jesus	421 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name	562 Come Now, Almighty King
		400 Praise to God in Heav'n Above	657 Change Our Hearts	423 The King of Glory	877 How Good Lord, To Be Here
		CIS 6.31 Christ, Be Our Light		676 Lift Up Your Hearts	
	Preparation of Gifts	CIS 6.35 O Christ, You Speak the Names Thanks, Dunstan of God	500 Transfigure Us	443 Transfiguration	878 Transform Us
		434 O Light of Light, Love Given Birth	130 Transfiguration	456 Wade in the Water	
	Communion	613 A Living Hope	506 Unless A Grain of Wheat	499 One Bread, One Body	941 Eat This Bread
		608 Now In This Banquet	355 One Love Released	516 Seed, Scattered and Sown	
		516 Only This I Want			
	Closing	CIS 6.10 Taste and See			
		406 Sing with All the Saints in Glory	609 Sing with All the Saints in Glory	420 Crown Him with Many Crowns	686 Blest Be The Lord
		CIS 6.23 Holy Is Your Name	546 Praise, My Soul, The King of Heaven	422 To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King	
August 13, 2017 Nineteenth Sunday in OT	Opening hymn	527 O Christ, the Great Foundation	624 Eternal Father Strong to Save	667 God, Beyond all Names	694 How Firm a Foundation
		448 Forever I Will Sing	665 Save Us O Lord	714 If God Is for Us	606 Glory and Praise
		CIS 6.34 Let Us Go the Altar of God			
	Preparation of Gifts	374 With Our God	484 Faith, Hope, Love	25 Psalm 85: Let Us See Your Kindness	825 O God of Every Nation
		504 Before the Sun Burned Bright	649 River of Glory	596 Hold Me in Life	777 Here I Am
		CIS 6.26 All For Your Glory			
	Communion	603 Gift of Finest Wheat	324 Gift of Finest Wheat	603 Be Not Afraid	932 One Bread, One Body
		611 Take and Eat	364 I am the Bread of Life	630 Do Not Be Afraid	
		CIS 6.10 Taste and See			
	Closing	563 Sing a New Song	545 Glory and Praise to Our God	671 Glory and Praise to Our God	685 How Can I Keep From Singing
		CIS 6.26 We Shall Go Out	538 Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow	672 All Creatures of Our God and King	
August 20, 2017 Twentieth Sunday in OT	Opening hymn	587 Gather Us In	315 Let Us Go to the Altar of God	687 Sing Alleluia	843 God is Here! As We His People
		529: In Christ There Is No East or West (tune: 424 or 529)	302 Gather Us In	691 Praise the Lord, My Soul	839 As We Gather at Your Table
		CIS 6.29 O God of Past and Present			
	Preparation of Gifts	570 Laudate, Omnes Gentes	390 Open My Eyes Lord	639 There's a Wideness in God's Mercy	960 Healer of Our Every Ill
		CIS 6.26 All For Your Glory	487 Dwelling Place	722 In the Day of the Lord	728 Eye Has Not Seen
	Communion	610 Taste and See	336 Eat this Bread	652 Peace Prayer	47 The Cry of the Poor
		13D Your Love is Finer than Life	317 Gather Us Together	669 Beautiful Saviour	943 Bread of Life From Heaven
		CIS 6.10 Taste and See			

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August 20, 2017 <i>continued</i>	Closing	477 God of Day and God of Darkness 593 O Praise the Lord, Sing Unto God CIS 6.26 We Shall Go Out	383 City of God 548 All the Ends of the Earth	599 Blest Be the Lord 670 Sing a New Song	604 All the Ends of the Earth
August 27, 2017 Twenty-first Sunday in OT	Opening hymn	581 Church of God 591 God Is Alive 592 This Is the Day CIS 6.34 Let Us Go to the Altar of God	418 The Church's One Foundation 414 Church of God Elect and Glorious	605 Though the Mountains May Fall 662 Praise to You, O Christ, Our Saviour	644 There's a Wideness in God's Mercy 686 Blest Be the Lord
	Preparation of Gifts	527 O Christ, the Sure Foundation	436 O God, You Search Me 510 O Beauty, Ever Ancient	601 O God, You Search Me 620 There Is a Longing	735 Blest Are They 590 Christ Be Our Light!
	Communion	601 Gather Us Together 13D Your Love is Finer than Life CIS 6.10 Taste and See	364 I Am the Bread of Life 341 When We Eat This Bread	506 To Be Your Bread 710 I Have Loved You	942 Come and Eat This Living Bread 394 May We Be One
	Closing	533 Sent Forth by God's Blessing CIS 6.33 God, We Praise You	182 Go Make of All Disciples 499 Go Make a Difference	665 How Great Thou Art 699 Give Thanks to the Lord	609 You Are the Voice 765 The Church of Christ
Sept. 3, 2017 Twenty-second Sunday in OT	Opening hymn	373 Tree of Life CIS 6.16 Glory in the Cross (Easter text)	475 There's a Wideness in God's Mercy 712 Glory in the Cross	444 Lift High the Cross 586 Take Up Your Cross	801 Take Up Your Cross 848 Gather Us In
	Preparation of Gifts	383 Alleluia! Give Thanks to the Risen Lord CIS 6.15 There is a Longing	498 Only This I Want 511 Come Unto Me	477 Holy Darkness 713 Rain Down	782 Only This I Want 790 The Summons
	Communion	610 Taste and See 611 Take and Eat CIS 6.12 Gather Your People	627 Blest Are They 342 God's Holy Gifts	213 Psalm 63: My Soul Thirsts 485 In the Shadow of Your Wings	946 Let Us Be Bread
	Closing	435 Lift High the Cross 532 For the Fruit of All Creation CIS 6.32 God Our Author and Creator	581 They'll Know We Are Christians 713 Lift High the Cross	588 Sent Forth by God's Blessing 717 Beatitudes	807 We Are Called 615 Holy God We Praise Thy Name
Sept. 10, 2017 Twenty-third Sunday in OT	Opening hymn	581 Church of God 561 O God, Beyond All Praising CIS 6.29 O God of Past and Present	311 As We Gather At Your Table 315 Let Us Go to the Altar	530 Table of Plenty 36 Come, Worship the Lord	851 Christ Has Promised to Be Present 844 Alleluia! Give the Glory
	Preparation of Gifts	595 Christians, Let Us Love One Another CIS 6.39 The Summons	591 Your Words are Spirit and Life 659 Turn to Me	361 Jesu, Jesu 364 Ubi Caritas 645 Love One Another	701 No Greater Love 699 God is Love 707 The Call is Clear and Simple
	Communion	473 God Is Love 13D Your Love Is Finer than Life CIS 6.12 Gather Your People	341 When We Eat This Bread 317 Gather Us Together	528 Bread for the World 560 God of the Hungry	696 Ubi Caritas 930 Taste and See
	Closing	650 This Day God Gives Me 534 Let All Things Now Living CIS 6.31 Christ, Be Our Light	440 How Can I Keep from Singing 595 We Are the Light of the World	608 Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God 690 Sing of the Lord's Goodness	759 God Sends Us Forth 635 Let All Things Now Living
Sept. 17, 2017 Twenty-fourth Sunday in OT	Opening hymn	581 Church of God, v 2,4,7 483 For You Are My God CIS 6.39 The Summons	381 The Summons 197 We Gather Together	529 Gather Your People 686 Praise to the Lord	964 The Master Came to Bring Good News 644 There's a Wideness in God's Mercy
	Preparation of Gifts	424 I Come With Joy CIS 6.22 Loving and Forgiving	314 Give Us, O Lord 507 Now We Remain	251 Loving and Forgiving: Psalm 103	653 There is a Longing 756 When We Are Living 646 Keep in Mind
	Communion	473 God Is Love 608 Now In This Banquet CIS 6.12 Gather Your People	363 Our Blessing Cup 774 How Lovely Is Your Dwelling	344 With the Lord 652 Peace Prayer	942 Come and Eat This Living Bread

When women are ‘clear and present danger’ at Vatican

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By Jamie Manson

This is a story that should have been told a year ago. I’m not sure why I have hesitated to tell it. But the strange alchemy of the fear and suspicion generated by recent terror attacks, combined with Pope Francis’ recent comments about the “vocations crisis,” compels me to recount an incident I was involved in one year ago last week: the day that a small group of women and I become a clear and present danger at the Vatican.

Before I tell the story, here is a quick review of Francis’ words about the “vocations crisis,” which he offered in a question-and-answer session with priests and religious during a one-day visit to Genoa, Italy, recently.

According to *Cruix’s* Inés San Martín, Francis named a host of factors that are contributing to the crisis. First, he blamed lower birth-rates. “When families had bigger families, there were more (vocations),” he said. Now, it’s “easier to live with a cat or a dog.”

He placed an even bigger blame on priests and religious who are joyless or too worldly. “A young person will see them and say, ‘I don’t want to live like that.’ It pushes people away,” Francis said.

“It’s a time to ask the Lord and ourselves, what do we have to do? What do we have to change?” the pope reflected. “Addressing the problems is a necessary thing. Learning from problems is mandatory.”

The story I am about to recount might qualify as joyless and certainly involves being pushed away. But I tell it with the hope that it might help the pope and his broth-

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er priests in their discernment about what might need to change.

Last year Francis declared an Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy, and many events were held at the Vatican to celebrate it. On June 1 - 3, 2016, the Vatican hosted a Jubilee for Priests, which concluded with a mass led by the pope.

In response, leaders at Women’s Ordination Worldwide and Women’s Ordination Conference devised an action called “A Jubilee for Women Priests” to run concurrently with the Vatican’s Jubilee for Priests. It involved a peaceful witness in front of Castel Sant’Angelo, just blocks away from St. Peter’s Square. Organizers had also secured us tickets to the mass with the pope.

Our message at the witness was simple: God calls men and women to the priesthood.

With the help of an Italian citizen, a permit was obtained for the protest in front of Castel Sant’Angelo, a site that, we hoped, priests would be walking past on their way to concelebrate the mass at St. Peter’s. But it was the police, rather than priests, who were there to greet us that morning.

Six members of the Roman *Polizia* interrogated our organizers, scrutinized our permit and tried to find a reason to end our witness before it even started. The chief negotiator for the Roman police, a female officer, patiently spoke to our organizers while five male officers encircled them.

She told us that normally her unit is charged with protecting the Vatican from terrorist threats, but that day they had been assigned to watch us. Throughout the negotiations, she made several cellphone calls to the chief of the *Corpo della Gendarmeria*, the Vatican’s police and security force.

Our organizers told the police that we also had tickets to the papal mass, which was set to begin



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WOMEN WHO ARE CALLED — Christine Mayr-Lumetzberger, one of the Danube Seven, the first seven women ordained in the Roman Catholic Womenpriests movement in 2002, right, is seen in this file photo. When leaders at Women’s Ordination Worldwide and Women’s Ordination Conference devised an action called “A Jubilee for Women Priests” to run concurrently with the Vatican’s Jubilee for Priests last year at the Vatican, they were told by police that priests in attendance would not be able to understand why a woman, who was an Anglican priest, was wearing a collar.

just after our witness concluded. Looking at the tickets, she said, “Oh, you are pilgrims.” Suddenly the police were keen to keep us in place, and insisted on “escorting” us to St. Peter’s Square. Our band of nine women witnesses would not be permitted to walk to the Vatican on our own.

The most intensive negotiation surrounded a female Anglican priest who had joined our witness in solidarity. She is one of a handful of Anglican priests who serve in Rome and she was wearing a Roman collar, as she does most days as an ordained minister.

We explained in detail why she was entitled to wear a priest’s collar. “I understand who she is and why she can wear it,” the officer said, motioning with her arm toward St. Peter’s Basilica in the distance. “But *they* will not understand. It will make them uncomfortable. They’ve never seen it before.”

Our witness was allowed to carry on. We prayed, sang and

spoke to the media about our belief that women, too, have a vocation to the priesthood.

The nine of us were then marched, two by two, up the *Villa della Conciliazione*. Two police officers led us at the front of our line and two held up the rear. Two police cars, one marked and one unmarked, tailed us on either side. The officers inside glared at us as they cruised along.

When we at last arrived at the Vatican’s barricades we were met with a dozen new security officials, some from the Roman police, others from the Vatican’s *Gendarmeria*, and still others who were unidentified men in black suits. We were outnumbered two-to-one by officers from various security agencies, some of whom spoke to us from behind a barrier that separated us from St. Peter’s Square.

While other pilgrims were herded onto the square with the most cursory glance at their belongings, we were held as a group

and subjected to a thorough search of our bags.

I was carrying a small satchel with a fresh blouse inside. The security officer whipped the shirt out, shook it violently in the air, and then threw it back into my arms. It took me a moment to realize that he wasn’t looking for a weapon; he was looking for a clerical collar.

They confiscated our banners, flyers and buttons. They were adamant about searching our bags for priests’ stoles.

“Whatever you do, you cannot wear a stole on St. Peter’s Square,” the policewoman warned us. “It will be considered a provocation.”

Two women, members of Roman Catholic Womenpriests, had their stoles seized like contraband.

All of our confiscated items were taken to the police station on the square. We were told that we could pick them up after the mass had concluded.

When the police were at last satisfied that our threatening materials had been neutralized, we were led through metal detectors and shown to our seats. Francis was visible in the distance, surrounded by thousands of men in albs and stoles.

A member of the Vatican security force was posted in front of us, and another on the aisle. Their eyes were trained particularly on our Anglican priest supporter and her collar. About 30 minutes into the liturgy, the Anglican priest left the mass to attend to her own church. The security guards, who perhaps had gotten bored of watching us watch the liturgy, hadn’t noticed her departure. When they realized she was missing from our row, a minor panic broke out.

One of the guards approached us demanding to know where she was. When we assured them she had left to return to work, they searched for her among the crowd.

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Sept. 17, 2017 <i>Continued</i>	Closing	439 The Master Came to Bring Good News (Tune: 438) 552 Great God, We Lift Our Hearts CIS 6.30 Table of the World	384 The Servant Song 371 Go In Peace to Love and Serve the Lord	442 Blessed be the Lord 691 Praise the Lord, My Soul	645 Amazing Grace 598 O God Beyond All Praising v 1 & 3
Sept. 24, 2017 Twenty-fifth Sunday in OT	Opening hymn	561 O God, Beyond All Praising 574 We Will Extol Your Praise CIS 6.29 O God of Past and Present	663 Loving and Forgiving 615 The Cry of the Poor	351 Seek the Lord 702 Like Cedars	610 Sing of the Lord’s Goodness 611 All Creatures of Our God and King
	Preparation of Gifts	516 Only This I Want CIS 6.26 All For Your Glory	659 Turn to Me 498 Only This I Want	553 Come with Me into the Fields 722 In the Day of the Lord	782 Only This I Want 658 Seek Ye First
	Communion	604 Seed, Scattered and Sown CIS 6.12 Gather Your People	473 Love One Another 478 Ubi Caritas	508 In the Breaking of the Bread 518 The Supper of the Lord	783 Unless a Grain of Wheat
	Closing	532 For the Fruit of All Creation 533 Sent Forth By God’s Blessing CIS 6.23 Holy Is Your Name	438 We Will Rise Again 385 Sent Forth By God’s Blessing	546 God Has Chosen Me 599 Blest Be the Lord	832 In Christ There is No East or West