

Items that every Priest needs
(* Recommend for every priest)

Personal clothing items

- Black shoes
- Black socks
- Black pants
- Black belt
- Black suit coat
- Lapel Pin
- Priest shirt(s) with collar (long and short sleeve)
- Manutergium

Vestments

Acquire vestments in the color of white initially, however, all major liturgical colors (purple, green, & red) later

- Religious Habit
- Cassock
- Amice
- Alb *
- Girdle/Cincture *
- Stoles (Deacon & Priest) *
- Dalmatic (Deacon) *
- Maniple
- Chasuble/Fiddleback *
- Pectoral Cross
- Biretta
- Surplice *
- Mozzetta *
- Cope *
- Humeral Veil
- Server vestments *

Liturgical Items and/or Furnishings

- Chalice *
- Paten *
- Ciborium
- Pall *
- Veil *

- Burse *
- Purificator *
- Lavabo *
- Lavabo cloth *
- Thurible/censer
- Charcoal
- Charcoal tong
- Censer rack
- Incense
- Altar bread *
- Communion hosts *
- Monstrance (large & small)
- Pyx (large & small) *
- Holy Anointing Oil *
- Holy Oil vessels/Ambry set *
- Single Oil Stock *
- Triple Oil Stock Set
- Cruet x2 *
- Holy Water *
- Holy Water Pot with Sprinkler *
- Holy Water font(s)
- Credence Table *
- Standing Lectern *
- Lectern scarfs
- Stations of the Cross
- Icons (Christ, Our Lady, Angels, etc.)
- Mosaic Art/Holy Art
- Statues
- Kneeler(s) *
- Seats/bench(es) *
- Bishop's Throne
- Outdoor garden items

Altar

- Stone/Wood/Folding Table w/ bed risers (5-6 inches) *
- Tabernacle
- Altar Stone
- Antimensia
- Corporal (personally blessed by your bishop) *

- Altar Cross
- Paschal Candle *
- Candlesticks x6 *
- Candles x6 (recommend battery operated) *
- Candle Lighter with Bell Snuffer
- Wax Tapers for the Candle Lighter
- Missal Stand *
- Altar cloths x3 *
- Altar Frontal(s)

Legal/Financial

- Register as a Non-Profit Organization in your state of residence
 - Chairperson
 - At least 3-5 members on the board
 - Secretary (optional)
 - Treasurer (optional)
- State sales tax exemption from your state
- Non-profit bank account with checkbook (two signatures) & Debit
- IRS EIN
- File taxes annually for your non-profit religious org.
- Insurance, i.e. Church Mutual
- Federal 501(c)(3) (optional)