

# OFFICIAL Appointments

The Most Rev. J. Peter Sartain, having carefully assessed the needs of the People of God in the Archdiocese of Seattle, and after careful consultation with the Christian Faithful and the Priest Personnel Board, makes the following pastoral appointments in accord with the 1983 Code of Canon Law, effective July 1, 2015, unless otherwise noted.

## PASTOR

The term of office for Pastor in the Archdiocese of Seattle is six years.



**Rev. Joseph F. Altenhofen**, appointed Pastor of Sacred Heart Parish in Bellingham, while continuing to serve as Chaplain at Western Washington University in Bellingham.



**Rev. Gerald Burns**, appointed Pastor of St. Andrew Parish in Sumner and Ss. Cosmas and Damian Mission in Orting.



**Rev. Timothy J. Clark**, appointed Pastor of Our Lady of the Lake Parish in Seattle.



**Rev. Timothy W. Ilgen**, appointed Pastor of Sacred Heart Parish in Lacey, effective September 1, 2015.



**Very Rev. Paul A. Kaech**, appointed Pastor of St. Joseph Parish in Pe Ell and Holy Family Mission in Frances, while continuing to serve as Pastor of St. Lawrence Parish in Raymond, St. Mary Parish in Seaview, and McGowan Chapel in Seaview, effective September 1, 2015.



**Rev. Joel Kiefer, F.S.S.P.**, appointed Pastor of North American Martyrs Parish in Seattle, effective July 3, 2015.



**Rev. Gary F. Lazzeroni**, appointed Pastor of St. Thomas Aquinas Parish in Camas and Our Lady Star of the Sea Mission in Stevenson while continuing to serve as Pastor of St. Joseph Parish in Vancouver.



**Rev. Jacob M. Maurer**, appointed Pastor of St. Joseph Parish in Chehalis, St. Mary Parish in Centralia, St. Francis Xavier Parish in Toledo, Sacred Heart Station in Winlock, Sacred Heart Parish in Morton, St. Yves Mission in Harmony and Packwood Station in Packwood, effective September 1, 2015.



**Rev. Joseph Doan Thai Nguyen, S.D.D.**, appointed Pastor of Holy Family Parish in Auburn.



**Rev. Matthew T. Oakland**, appointed Pastor of Holy Rosary Parish in Seattle.



**Very Rev. Bryan A. Ochs**, appointed Pastor of St. Rose de Viterbo Parish in Longview, St. Catherine Mission in Cathlamet, Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish in Kelso and St. Mary Parish in Castle Rock.



**Rev. Michael E. Radermacher**, appointed Pastor of St. Martin of Tours Parish in Fife while continuing to serve as Pastor of All Saints Parish in Puyallup, effective September 1, 2015.



**Rev. Milton H. Scarpetta**, appointed Pastor of St. Michael Parish in Snohomish.



**Rev. Jack D. Shrum**, appointed Pastor of St. Anthony Parish in Renton.



**Very Rev. Todd O. Strange**, appointed Pastor of St. Joseph Parish in Issaquah.



**Rev. Mel V. Strazicich**, appointed Pastor of St. Mary Parish in Anacortes and St. Paul Parish in Swinomish.



**Very Rev. Nicholas F. Wichert**, appointed Pastor of Holy Rosary Parish in Tacoma, while continuing to serve as Pastor of Visitation Parish in Tacoma, effective September 1, 2015.



## PRIEST ADMINISTRATOR

The term of Priest Administrator in the Archdiocese of Seattle is generally one to three years.

**Rev. Raymond V. Cleaveland**, appointed Priest Administrator of Holy Spirit Parish in Kent.



**Rev. Armando Guzman**, appointed Priest Administrator of St. Matthew Parish in Seattle.



**Very Rev. Nicholas F. Wichert**, appointed Priest Administrator of St. Joseph Parish in Tacoma, while continuing as Pastor of Visitation Parish in Tacoma, effective September 1, 2015.

## PASTORAL COORDINATOR

The term of Pastoral Coordinator in the Archdiocese of Seattle is generally one to three years.



**Ms. Veronica S. Kelley**, appointed Pastoral Coordinator of Holy Trinity Parish in Bremerton.



**Mr. James Kevin Lovejoy**, appointed Pastoral Coordinator of St. Patrick Parish in Tacoma.

## PAROCHIAL VICAR

The term of office for Parochial Vicar in the Archdiocese of Seattle is generally one to three years.



**Rev. Charles M. Banduku**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Michael Parish in Olympia.



**Rev. Francisco J. Cancino**, appointed Parochial Vicar of Immaculate Conception Parish in Mount Vernon, St. Charles Parish in Burlington, St. Catherine Mission in Concrete, Sacred Heart Parish in La Conner and Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish in Sedro-Woolley, effective September 1, 2015.



**Rev. Paul Binh The Cao, S.D.D.**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Thomas Parish in Tukwila and Our Lady of Lourdes Parish in Seattle.



**Rev. Jean Pierre B. Kasonga**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Theresa Parish in Federal Way.



**Rev. Matthew J. Kunkel, S.J.**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Leo the Great Parish in Tacoma, effective August 1, 2015.



**Rev. Wankie "Dean" Mbuzi**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Thomas Aquinas Parish in Camas, Our Lady Star of the Sea Mission in Stevenson and St. Joseph Parish in Vancouver.



**Rev. Gilberto Mora Tapia**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Joseph Parish in Chehalis, St. Mary Parish in Centralia, St. Francis Xavier Parish in Toledo, Sacred Heart Station in Winlock, Sacred Heart Parish in Morton, St. Yves Mission in Harmony and Packwood Station in Packwood, effective September 1, 2015.



**Rev. Calixto A. Pablo**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Edward Parish, St. George Parish, St. Paul Parish and St. Peter Parish in Seattle.



**Rev. Leonardo T. Pestano**, appointed Parochial Vicar of Queen of Angels Parish in Port Angeles and St. Joseph Parish in Sequim.



**Rev. Mario Rodriguez-Garcia, M.Sp.S.**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish in Bothell, effective August 6, 2015.



**Rev. J. Carlos Saenz**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Philomena Parish in Des Moines, St. Theresa Parish in Federal Way and St. Thomas Parish in Tukwila, effective September 1, 2015.



**Rev. Mathew Thelley, C.M.I.**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Mary Magdalen Parish in Everett.



**Rev. Brian D. Thompson**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Mary Parish in Aberdeen, Sts. Peter and Paul Parish in Aberdeen, Our Lady of the Olympics Mission in Amanda Park, St. Thomas the Apostle Mission in Clallam Bay, St. Anne Parish in Forks, Our Lady of Good Help Parish in Hoquiam, St. Jerome Parish in Ocean Shores and St. Paul Chapel in Westport.



**Rev. Vu P. Tran**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Edward Parish, St. George Parish, St. Paul Parish and St. Peter Parish in Seattle.



**Rev. Joseph Dang Hai Vu, S.D.D.**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Rose de Viterbo Parish in Longview, St. Catherine Mission in Cathlamet, Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish in Kelso and St. Mary Parish in Castle Rock.



**Rev. Reynaldo T. Yu**, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Stephen the Martyr Parish in Renton.

## PARISH PRIEST

The term of Parish Priest in the Archdiocese of Seattle is generally one to three years.



**Rev. Jack Buckalew**, appointed Parish Priest of Holy Trinity Parish in Bremerton.



**Rev. William M. Cleary, C.Ss.R.**, appointed Parish Priest of Christ the King Parish in Seattle.



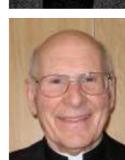
**Rev. Bryan E. Dolejsi**, appointed Parish Priest of St. Benedict Parish in Seattle.



**Rev. John D. Fuchs, S.J.**, appointed Parish Priest of St. Patrick Parish in Tacoma.



**Rev. Jerry D. Graham, S.J.**, appointed Parish Priest of St. Patrick Parish in Tacoma.



**Rev. Lyle E. Konen, C.Ss.R.**, appointed Parish Priest of Christ the King Parish in Seattle.



**Rev. Thomas J. Lamanna, S.J.**, appointed Parish Priest of St. Patrick Parish in Tacoma.



**Rev. J. Patrick McDermott**, appointed Parish Priest of Sacred Heart Parish in Tacoma, effective September 1, 2015.



**Rev. Dennis C. Sevilla**, appointed Parish Priest of Holy Trinity Parish in Bremerton.



**Rev. James A. Williams**, appointed Parish Priest of St. Martin of Tours Parish in Fife, effective September 1, 2015.

## SENIOR STATUS



**Rev. Jack Buckalew**



**Rev. Emilio R. Gonzalez**, effective September 1, 2015.



**Rev. Seamus M. Laverty**



**Rev. John C. Madigan**



**Rev. J. Patrick McDermott**, effective September 1, 2015.



**Rev. Vincent J. Pastro**



**Rev. Dennis C. Sevilla**



**Rev. Anthony Lan Tran**



**Rev. Gary C. Weisenberger**, effective September 1, 2015.

## INCARDINATION



**Rev. Milton H. Scarpetta**, effective June 24, 2015.

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**Most Rev. J. Peter Sartain**  
Archbishop of Seattle

*Mary E. Santi*

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Chancellor

JULY 1, 2015

Additional appointments will be forthcoming

**PASTOR:** A priest appointed by the Archbishop and delegated as the leader of a particular parish entrusted to him. The pastor's role, expressed in its threefold mission of teaching, governing and sanctifying (CIC, c. 519), empowers the laity for their mission as light and leaven in the world.

**PRIEST ADMINISTRATOR:** A priest appointed by the Archbishop as a temporary leader of a particular parish. He has the same authority as a pastor. (CIC, c. 540 §1-3). This office may be held, for example, by seasoned, newly arrived priests or by newly ordained priests who require more experience and formation before being assigned as pastors.

**PASTORAL COORDINATOR:** A deacon, religious or lay ecclesial minister appointed by the Archbishop under the supervision of a priest moderator and entrusted with the day-to-day leadership of a parish. (CIC, c. 517§2).

**PAROCHIAL VICAR:** A priest who renders service in pastoral ministry as a co-worker with the pastor, and sharing service in pastoral ministry through common counsel and effort and under his authority (CIC, c. 545 §1-2).

**PARISH PRIEST:** A priest appointed by the Archbishop to provide priestly ministry in a particular parish in collaboration with a pastoral coordinator and/or priest moderator.