

Lesson 3

LO: Know that the Sacrament of Holy Orders is a special form of commitment and service

Married people play their part in the Family of God and so do other people such as **bishops, priests and deacons**.

They receive a special Sacrament so that they can play their part in the life of the Church. This is called **the Sacrament of Holy Orders**.



Research information about the **Archbishop of Birmingham**. Create an information **Poster of your Research**.

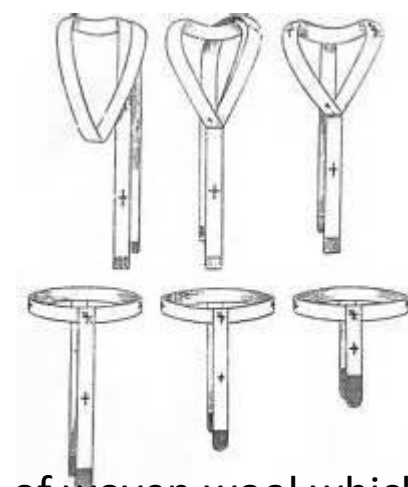
- Where does he live? How long has he been the Archbishop?
- You might find his **Coat of Arms**. What does his **motto** mean?
- A bishop has the responsibility of teaching and preaching the Gospel of Christ and the Catholic Faith and caring for God's people in an area of the country called a **diocese**.
- Find out about some of **the vestments** that the Archbishop has to wear. **The Mitre** as a sign of his responsibility to teach and preach. **The Crozier** as a sign that he is called to care for God's people like Christ who is the Good Shepherd. **The Pastoral Ring** is a sign that he has a special love and commitment to caring for God's people. **The Pallium** is a piece of woven wool which the Archbishop wears over his vestments at Mass around his shoulders. This was given to him by the Pope who is the Bishop of Rome. It is a reminder that he has been given **special responsibility** in the Church and that he is a successor to the first Apostles in caring for God's people and in preaching the Gospel.
- The Archbishop's **church is called a Cathedral**. Find out the name of the Cathedral of the Archdiocese of Birmingham

Archbishop Bernard Longley





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Coat of arms

*motto: Ut unum sint
(English: That they all
may be one)*

Go Forth

Just like Jesus' first followers, we too should try to bring peace and healing to other people by the things we say and the way we behave.

Even if others ignore us, then at least we have tried to do what Jesus has asked.

