

**MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY**

**PRINCIPAL CONSECRATOR**  
His Eminence, John Cardinal O'Connor  
*Archbishop of New York*

**CO-CONSECRATORS**  
The Most Rev. Joseph T. O'Keefe  
*Retired Bishop of Syracuse*  
The Most Rev. Matthew H. Clark  
*Bishop of Rochester*

**PRINCIPAL CONCELEBRANTS**  
His Eminence, William Cardinal Keeler  
*Archbishop of Baltimore*  
The Most Rev. Thomas J. Costello  
*Auxiliary Bishop of Syracuse*  
The Most Rev. Frank J. Harrison  
*Retired Bishop of Syracuse*  
The Most Rev. Edward H. Egan  
*Bishop of Bridgeport, Conn.*

**CONCELEBRANTS**  
Invited Archbishops, Bishops, and Priests

**LECTORS**  
Friar Douglas McMillan  
Kathleen Dyer

**GOSPEL**  
Deacon Leslie Distin

**CHAPLAINS TO THE CARDINAL**  
Deacon Raymond Goskowski  
Deacon Dominic Rossi

**THE BOOK OF GOSPELS**  
Deacon Gerard Pittman  
Deacon Peter Vanelli

**ASSISTANTS FOR BISHOP MOYNIHAN**  
Father Lawrence V. Murphy  
Monsignor Robert L. Stern

**PRESENTERS OF INSIGNIA**  
Ring: Father Robert D. Chryst  
Miter: Father James P. Lang

**Pastoral Staff:** Father Thomas J. McGrath

**THOSE PREPARING THE ALTAR**  
*Representing the Diocesan Youth Council*  
Nicholas Brower, Renae Davenport,  
Jake Dempsey, Ian Domes, Priscilla  
Garrett, Katherine Mahar, Brian Nicholas,  
Patrick O'Connor, Monica Sparaco,  
Michael Aloysius Wallace

**GIFT BEARERS**  
Carolyn Moynihan Funkhouser  
Thelma Curtin  
James E. Moynihan

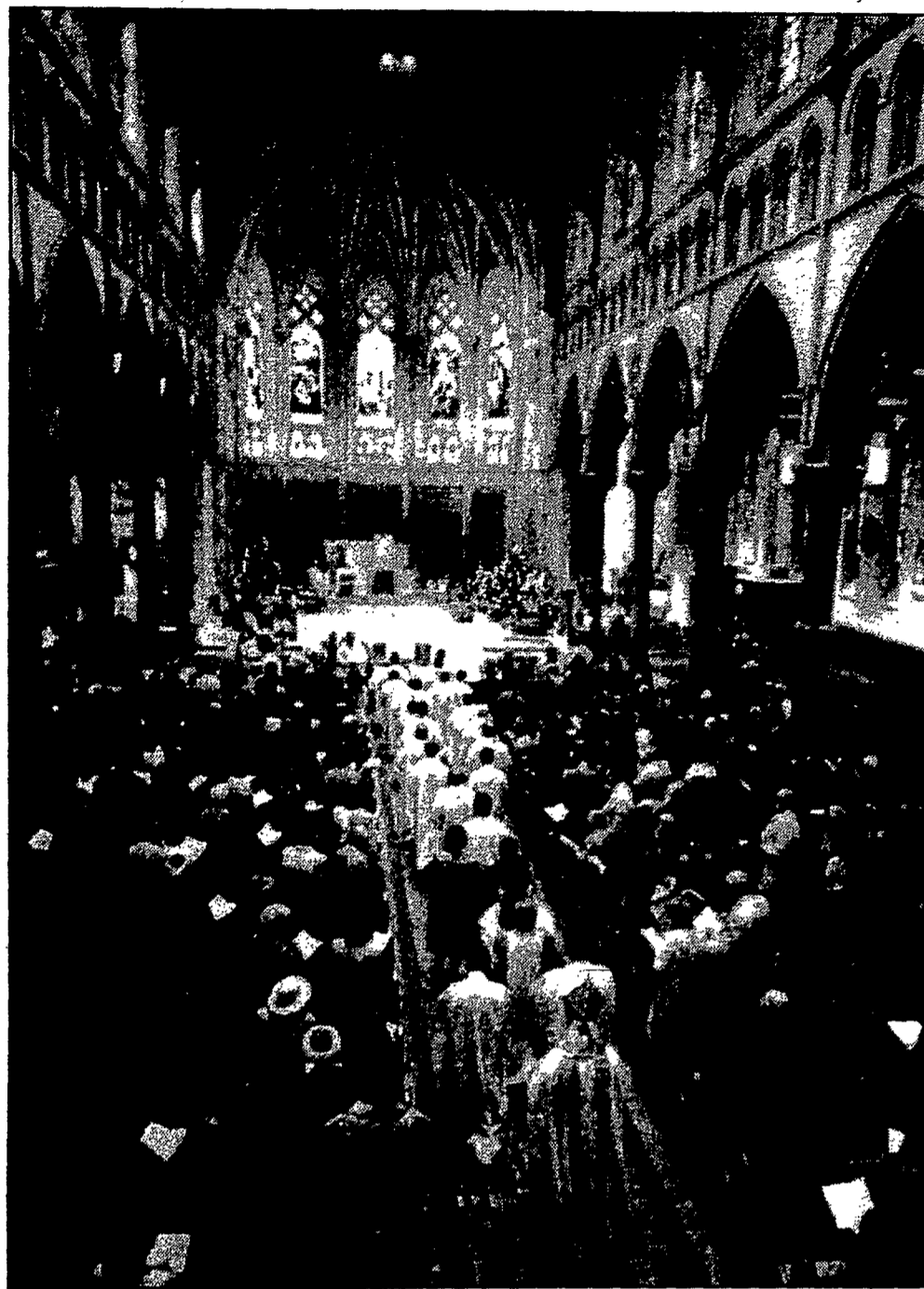
**MUSIC MINISTERS**  
**Choir:** Pastoral Musicians representing all  
four regions of the diocese.  
**Choir Director:** Maria Tyksinski;  
**Assistant Director:** Randy Davis;  
**Cantor:** Sister Laura Bufano;  
**Organist:** Duane Sutton;  
**Brass Quintet:** Lee Turner, *trumpet*, David  
Wilbur, *trumpet*, Audrey Turner, *French  
horn*, Karl Wirt, *trombone*, Burt Dunlap,  
*tuba*; **Timpani:** Paul Kupelian; **Flute:**  
Roselle Lynch; **Oboe:** Michael Skovenski;  
**Guitar:** Sue Schuh, Marty Tyksinski

**MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY**  
Ushers of the Cathedral of the Immaculate  
Conception

**SERVERS**  
Seminarians of the Diocese of Syracuse

**MASTERS OF CEREMONIES**  
Father Richard M. Kopp  
Father Joseph Salerno  
Father Joseph E. Scardella  
Father J. Robert Yeazel

**ORDINATION/INSTALLATION COMMITTEE**  
Keith Ackerman  
Kate Anderson  
Father Paul F. Angelicchio  
Sister Laura Bufano  
Betty Dunne  
Monsignor Charles H. Eckermann  
Jim Funson  
Father Richard M. Kopp  
Father James T. O'Brien  
Father Joseph E. Scardella  
Father J. Robert Yeazel



CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SYRACUSE, NEW YORK

Bishop-designate James M. Moynihan's ordination and installation will take place at 2 p.m. Monday, May 29.

# ORDINATION & INSTALLATION

The following information, provided by the Syracuse diocese's Office of Liturgy, was current as of May 23, the day this paper went to press:

**LITURGY OF THE WORD**

Reading I: Acts 20:17-18, 28-32, 36  
Reading II: 1 Peter 5:1-4  
Gospel: John 10:11-16

**ORDINATION OF BISHOP**

**HYMN**

*Veni Creator Spiritus*

**PRESENTATION OF THE BISHOP-DESIGNATE**

Father Lawrence V. Murphy and Monsignor Robert L. Stern present the bishop-designate to John Cardinal O'Connor.

**APOSTOLIC LETTER**

This letter, official document from the Holy Father which calls Bishop-designate James M. Moynihan to ordination as Bishop of Syracuse, is read by Bishop Thomas J. Costello, auxiliary bishop of Syracuse.

**CONSENT OF THE PEOPLE**

After the letter's reading, all are asked to show their joyful acceptance of this appointment by applause.

**HOMILY**

Cardinal O'Connor, as principal consecrator, addresses the assembly and the bishop-designate on the place and role

of the bishop within the church community.

**EXAMINATION OF THE BISHOP-DESIGNATE**

Following an ancient custom of the Church, Cardinal O'Connor questions the bishop-designate about his resolve to fulfill the responsibilities of the episcopal ministry.



**INVITATION TO PRAYER**

The Cardinal invites all to pray that God will bestow his grace upon the bishop-designate to provide for the church's needs.

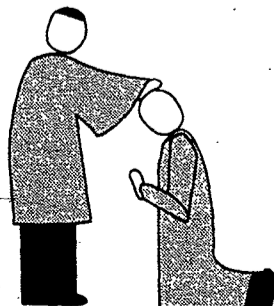


**LITANY OF THE SAINTS**

While Bishop-designate Moynihan lies prostrate on the floor, all join in prayer for him and for the church.

**LAYING ON OF HANDS**

In silence, Cardinal O'Connor imposes hands on the bishop-designate, invoking the power of the Holy Spirit, the same Spirit given by Christ to the Apostles. The co-consecrators and all



the other bishops also impose hands, signifying that the ordination of a bishop is a collegial act of the order of bishops, incorporating a new member into their community, for the service of the Church.

*Ubi Caritas* Jacques Berthier

**BOOK OF GOSPELS**

The Gospel Book is placed over the head of Bishop-designate Moynihan as a sign of the power of God's Word. This ancient rite, dating back to the fifth or sixth century, signifies the "yoke of the Gospel," reminding the new bishop that one of his chief responsibilities is to preach the Good News.

**PRAYER OF CONSECRATION**

While the Gospel Book is held above the head of Bishop-designate Moynihan, the bishops join in the Prayer of Consecration. This ancient prayer, used as early as the beginning of the third century for the ordination of a bishop, invokes the power of the Holy Spirit upon the newly ordained and recalls the importance and role of the bishop within the Church community.

**ANOINTING OF THE BISHOP'S HEAD**

The new bishop's head is anointed, signifying the full share in Christ's priesthood, which he has received through the Laying of the Hands and the Prayer of Consecration.

*Inveni David* Gerald F. Muller

**PRESENTATION OF THE BOOK OF THE GOSPELS**

Bishop Moynihan is commissioned to evangelize with great patience as he is presented with the Book of Gospels.

**INVESTITURE WITH RING, MITER, AND PASTORAL STAFF**

The bishop is now invested with the signs of his office:

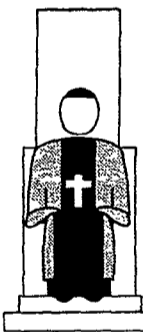
The RING symbolizes his authority and espousal to the Church.

The MITER is a sign of his role as herald of truth.

The PASTORAL STAFF is a sign of his role as spiritual shepherd.

**SEATING OF THE BISHOP**

Cardinal O'Connor invites Bishop Moynihan to occupy the chair.



**KISS OF PEACE**

Bishop Moynihan sets aside his staff and receives the kiss of peace from the principal consecrator and all the other bishops.

Music during the Kiss of Peace  
*Psalm 96* Ron Krisman

**LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

**COMMUNION RITE**

**CONCLUDING RITE**

**HYMN OF THANKSGIVING AND BLESSING**

As Bishop O'Keefe and Bishop Costello lead Bishop Moynihan through the Cathedral, he blesses the assembly, and the choir sings the *Te Deum*.

**CONCLUDING REMARKS**

Bishop James M. Moynihan

**SOLEMN BLESSING AND DISMISSAL**

**RECESSIONAL HYMN**

*Lord, You Give the Great Commission*

**POSTLUDE**

*Hallelujah Chorus* George F. Handel

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