

# Our Lord

When Jesus came into the coasts of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, saying, **Whom do men say that I the Son of man am?** And they said, Some say that thou art John the Baptist: some, Elias; and others, Jeremias, or one of the prophets. He saith unto them, **But whom say ye that I am?** And Simon Peter answered and said, Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God. And Jesus answered and said unto him, **Blessed art thou, Simon Barjona: for flesh and blood hath not revealed it unto thee, but my Father which is in heaven. And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it. And I will give unto thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven: and whatsoever thou shalt bind on earth shall be bound in heaven: and whatsoever thou shalt loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.** St. Matthew 16: 13-19



# Jesus Christ

## The Holy Apostles

# Our Saviour

Then the same day at evening, being the first day of the week, when the doors were shut where the disciples were assembled for fear of the Jews, came Jesus and stood in the midst, and saith unto them, **Peace be unto you.** And when he had so said, he shewed unto them his hands and his side. Then were the disciples glad, when they saw the Lord. Then said Jesus to them again, **Peace be unto you: as my Father hath sent me, even so send I you.** And when he had said this, he breathed on them, and saith unto them, **Receive ye the Holy Ghost: Whose soever sins ye remit, they are remitted unto them; and whose soever sins ye retain, they are retained . . .** And many other signs truly did Jesus in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book: But these are written, that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing ye might have life through his name. St. John 20: 19-23, 30,31

Peter, James, Andrew, Bartholomew, Matthew, James the Less, Simon, John, Philip, Thomas, Judas Thadeus, Matthias

### Bishops of Rome, A.D. 67 to A.D. 668

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|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Linus        | 18. Anterus     | 35. Liberius      | 52. John I       | 69. Honorius         |
| 2. Anacletus    | 19. Fabian      | 36. Damasus I     | 53. Felix III    | 70. Severinus        |
| 3. Clement      | 20. Cornelius   | 37. Siricius      | 54. Boniface II  | 71. John IV          |
| 4. Evaristus    | 21. Lucius I    | 38. Anastasius I  | 55. John II      | 72. Theodore I       |
| 5. Alexander    | 22. Stephan I   | 39. Innocent I    | 56. Agapetus I   | 73. Martin I         |
| 6. Sixtus I     | 23. Sixtus II   | 40. Zosimus       | 57. Sylvester    | 74. Eugene I         |
| 7. Telesphorus  | 24. Dionysius   | 41. Boniface I    | 58. Vigilius     | 75. Vitalian         |
| 8. Hyginus      | 25. Felix I     | 42. Celestine I   | 59. Pelagius I   |                      |
| 9. Pius I       | 26. Eutychian   | 43. Sixtus III    | 60. John III     | <b>Vitalian</b> con- |
| 10. Anicetus    | 27. Caius       | 44. Leo I         | 61. Benedict I   | secrated             |
| 11. Soter       | 28. Marcellinus | 45. Hilarius      | 62. Pelegius II  | Theodore of          |
| 12. Eleutherius | 29. Marcellus I | 46. Simplicius    | 63. Gregory I    | Tarsus in A.D.       |
| 13. Victor I    | 30. Eusebius    | 47. Felix II      | 64. Sabinian     | 688. He be-          |
| 14. Zephyrinus  | 31. Miltiades   | 48. Gelasius I    | 65. Boniface III | came the             |
| 15. Callistus I | 32. Sylvester I | 49. Anastasius II | 66. Boniface IV  | seventh              |
| 16. Urban I     | 33. Marcus      | 50. Symmachus     | 67. Deusdedit    | Archbishop of        |
| 17. Pontian     | 34. Julius I    | 51. Hormisdas     | 68. Boniface V   | Canterbury.          |



"He cannot be reckoned as a bishop who succeeds no one...For he who has not been ordained in the Church can neither have nor hold to the Church in any way...How can he be esteemed a pastor, who succeeds to no one, but begins from himself? For the true shepherd remains and presides over the Church of God by successive ordination..." (St. Cyprian of Carthage, "Letter To Magnus," [c. A.D. 250])

### Bishops of Gaul, A.D. 97 to A.D. 589

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| 1. Polycarp    | 18. Antiochus    |
| 2. Pothinus    | 19. Elpidius     |
| 3. Irenaeus    | 20. Licarius     |
| 4. Zaccharius  | 21. Eucherius I  |
| 5. Elias       | 22. Patieus      |
| 6. Faustinus   | 23. Lupicinus    |
| 8. Verus       | 24. Rusticu      |
| 9. Julius      | 25. Stephanus    |
| 10. Ptolemy    | 26. Viventius    |
| 11. Vocius     | 27. Lucherius II |
| 12. Maximus    | 28. Lupus        |
| 13. Tetradius  | 29. Licontius    |
| 14. Verissimus | 30. Sacerdos     |
| 15. Justus     | 31. Nicetus      |
| 16. Albinus    | 32. Priscus      |
| 17. Martin     | 33. Aetherius    |

"Polycarp also was not only instructed by apostles, and conversed with many who had seen Christ, but was also, by apostles in Asia, appointed bishop of the church in Smyrna, whom I also saw in my early youth, for he tarried [on earth] a very long time, and, when a very old man, gloriously and most nobly suffering martyrdom, departed this life, having always taught the things which he had learned from the apostles, and which alone are true. To these things all the Asiatic churches testify, as do also those men who have succeeded Polycarp down to the present time...The true knowledge is the doctrine of the apostles, and the ancient organization of the Church throughout the whole world, and the manifestation of the body of Christ according to the succession of bishops, by which succession the bishops have handed down the Church which is found everywhere." (Irenaeus, *Against Heresies* [A.D. 189]).

Aetherius consecrated Augustine, who became the first Archbishop of Canterbury. Augustine arrived in England A.D. 597.

### The English Succession, A.D. 597 to A.D. 1787

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| 1. Augustine of Canterbury | (From the Johannine Succession of Gaul)   |  |                           |
| 2. Lawrence                | "The words of our Lord Jesus Christ are plain that He sent His Apostles and gave to them alone the power that had been given to Him by His Father. And we have succeeded to them, governing the Lord's Church with the same power." (Seventh Council Of Carthage [c. A.D. 256]) |  |                           |
| 3. Melitus                 |   |  |                           |
| 4. Justus                  |   |  |                           |
| 5. Honorius                |   |  |                           |
| 6. Deusdedit               |   |  |                           |
| 7. Theodore of Tarsus      |   | (From the Petrine Succession of Rome)  |                           |
| 8. Gebmond                 |   | 33. Elfric   | 47. Baldwin               |
| 9. Eegwine                 | 34. Wulfstan  | 48. Walter, consecrated by Richard of Dover and others. Richard was consecrated by Pope Alexander III, 1170. | 56. John of Halton        |
| 10. Daniel                 | 35. Ethelnoth   | 49. St. Mere l'glise   | 57. Cobham                |
| 11. Tatwine                | 36. Eadsige   | 50. Langton, consecrated by Pope Innocent III, and others, 1207.   | 58. Northburgh            |
| 12. Sigga                  | 37. Champart  | 51. deGray   | 59. Burghersh             |
| 13. Alwig                  | 38. William   | 52. Kirkham  | 60. Wyvill                |
| 14. Nothelm                | 39. Lanfranc  | 53. Henry  | 61. Stratford, J          |
| 15. Cuthbert               | 40. Thomas  | 54. Wickwane, consecrated by Pope Nicholas III, & others, 1279.  | 62. Stratford, R          |
| 16. Eegwulf                | 41. St. Anselm  |  | 63. Edenson               |
| 17. Jaenberht              | 42. Roger   |  | 64. Sudbury               |
| 18. Cyneberht              | 43. Alberic, Papal Legate   |  | 65. Brentingham           |
| 19. Aethelheard            | 44. Theobald  |  | 66. Braybrooke            |
| 20. Deneberht              | 45. Foliot  |  | 67. Walden                |
| 21. Wulfred                | 46. de Leia, Bishop of St. David's, the Church of Wales, in 1176. The Welch Church traces its Succession to the Apostle St. James the Less.   |  | 68. Beaufort              |
| 22. Wigtheagn              |   |  | 69. Bouchier              |
| 23. Ceolnoth               |   |  | 70. Morton                |
| 24. Alfred                 |   |  | 71. Fox                   |
| 25. Ethelred               |   |  | 72. Warham                |
| 26. Werefirth              |   |  | 73. Longlands             |
| 27. Athelm                 |   |  | 74. Thomas Cranmer, 1533  |
| 28. Wulfhelm               |   |  | 75. John Scory, 1551      |
| 30. Oda                    |   |  | 76. Miles Coverdale, 1554 |
| 31. St. Dunstan            |   |  | 77. William Barlow, 1554  |
| 32. Sigeric                |   |  |                           |



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| 78. Matthew Parker, 1559,   |
| 79. Edmund Grindal, 1559  |
| 80. John Whitgift, 1577   |
| 81. Richard Bancroft, 1597  |
| 82. George Abbot, 1609  |
| 83. George Moteigne, 1617, consecrated by Marco Antonio de Dominis Archbishop of Spalato, Lan- celot Andrewes, etc. |
| 84. William Laud, 1621  |
| 85. Brian Duppa, 1638   |
| 86. Gilbert Sheld, 1660   |
| 87. Henry Compton, 1674   |
| 88. William Sancroft, 1678  |
| 89. Jonathan Trelawney, 1685  |
| 90. John Potter, 1715   |
| 91. Thomas Herring, 1738  |
| 92. Frederick Cornwallis, 1750  |
| 93. John Moore, 1775,   |

John Moore, Archbishop of Canterbury, who with Bishops Markham (York), Moss (Bath and Wells), and Hinchcliffe (Petersborough), consecrated William White for the Episcopal Church in the United States.

### The American and Philippine Succession, A.D. 1787 to...

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| 1. William White, 1787 (#2)   | 1. Isabelo DeLosReyes, April 7, 1948, PICC.   |
| 2. T. C. Brownell, 1819 (#19)   | 2. Francisco deJesus Pagtakh- an, Sept. 8, 1957, PICC   |
| 3. Horatio Potter, 1859 (#62)   | 3. Robert Q. Kennaugh, Sept. 26, 1981, for ministry in the United States.   |
| 4. A. N. Littlejohn, 1869 (#91)   | 4. Stephen Clark, Oct. 18, 1989, for ministry in the United States.   |
| 5. John McKim, 1893 (#168)  | 5. Herbert M. Groce, Jan. 8, 1994 Metropolitan Archbishop of the Anglican Rite Synod in the Americas, The Holy Catholic Church. |
| 6. H. St.G. Tucker, 1912 (#258)   | 6. Scott Earle McLaugh- lin, May 1, 1999, for the Orthodox Anglican Church.   |
| 7. H.S. Kennedy, 1944 (#444) (#s indicate Episcopal Church succession registration)   | On April 30, AD 2000, elected Presiding Bishop of the Church in the USA, and Primate of the Orthodox Anglican Communion.        |
| Kennedy (Honolulu), Bin- sted (Philippines), and Wilner (Auxiliary, Philip- pines), consecrated Isa- belo de Los Reyes, Jr. as Obispo Maximo of the Philippine Independent Catholic Church (PICC), April 7, 1948. |   |

"In this order, and by this suc- cession, the ecclesiastical tradi- tion from the Apostles, and the preaching of the truth, have come down to us." St. Irenaeus

# The Apostolic Succession

Of The Orthodox Anglican Church  
Through the Apostles St. Peter and St. John

