

**Clergy Assignments**  
**Diocese of Saint John**  
**August 2, 2016**

The Most Reverend Robert Harris, Bishop of Saint John, announces the following clergy assignments effective September 1, 2016 unless otherwise noted. Those priests who have been appointed Pastors will be dispensed from the requirement of Canon 527 that they be placed into canonical possession of their parishes and will automatically become Pastor on September 1, 2016.

Rev. Martin Arputham, a priest of the Heralds of Good News, is appointed Administrator of St. Theresa's Parish, Fredericton, and Priest in Charge of St. Columba's Mission, Fredericton Junction.

Rev. Shawn Daley, SFM, Temporary Administrator of St. Peter's Parish with its mission of St. Bridget's, Chapel Grove, is appointed Administrator of Paroisse Sainte-Anne-des-Pays-Bas, Fredericton, and Chaplain to St. Thomas University, Fredericton.

Rev. John Jennings, Pastor of St. Theresa's Parish, Fredericton, enters retirement effective September 1, 2016.

Rev. Godwin Kalu, SMMM, Administrator of Sts. Simon and Jude Parish, Nackawic, and Administrator of St. Ann's Parish, Kingsclear First Nation, with its missions of Immaculate Conception, Cork, St. Mark's, Lake George, and St. Patrick's, Newmarket is appointed Pastor of St. Raphael's Parish, Blackville, with its mission of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Howard, and Pastor of St. Joachim's Parish, Boiestown, with its mission of Our Lady of the Annunciation, Doaktown.

Rev. Aaron Knox, Parochial Vicar of Our Lady of Fatima Parish, Fredericton, of St. Clement's Parish, McAdam, and of St. Patrick's Parish, Stanley, is appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Ann's Parish, Kingsclear First Nation, with its missions of Immaculate Conception, Cork, St. Mark's, Lake George, and St. Patrick's, Newmarket, Parochial Vicar of St. Clement's Parish, McAdam, and Parochial Vicar of Sts. Simon and Jude Parish, Nackawic.

Rev. Dr. Michael McGowan, Pastor of Our Lady of Fatima Parish, Fredericton, of St. Clement's Parish, McAdam, and of St. Patrick's Parish, Stanley, is also appointed Pastor of St. Ann's Parish, Kingsclear First Nation, with its missions of Immaculate Conception, Cork, St. Mark's, Lake George, and St. Patrick's, Newmarket, and Pastor of Sts. Simon and Jude Parish, Nackawic.

Rev. Peter Melanson, Administrator of Paroisse St-François-de-Sales, Saint John, and Administrator of Holy Trinity Parish, Saint John, is appointed Pastor of the same parishes.

Rev. Joseph Okoko, I.V.Dei, Administrator of St. Raphael's Parish, Blackville, with its mission of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Howard, and Administrator of St. Joachim's Parish, Boiestown,

with its mission of Our Lady of the Annunciation, Doaktown, will be leaving the Diocese to pursue graduate studies for his community.

Rev. Peter Osborne, Administrator of St. John the Baptist Parish, Saint John, and Administrator of Stella Maris Parish, Saint John, is appointed Pastor of the same parishes.

Rev. Anthony Dass Papu, a priest of the Heralds of Good News, is appointed Administrator of Sts. Peter and Paul Parish, Bartibog Bridge, with its mission of Holy Family, Barryville, and Administrator of St. Ann's Parish, Burnt Church First Nation.

Rev. Antonio Reyes, Administrator of St. Vincent de Paul Parish, Oromocto, with its mission of St. Bridget's, Gagetown, is appointed Pastor of the same parish.

Rev. Donald Savoie, Curé of Paroisse Sainte-Anne-des-Pays-Bas, Fredericton, and Sacramental Minister to St. Thomas University, Fredericton, is appointed Pastor of St. Peter's Parish, Saint John, with its mission of St. Bridget's, Chapel Grove.

Rev. Rolando Suplido, Administrator of Stella Maris Parish, Black's Harbour, with its mission of St. Michael the Archangel, Grand Manan, and Administrator of St. George's Parish, St. George, is appointed Pastor of the same parishes.

Rev. Brian Wetmore, Pastor of Sts. Peter and Paul Parish, Bartibog Bridge, with its mission of Holy Family, Barryville, and Pastor of St. Ann's Parish, Burnt Church First Nation, enters retirement effective September 1, 2016.