

Server Vesting Prayers

If the hands are washed: **Da, Domine, virtutem manibus me
ad abstergendam omnem maculam:
ut sine pollutione mentis et corporis
valeam tibi servire.**

**Give strength to my hands, Lord,
to wipe away every stain,
so that I may be able to serve you
in purity of mind and body.**

If an amice is worn: **Impone, Domine,
capiti meo galeam salutis,
ad expugandos diabolicos incursus.**

**Lord, set the helmet of salvation on my
head to fend off all the assaults of the devil.**

As the alb is worn: **Dealba me, Domine,
et munda cor meum:
ut in sanguine Agni dealbatus,
gaudiis perfruar sempiternis.**

**Purify me, Lord, and cleanse my heart
so that, washed in the Blood of the Lamb,
I may enjoy eternal joys.**

If a cincture is tied: **Praecinge me, Domine,
cingulo puritatis,
et exstingue in lumbis meis humorem
libidinis:
ut maneat in me
virtus continentiae et castitatis.**

**Lord, fasten the cincture of purity around
me and extinguish my earthly desires,
so that the virtue of continence and
chastity may dwell within me.**