



# Archdiocese of Winnipeg

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## **MEMORANDUM**

To: All Clergy  
All Parishes  
All Institutes of Consecrated Life

From: Archbishop Murray Chatlain *+M.C.*

Date: May 28, 2026

Re: Ordinations to the Permanent Diaconate

On Friday, June 26, 2026, we will celebrate the Ordination of six candidates to the Permanent Diaconate. The Ordinations will take place at St. Mary's Cathedral beginning at 7:00 pm. A reception will follow in the Parish Hall.

The six candidates are:

Mark Coates – St. Vital Parish, Winnipeg  
Quirino Gille – St. Ann's Parish, Winnipeg  
Paul Human – Notre Dame Parish, Selkirk  
Ernesto Samiana – St. Anthony (Hungarian) of Padua Parish, Winnipeg  
Jose Vasquez – St. Patrick's Parish, Winnipeg  
Maui Zamora – St. Edward's Parish, Winnipeg

In addition, Rick DeBin from St. Helen's Parish in Shoal Lake will be ordained to the Permanent Diaconate on Friday, July 17, 2026 at St. Augustine's Parish in Brandon at 7:00 pm.

All are welcome to join these celebrations of our Archdiocesan Church.