

OFFICIAL **Appointments**

The Most Rev. Paul D. Etienne, 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, 2021, unless otherwise noted.

PASTOR

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



Rev. Maurice M. Mamba, appointed Pastor of Our Lady Queen of Heaven Parish in Tacoma.

CHAPLAIN

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



Rev. Clarence E. Jones, appointed Chaplain of Our Lady of the Rock Priory on Shaw Island and the Religious Sisters of Mercy of Alma on Shaw Island.

PRIEST ADMINISTRATOR

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



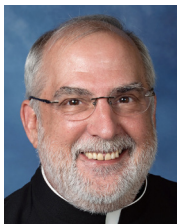
Rev. Albert Arulappan, HGN, appointed Priest Administrator of St. Francis Parish in Friday Harbor, Lopez Island Station on Lopez Island and Eastsound Station on Orcas Island.

Most Rev. Paul D. Etienne, DD, STL
Archbishop of Seattle

Mary E. Santi
Chancellor

PAROCHIAL VICAR

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



Rev. Clarence E. Jones, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Francis Parish in Friday Harbor, Lopez Island Station on Lopez Island and Eastsound Station on Orcas Island.

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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 with the same responsibilities 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.

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

CHAPLAIN: A priest appointed by the Archbishop to provide pastoral care to a faith community within the Archdiocese (CIC, c. 564).