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This article discusses the complex relation between the priesthood, civic generosity and public honour of priestesses of the imperial cult in the cities of Italy and the Latin-speaking western provinces. The main questions are: what benefactions did these priestesses bestow? What were their motives for their public munificence and what their rewards? Was there a direct connection between their office and benefactions, and the public honours they received, or did the latter depend on more, or other, factors?