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2015 PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS

The Most Reverend Terrence Prendergast, SJ, Archbishop of Ottawa, announces the following appointments which become effective on August 1st, 2015, unless indicated otherwise.

Fr. Vincent Pereira is re-appointed Judicial Vicar of the Ottawa Ecclesiastical Regional Tribunal.

Mr. Thomas Moloney is appointed Vice-Chancellor of the Archdiocese of Ottawa.

Deacon Eugene Margeson continues as a Judge of the Ottawa Ecclesiastical Regional Tribunal.

Fr. Louis Fohssié is appointed Vice-Chancellor (half-time) of the Archdiocese of Ottawa while pursuing his doctoral studies and other pastoral ministry.

FOR THE ENGLISH SECTOR

Fr. Kevin Milaney will retire from full time ministry

Region I

Fr. Tadeusz Jordan, SDS is appointed Associate Pastor of Divine Infant parish in Orleans.

Fr. Stephen Liang is appointed Pastor of Immaculate Heart of Mary parish in Ottawa and re-appointed Priest Moderator of Sheng Shen (Holy Spirit) parish.

Fr. William Penney is appointed Pastor of Our Lady of the Visitation parish in Gloucester.

Fr. José Richard, SCJ is appointed Associate-Pastor (half-time) of Resurrection of Our Lord parish effective March 19, 2015.

Fr. Jessimar Tapia is appointed Pastor of Our Lady of Mount Carmel parish in Ottawa.

Fr. Donald Tuori is appointed Parochial Administrator of St. Ignatius parish in Ottawa.

Deacon André Bourget is re-assigned to the Deaf Community.

Deacon Rodolfo DeCastro is re-assigned to Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary parish in Vanier.

Deacon Allan Carpen is assigned to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal in Russell.

Deacon Peter Fan is re-assigned to Sheng Shen (Holy Spirit) parish in Gloucester.

Deacon William John Read is re-assigned to Annunciation of the Lord parish in Gloucester.

Region II

Fr. Richard Beaudette, OMI is appointed Pastor of St. Joseph parish in Ottawa effective November 1, 2015.

Fr. Peter Tuan BUI, C.Ss.R. is appointed Pastor of Our Lady of LaVang parish in Ottawa effective July 1, 2015.

Fr. James Fiori, OMI is appointed Pastor of Holy Canadian Martyrs parish in Ottawa, effective October 1, 2015.

Fr. Jacques Breton, FSSP is appointed Associate Pastor of St. Clement parish effective July 23, 2015.

Fr. Richard Lorenz is appointed Associate Rector of St. Patrick's Basilica in Ottawa.

Region III

Fr. Lindsay Harrison is appointed Pastor of St. John the Apostle parish in Nepean.

Fr. Brian Hennessey is appointed Pastor of St. Martin de Porres parish in Nepean.

Fr. Francis Scott is appointed Pastor of St. Augustine parish in Ottawa.

Deacon Paul Soucie is re-assigned to St. Martin de Porres parish in Nepean.

Mr. Jonathan Kelly is assigned to St. Augustine parish for his pastoral internship year under the guidance of Fr. Francis Scott, Pastor, effective September 1, 2015.

Fr. Matthew Keshwah is appointed Associate Pastor of Our Lady of Fatima parish in Ottawa.

Fr. Daryold Winkler is appointed Pastor (from Administrator) of St. Elizabeth parish.

Region IV

Fr. Virgil Amirthakumar is re-appointed Pastor of St. Isidore parish in Kanata.

Fr. Pierre Champoux is re-appointed Pastor of Holy Redeemer parish in Kanata.

Fr. Benedict Iheagwara, CSSP is appointed Parochial Administrator of Holy Name of Mary parish in Almonte and St. Declan, Brightside.

Fr. Paul Shepherd is appointed Pastor of St. Patrick parish in Nepean.

Deacon Paul Coderre is re-assigned to Holy Redeemer parish in Kanata.

Deacon Thomas Cuddihy is assigned to St. Monica and St. Andrew parishes in Nepean.

Deacon James Kubina is re-assigned to Holy Redeemer parish in Kanata.

Deacon John Hugh O'Donnell is re-assigned to St. Isidore parish in Kanata.

Deacon Louis Seward is re-assigned to St. Philip parish, Richmond and St. Clare Mission, Dwyer Hill.

Fr. Gerard Plant is appointed Associate Pastor of St. Andrew and St. Monica parishes.

FOR THE FRENCH SECTOR

Region II

Fr. Bernard Kentia is appointed Associate Pastor of Saint-Thomas-d'Aquin parish, Sainte-Geneviève parish and Nativité-de-Notre-Seigneur-Jésus-Christ parish in Ottawa.

Deacon Michael Hartney is assigned to Notre-Dame Cathedral Basilica.

Additional appointments will follow at a later date.

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