

PASTORAL CHANGES

Official No. 668

March 2023

ORDINATIONS

ALTOMARE, Corrado was ordained to the Holy Diaconate on January 28, 2023, by Archbishop Michael at St. Gregory Palamas Church, Glen Gardner, NJ. He is under the omophorion of Archbishop Michael and attached to the Diocese of New York and New Jersey. (Diocese of New York and New Jersey)

CIUI, Deacon Radu was ordained to the Holy Priesthood on March 11, 2023, by Bishop Andrei at Descent of the Holy Spirit Church, Warren, MI. He is under the omophorion of Archbishop Nathaniel and attached to the Romanian Episcopate. (Romanian Episcopate)

(GARCÍA BARRAGÁN), Monk Sava was ordained to the Holy Diaconate on March 25, 2023, by Archbishop Alejo at Catedral de la Ascensión del Señor, CDMX, Mexico. He is under the omophorion of Archbishop Alejo and attached to the Diocese of Mexico. (Diocese of Mexico)

SOLOMON, Mark was ordained to the Holy Diaconate on February 11, 2023, by Archbishop Michael on behalf of Metropolitan Tikhon at SS. Peter and Paul Church, Endicott, NY. He is under the omophorion of Metropolitan Tikhon and on the roster of Stavropegial clergy. (Stavropegial)

ASSIGNMENTS

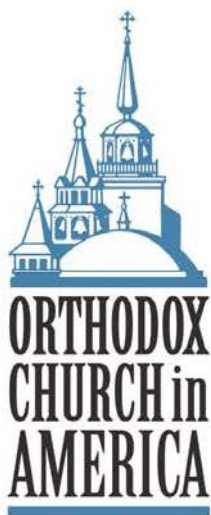
ALTOMARE, Deacon Corrado was attached to St. Gregory Palamas Church, Glen Gardner, NJ, effective January 28, 2023. (Diocese of New York and New Jersey)

BRETON, Archpriest Gary Joseph, in addition to his other duties, was assigned Administrator of SS. Peter and Paul Cathedral, Jersey City, NJ, effective February 1, 2023. (Diocese of New York and New Jersey)

CIUI, Priest Radu was attached to St. Nicholas Church, Troy, MI, effective March 11, 2023. (Romanian Episcopate)

CLEMENTS, Archpriest Andrew, in addition to his other duties, was assigned Priest-in-Charge of Holy Assumption Church, Canton, OH, effective March 1, 2023. (Diocese of the Midwest)

DUBININ, Archpriest Peter was released from his assignment at Protection of the Holy Virgin Mary Mission, Clarksville, TN, and granted retirement, effective January 1, 2023. He was attached in retirement to St. Cyprian of Carthage Church, Midlothian, VA. (Diocese of the South)



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ASSIGNMENTS (cont)

(GARCÍA BARRAGÁN), Hierodeacon Sava was attached to Monasterio Ortodoxo de la Dormición de la Santísima Virgen María, Hidalgo, Mexico, effective March 25, 2023. (Diocese of Mexico)

KENNERK, Priest John was released from his assignment at Holy Assumption Church, Canton, OH, and assigned Rector of Christ the Savior Church, Chicago, IL, effective March 1, 2023. (Diocese of the Midwest)

KUCHTA, Archpriest Alexander was released from his assignment at Christ the Savior Church, Chicago, IL, effective March 1, 2023. All his other duties remain the same. (Diocese of the Midwest)

LONGO, Priest Solomon was released from his attachment at St. Tikhon of Zadonsk Monastery Church, South Canaan, PA, and from the omophorion of Metropolitan Tikhon and the roster of Stavropegial clergy, and transferred to the omophorion of Archbishop Michael and the Diocese of New York and New Jersey, effective May 27, 2023. He was assigned Acting Rector of SS. Peter and Paul Cathedral, Jersey City, NJ, effective June 1, 2023. (Diocese of New York and New Jersey)

(LYSAK), Igumen Vladimir was assigned Parish Priest of St. George Church, Winnipeg, MB, effective March 10, 2023. (Romanian Episcopate)

(MIGUNOV), Igumen Arkady was released from his assignment at Annunciation Mission, Jacksonville, FL, and attached to St. Seraphim of Sarov Cathedral, Dallas, TX, effective February 1, 2023. (Diocese of the South)

NIGHTINGALE, Priest John was assigned Administrator of St. Nicholas Church, Olyphant, PA, effective January 2023. (Diocese of Eastern Pennsylvania)

PARNELL, Priest James, while suspended, was released from the Diocese of New England. While remaining under the omophorion of Metropolitan Tikhon, he was transferred to the roster of Stavropegial clergy and attached to St. Sergius of Radonezh Chapel, Oyster Bay Cove, NY. (Stavropegial)

PISARCHUK, Archpriest Theodore, in addition to his other duties, was assigned Priest-in-Charge of Annunciation Mission, Jacksonville, FL, effective February 1, 2023. (Diocese of the South)

(POWER), Archimandrite Gerasim, who was on a leave of absence, returned to active service, effective March 12, 2023. He was released from his assignment at Holy Trinity Church, Moose Jaw, SK, and granted retirement, effective March 13, 2023. He was attached in retirement to Holy Trinity Church, Moose Jaw, SK. All his other duties remain the same. (Archdiocese of Canada)

RUKAVYTSIA, Archpriest Oleksii was released from his assignment at Christ the Saviour Cathedral, Miami Lakes, FL, and assigned Assistant Priest of Annunciation Mission, Jacksonville, FL, effective February 1, 2023. (Diocese of the South)

ASSIGNMENTS (cont)

SHEPHERD, Priest Michael was assigned Rector of St. Michael Church, Old Forge, PA, effective March 27, 2023. (Diocese of Eastern Pennsylvania)

SOLOMON, Deacon Mark was attached to St. Tikhon of Zadonsk Monastery Church, South Canaan, PA, effective February 11, 2023.

UNGRIN, Priest Clayton Michael was released from his assignment at St. George Church, Winnipeg, MB, and granted retirement, effective February 28, 2023. He was attached in retirement to St. George Church, Winnipeg, MB. (Romanian Episcopate)

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

(MIGUNOV), Igumen Arkady was granted a six-month leave of absence, effective February 1, 2023. (Diocese of the South)

RELEASED

HUBBARD, Priest Nicholas was released from the omophorion of Archbishop Alexander and the Diocese of the South. He was transferred to the omophorion of Metropolitan Tikhon, and subsequently granted a canonical release to the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America, effective March 28, 2023.

RETIRED

DUBININ, Archpriest Peter was granted retirement, effective January 1, 2023. (Diocese of the South)

(POWER), Archimandrite Gerasim was granted retirement, effective March 13, 2023. (Archdiocese of Canada)

UNGRIN, Priest Clayton Michael was granted retirement, effective February 28, 2023. (Romanian Episcopate)

PARISHES

Diocese of the Midwest

New Mission District, effective February 24, 2023.

The Dakotas Mission District was established as an administrative territory within the Minneapolis Deanery of the Diocese of the Midwest, effective February 24, 2023. It is overseen by Archpriest Paul Wesche, Dean of the Minneapolis Deanery, on behalf of Archbishop Daniel. Priest William Rettig acts as local coordinator.

New Chapel, effective February 24, 2023.

Chapel of the Holy Transfiguration of Our Lord, Pierre, SD
1610 Hilltop Dr
Pierre, SD 57501-2724
Priest-in-Charge: Archpriest Paul Wesche

New Chapel, effective February 24, 2023.

Chapel of St. Maria of Paris, Kansas City, MO
3101 Troost Ave
Kansas City, MO 64109-1845
Priest-in-Charge: Priest Justin Mathews

Diocese of New York and New Jersey

Change in status, effective March 22, 2023.

Mother of God, Joy of All Who Sorrow Mission, Princeton, NJ, was elevated to Church status, effective March 22, 2023. It is now known as Mother of God, Joy of All Who Sorrow Church, Princeton, NJ.

Diocese of the South

New Mission Station, effective March 30, 2023.

Orthodox Community in Paris, TX
1760 County Road 14760
Paris, TX 75462-3719
Regional Dean: Priest Photius Avant

CORRECTIONS

Pastoral Changes no. 666 (January 2023) wrongly stated that Deacon Josef Candelario was attached to St. Seraphim of Sarov Cathedral, Santa Rosa, CA, effective November 21, 2023. He was attached there effective November 21, **2022**, not 2023.

Pastoral Change no. 665 (December 2022) did not state the name of the hierarch who ordained Protodeacon Gregory Conley to the Holy Priesthood on December 18, 2022, at St. Sava Church, Allen, TX. He was ordained by **Bishop Gerasim**.

Pastoral Changes no. 658 (May 2022) should have included the following:

ROTH, Priest Nicholas, who was on a leave of absence, was returned to active status, effective May 17, 2022. (Diocese of the South)

Pastoral Changes no. 571 (February 2015) should have included the following:

MIRANDA, Carlos was ordained to the Holy Diaconate on February 15, 2015, by Archbishop Nikon at Christ the Saviour Cathedral, Miami Lakes, FL. He is under the omophorion of Archbishop Nikon and attached to the Diocese of the South. (Diocese of the South)

MIRANDA, Deacon Carlos was attached to Christ the Saviour Cathedral, Miami Lakes, FL, effective February 15, 2015. (Diocese of the South)

Approved for distribution:

// signed July 10, 2023 //

Archpriest Alexander Rentel
Chancellor of the OCA