

**INKONZO YOKUGCOTSHWA
KOMBHISHOBHI**

*Episcopal Ordination
of*



**Msgr. Xolelo Thaddeus Kumalo
BISHOP OF ESHOWE**

Little Flower School Grounds
07 JUNE 2008

RITE OF EPISCOPAL ORDINATION
Inkonzo yokugcotshwa koMbhishobhi

CB = Principal Ordaining Bishop / Consecrating Bishop
BE = Bishop-Elect
PR = Presentor
DC = Deacon
A = All

Inkonzo yomgcobo yenziwa emva kweVangeli
The Ordination of the Bishop takes place after the proclamation of the Holy Gospel

UKWETHULWA KOMBHISHOBHI
Presentation of the Bishop-Elect

One of the priests addresses the ordaining bishop:
Omunye wabapriste uye akhulume noMgcobi oyinhloko athi:

PR: Baba Odumisekayo, iBandla las'Eshowe liyakucela ukuba umpriste lona uTHADDEUS XOLELO KUMALO, umgcobele isikhundla sobuBhishobhi Most Reverend Father, the Church of Eshowe requests that you ordain the priest THADDEUS XOLELO KUMALO for the office of Bishop

CB: Do you have the Apostolic mandate
Unayo yini incwadi egunyaza ukuba agcotshelwe ubuBhishobhi?

PR: Yebo sinayo / We have it.

CB: Ngakho-ke mayifundwe leyoncwadi / Then let it be read

All sit while the mandate is read

PR: These are the words of the Mandate.

All respond by singing:

A: Kabongwe uNkulunkulu

INTSHUMAYELO / HOMILY
Rt Rev Bishop William Slattery - Bishop of Kokstad

UKUHLOLWA / EXAMINATION

The Bishop-elect then rises and stands in front of the ordaining Bishop, who examines him...

CB: Kuliqiniso elidala lesinqumo sawo Baba ukuba uMbishobhi –mbekwa abuzwe imibuzo phambi kwamakholwa ephathelene nokugcina kwakhe ukholo nesikhundla sakhe sobuBhishobhi.

Mnewethu othandekayo, uzimisele yini ngegrasiya loMoya Ocwebileyo ukusebenzisa isikhundla sakho ngokuyikho kuze kube sekufeni kwakho, isikhundla phela osuzosithola khona manje ngokubekwa kwezandla na?

BE: Ngizimisele

CB: Uzimisele yini ukuthembeka nokubambelela ngqi ekushumayeleni iVangeli likaKristo na?

BE: Ngizimisele

CB: Are you resolved to maintain the content of faith, entire and uncorrupted, as handed down by the apostles and professed by the Church at all times and places?

BE: I am

CB: Uzimisele yini ukwethembeka njalo ngokulalela umlandeli kaPetro Ocwebileyo uMphostole na?

BE: Ngizimisele

CB: Are you resolved as a devoted father to sustain the people of God in co-operation with the priests and deacons who share your ministry and to guide them in the way of salvation?

BE: I am

CB: Uzimisele yini ukukhombisa umusa nozwelo kubantu abampofu na kubafokazana nakubo bonke abadinga usizo egameni leNkosi yethu na?

BE: Ngizimisele

CB: Are you resolved as a good shepherd to seek out the sheep who stray and to gather them into the fold of the Lord?

BE: I am

CB: Uzimisele yini ukuthandazela abantu bakaNkulunkulu ngaphandle kokukhawula nokuqhuba kahle umsebenzi wakho esikhundleni esiphakeme kakhulu ebupristen okungangokuba kungeze kwaba khona sikhonondo na?

BE: Yebo, ngizimisele ngokusizwa nguNkulunkulu

CB: Sengathi uNkulunkulu oqale lomsebenzi omuhle kuwena angawuqedela

A: Amen.

ILITHANI LABACWEBILEYO BONKE LITANY OF ALL SAINTS

All Stand and the ordaining bishop, without his mitre, invites all to pray:

CB: Bazalwane abathandekayo, asithandazele lomuntu okhethelwe ukufeza izidingo zeBandla. Asithandazele ukuba uNkulunkulu uSo mandla ngokulunga kwakhe amgcwalise ngamagrasiya ache

The Bishop elect prostrates himself and the rest kneel at their places.

DC: Asiguqe sonke

ILITHANI LABACWEBILEYO BONKE

Fr Paul Mancini

Nkosi Sihawukele

Kristo Sihawukele

Nkosi Sihawukele

Mariy 'ongcwele

Nina kaNkulunkulu

Nina nonke Zingelosi

ZikaNkulunkulu

Josef ongcwele

Johannes ongcwele

Umbhabhadisi

Petrus ongcwele

Paulus ongcwele

Andreas ongcwele

Johannes ongcwele

Jakob ongcwele

Phillip ongcwele

Matthew ongcwele

Thomas ongcwele

Simon ongcwele

Barnabas ongcwele

Lukas ongcwele

Markus ongcwele

Timoth ongcwele

Titus ongcwele

Marai Magdalena
Ocwebileyo
Monic' ongcwele
Catherin' ongcwele
Stefan ongcwele
Lawrence ongcwele
Ignatius ongcwele
Wase Antioch
Agnes ongcwele
Lucia ongcwele
Felicita ongcwele
Perpetua ongcwele
Maria Gorret
Ocwebileyo
Gregory ongcwele
Augustine ongcwele
Basilius ongcwele
Athanasius ongcwele
Igantius ongcwele
Martin ongcwele
Francis ongcwele
Dominic ongcwele
Mansuet ongcwele
Benedict ongcwele
Thaddeus ongcwele 3x

John Maria Vianney
Ocwebileyo
.
Sikhulekelen Sikhulekeleni 2x

Sisindise Nkosi
Kuko konke okubi i
Ezonweni zonke
Ekufeni kwaphakade
Ngokuzalwa Kwakho
Nangokufa kwakho
Ngokuvuka kwakho
Ngokuthum' uMoya Oyingcwele

Sizwe Siyakuncenga

Thina zoni sizwe
Ake ubusise Bandla lakho
Qinis , uPhapha wethu
Qinis' ababhishobhi
Qinisa nabo bonke
Abondl' ibandla lakho
Siqinise okholweni
Senze sibe nhliziyonye
Thina zoni sizwe

CB: Ake uhlahlamelise lesisikhethwa sakho *Thina zoni sizwe siyakuncenga*
CB: Ake uhlahlamelise, ucwebise, lesisikhethwa sakho
CB: Ake uhlahlamelise, ucwebise, ugcobebe inkonzo yobuBhishobhi
lesisikhethwa sakho

After the Litany of All Saints, the principal ordaining bishop alone stands and with hands joined says:

CB: Lord be moved by our prayers. Anoint your servant with the fullness of priestly grace, and bless him with spiritual power in all its richness. We ask this through Christ our Lord

Nkosi Nkulunkulu ake ulalele imikhuleko yethu. Ake uthumele lesisik honzi sakho ubuphelele begrasiya lobupriste namandla esibusiso sakho, Sicela ngo Kristo iNkosi yethu.

A: Amen

DC: Asisukume

UKUBEKWA KWEZANDLA LAYING ON OF HANDS

UKUBEKWA KWAMAVANGELI IMPOSITION OF THE EVANGELIUM

The ordaining Bishop places the open book of the Gospels upon the head of the bishop-elect, designated priests hold the Book of the Gospels above his head until the power of consecration is completed.

UMKHULEKO WOKWAHLUKANISELWA PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

The principal-consecrator with his hands extended over the Bishop-elect, says the prayer of consecration aloud

CB: Yise weNkosi uJesu Kristo, Nkulunkulu onesihe, wena unikeza intoko malo kuwo wonke umuntu, uthi usezulwini ube unakekela izi dalwa zakho ngisho nezincane, wena Somandla wazo zonke izinto ngisho zingakenzeki. Ukwembulelwa nguwe sekuqophe phansi imithetho yeBandla lakho, lokhu wakukhombisa kwakhona ekuqaleni ngabantu abalungileyo bakaAbraham owababeka uphawu. Kwakhona ekuqaleni kuleloBandla wamisa inkambiso yalo kanye nobupriste, ukuze indawo yakho eyingcwele ingasali buze ngaphandle kwemininingwane yezin konzo. Kusukela ekuqaleni komhlaba wawuyilokhu ujatshuliswa wukudunyiswa ngabapriste owawubakhethile

The following part of the prayer is prayed by all Bishops:

So now pour out upon this chosen one that power which is from you, the governing Spirit whom you gave to your beloved Son Jesus Christ, the Spirit, given by him to the Holy Apostles, who founded the Church in every place to be your temple for the unceasing glory and praise of your name.

Then the principal-consecrator continues alone

CB: Father, you know all hearts. You have chosen your servant for the office of Bishop. May he be a shepherd to your holy flock, and a high priest blameless in your sight, ministering to you night and day; may he always gain the blessings of your favour and offer the gifts of your holy Church.

Through the Spirit who gives the grace of high priesthood grant him power to forgive sins as you have decreed, and to loose every bond by the authority which you gave to your apostles.

May he be pleasing to you by his gentleness and purity of heart, presenting a fragrant offering to you, through Jesus Christ your Son, through whom glory and power and honour are yours with the Holy Spirit in your Church now and forever.

A: Amen.

UKUGCOTSHWA KWEKHANDA ANOINTING OF THE BISHOP'S HEAD

The principal consecrator takes the Chrism and anoints the head of the Bishop, saying:

CB: UNkulunkulu ukwenze waba mdibimunye nobupriste bukaKristo. Ake akuthele ngalamafutha emfihlakalo yomgcobo akwenze unotho ezibusisweni zokomoya God has brought you to share the high priesthood of Christ. May He pour out on you the oil of mystical anointing and enrich you with spiritual blessings.

UKUNIKEZWA KWAMAVANGELI

The principal consecrator hands the Book of the Gospels to the newly ordained Bishop and says:

- CB: Yamukela iVangeli ushumayele iZwi likaNkulunkulu, ulifundise ngesineke sonke onaso
- CB: Receive the Gospel and preach the word of God with unfailing patience and sound teaching.

INVESTITURE: RING, MITRE AND CROSIER UKUGQOKISWA: INDANDATHO, ISIGQOKO NODONDOLO

The principal consecrator places the ring on the finger of the new Bishop's right hand, saying:

- CB: Yamukela lendandatho njengesibonakaliso nophawu lokholo. Londoloza ukholo, ulondoloze uvikele iBandla eliyingcwele elingumakoti kaNkulunkulu.

*The principal consecrator places the mitre on the head of the new Bishop, in silence:
He then gives him the crosier and says:*

- CB: Take this staff as a sign of your pastoral office: keep watch over the whole flock in which the Holy Spirit has appointed you to shepherd the Church of God.

Thatha udondolo, lube yisibonakaliso nophawu lwesikhundla sokwalusa, uweluse wonke umhlambi obekwe kuwo nguMoya Ocwebile ngesikhundla sobuBhishobhi ukuba ngaso wengamele iBandla likaNkulunkulu.

SEATING OF THE BISHOP UKUBEKWA KOMBHISHOBHI ESIHLALWENI SAKHE

The newly ordained Bishop is asked to sit on the Bishop's chair, after which the principal consecrator sits at his right.

**KISS OF PEACE/
UKWANGANA KOXOLO**

The newly ordained Bishop then receives the kiss of peace from the principal consecrator and all the other Bishops present.

At this time the Secretary General of the SACBC introduces them as they come up one by one.

All the clergy of the diocese follow suit

The principal finally presents the newly ordained Bishop to the faithful of his Diocese