

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, 2020, unless otherwise noted.

PASTOR

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



Rev. Young Kwan Kim, appointed Pastor of St. Paul Chong Hasang Parish in Fife, effective August 20, 2020.



Rev. Robert L. Evenson, appointed interim Priest Administrator of St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish in Port Townsend, effective August 29, 2020.



Rev. Manuel Rosiles, M.Sp.S., appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish in Bothell.

PRIEST ADMINISTRATOR

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



Rev. Arulanandu David, appointed Priest Administrator of St. Joseph Parish in Elma and St. John Mission in Montesano.



Rev. Se Ho Lee, appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Paul Chong Hasang Parish in Fife, effective August 20, 2020.



Rev. Matthew T. Pyrc, S.J., appointed Parochial Vicar of St. Joseph Parish in Seattle.

INCARDINATION



Rev. Leonardo T. Pestaño, effective August 15, 2020.

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

Mary E. Santi
Chancellor

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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).

INCARDINATION: A priest or Deacon who is under a bishop or other ecclesiastical superior. (CIC, c. 265-272)