

OUTLINE OF THE SERVICE FOR ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION

(Resource: Adapted from *Book of Occasional Services*, PCUSA)

Please use this outline as a guide in planning your service. The parts of the service required by the *Book of Order* are in **bold**. The *Book of Occasional Services* is an excellent resource for each part of this service and can be used in planning other special services in your congregation.

GATHERING

Presentation
Call to Worship
Hymn of Praise
Confession and Pardon
The Peace

THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination
Scripture reading(s)
Sermon
Hymn
Ordination to the Ministry of Word and Sacrament (Installation)
Statement on Ordination and Installation
Reaffirmation of the Baptismal Covenant
Thanksgiving for Baptism
(Anointing)
Constitutional questions
Prayer of Ordination
Laying On of Hands
Declaration of Ordination (and Installation)
Welcome
Charge to the Newly Ordained (Installed)
Presentation of Symbols of Ministry
Charge to the Congregation
Hymn

THE LORD'S SUPPER

SENDING

Hymn
Charge
Benediction

