

GUIDELINES FOR PRESENTING STOLES

(As approved by the Regional Council Executives, Fundy St. Lawrence Dawning Waters and Region 15)

1. Stoles may or may not be conferred in accordance with the wishes of the ordinands/commissionands/ and those being recognized.
2. Presentation of the Bible should precede any vesting with stole.
3. If stoles are being received, the act will be incorporated liturgically in the service.
4. Candidates are to advise the Executive Minister before the Service on the manner of post-ordination/commissioning, recognition greeting, they wish to receive.
5. Red is the traditional colour for ordination/commissioning/recognition because historically it has symbolized the Holy Spirit. Other options are acceptable.
6. Candidates are to advise the Executive Minister who will be presenting the stole.

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