



DIOCESE OF NELSON

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PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS

JULY 3, 2017

To the Priests, Religious and Faithful of the Diocese of Nelson

Dear sisters and brothers,

With the approval of the Board of Consultors, I am pleased to make the following Pastoral Appointments to be effective on 3 July 2017:

Father Neil Lustado is appointed Rector of the Cathedral of Mary Immaculate (Nelson, BC) as well as Pastor of Sacred Heart Mission (Kaslo, BC) and Sacred Heart Mission (Proctor, BC).

Father Francis Dela Cruz is appointed Pastor of Holy Trinity Parish (Trail, BC) and Sacred Heart Mission (Salmo, BC).

Father Nino Tuvo is appointed Pastor of St. Rita Parish (Fruitvale, BC) and Sacred Heart Parish (Rossland, BC).

Father Gabriel Chinnaperiannan is appointed Pastor of Sacred Heart Parish (Grand Forks, BC), Sacred Heart Parish (Greenwood, BC) and Our Lady of the Lakes Mission (Christina Lake, BC).

Father Aaron de Dios is appointed Pastor of Canadian Martyrs Parish (Invermere, BC) and St. Joseph Mission (Radium Hot Spring, BC).

Father Dominique Trinh Do is appointed Pastor of Christ the King Parish (Oliver, BC), Our Lady of Lourdes Mission (Okanagan Falls, BC) and St. Gregory Mission (Inkameep/Nk'mip Native Reserve).

Father Ruben Buela is appointed Pastor of Holy Child Parish (Summerland, BC) and assumes pastoral care of Sacred Heart Mission (Penticton Okanagan Native Reserve).

Father Lawrence Kanickaisamy is appointed Pastor of St. Edward Parish (Winfield, BC).

Father Cecil Nunez is appointed Pastor of St. Francis of Assisi Parish (Revelstoke, BC), Our Lady of Lourdes Parish (Nakusp, BC) and St. John the Baptist Mission (Fauquier, BC).

Father Gerald Sekanga is appointed Pastor of St. Pius X, (Kelowna, BC).

Father Pat Monette is appointed Pastor of Corpus Christi Parish (Kelowna, BC).

Father Cerlouie Jimenez is appointed Pastor of Immaculate Conception Parish (Kelowna, BC).

Father Bart van Roijen is appointed Pastor of St. Charles Garnier Parish (Kelowna, BC).

Other Appointments

Father Marcel Coté is assigned to the Catholic Pastoral Centre with special responsibility for the Diocesan Archives (this assignment will take effect November 2017).

Other News

Seminarist Salomon Bequel is assigned to Immaculate Conception Parish (Kelowna, BC) for his Pastoral-internship training experience.

Father Sebastian Puthenpura has been granted medical leave.

Father Conrado Beloso will retire from ministry due to health concerns.

Sincerely in Christ,

+ John Corriveau, OFM Cap.
Bishop of Nelson

May 18, 2017