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In accord with the norms established by decree of the Sacred Congregation of Rites in *Cum, nostra aetate* (27 January 1966) and of the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments in *Liturgiam authenticam* (28 March 2001), this third edition of the *Roman Missal* is declared to be the vernacular typical edition of the *Missale Romanum, editio typica tertia*, and is published by authority of the Bishops' Conference of Scotland.

The various sections of the third edition of the *Roman Missal* were canonically approved for use by the Bishops' Conference of Scotland on 3 April 2006, 12 September 2006, 12 June 2007, 11 September 2007, 11 December 2007, 10 March 2008, 6 May 2008, 9 September 2009, 8 December 2009, and were subsequently confirmed by the Apostolic See by decree of the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments on 23 June 2010 (Prot. n. 1021/07/L). The proper calendar, texts, and adaptations for the dioceses of Scotland were confirmed by the Apostolic See by decrees of the same Congregation on 10 January 2010 (Prot. n. 7/10/L), 22 February 2011 and 23 February 2011 (Prot. n. 46/11/L), 8 March 2011 (Prot. n. 169/11/L).

The Order of Mass of the third edition of the *Roman Missal* is permitted for use in the dioceses of Scotland from Sunday 4 September 2011. The third edition of the *Roman Missal* enters into use in the dioceses of the Scotland as of the First Sunday of Advent, 27 November 2011. From that date forward, no other English edition of the *Roman Missal* may be used in the dioceses of Scotland.

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