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**MEMORANDUM**

To: All Clergy  
All Parishes  
All Institutes of Consecrated Life + R, J.

From: Most Reverend Richard Gagnon

Date: May 3, 2024

Re.: Personnel

Following consultations called for in the Code of Canon Law, I am pleased to announce the following Personnel changes to take effect this summer. I am grateful to all those who have accepted new assignments for the pastoral good of our local church.

**Reverend Samuel N. Argenziano** retires as Pastor of Holy Rosary Parish in Winnipeg. We are grateful to Fr Sam for his 45 years of Priestly service in the Archdiocese; the last 29 years as Pastor of Holy Rosary Parish. We wish him a happy retirement. Fr Sam will be available for weekend ministry. (August 1, 2024)

**Reverend David R. Kowalski** becomes Pastor of St Ann's Parish in Winnipeg. (July 1, 2024)

**Reverend Michel J. Nault** becomes Pastor of Paroisse du Sacré-Coeur in Winnipeg. In addition, Fr Michel will serve as the Chaplain to the Deaf Community and as a Sacramental Chaplain at Misericordia Health Centre in Winnipeg. (July 1, 2024)

**Reverend Jose F. Cabral** becomes Pastor of St Lazare Parish in St Lazare, St Helen's, Shoal Lake, and St Mary's, Birtle. (July 1, 2024)

**Reverend Roy George Vazhaplankudiyil** becomes Pastor of Good Shepherd Parish in Portage la Prairie and St Ambroise, St Ambroise. (August 1, 2024)

**Reverend Michael Raj Savarimuthu** becomes Pastor of Holy Rosary Parish in Winnipeg. (August 1, 2024)

**Reverend Sleeva Raju Palla** becomes Pastor of Our Lady of Seven Sorrows Parish in Camperville, St Thomas Aquinas, Duck Bay, and Sts Peter and Paul, Pine River. (July 1, 2024)

**Reverend Kelly Wilson** becomes Pastor of St Theresa's Parish in West St Paul and St Margaret's Parish in Little Britain. (July 1, 2024)

**Reverend Christopher R. Dubois** becomes Pastor of St Viator's Parish in Dauphin and Corpus Christi in Winnipegosis. (July 1, 2024)

**Reverend Nepolian Suvakin** is returning to his Religious Community in India after 10 years of service in the Archdiocese. We are grateful to Fr Nepolian for his pastoral service here. (July 1, 2024)

In addition to his current responsibilities in Toutes-Aides and missions, **Reverend Moïse Adossou** will continue as Parochial Administrator of Ste-Rose-de-Lima Parish in Ste-Rose-du-Lac, Paroisse Notre-Dame-des-Victoires in Laurier and Our Lady of the Nativity Parish in McCreary. **Reverend James Ahaneku** will continue serving as the Sacramental Minister in Ste. Rose, Laurier and McCreary.

A further announcement concerning **Immaculate Conception Parish in Fisher Branch, Holy Cross, Ashern and St Philip Neri, Arborg** will be forthcoming.