

To: The Catholic Herald Magazine
From: Office of the Bishop
Re: **Official Column** for Catholic Herald (May/June Issue)
Date: March 8, 2021

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Bishop Jaime Soto has made the following canonical appointments:

DEACONS

Effective January 1, 2021

Dcn. Daniel **Blanton**, while remaining Deacon of St. Peter Parish, Dixon, has been appointed Legislative Visit Coordinator and member of the Deacon Legislative Advocacy Team.

Dcn. Rommel **Declines**, while remaining Deacon of Good Shepherd Parish, Elk Grove, has been appointed Legislative Visit Coordinator and member of the Deacon Legislative Advocacy Team.

Dcn. Raymond **Elias**, while remaining Deacon of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Fairfield, has been appointed Legislative Visit Coordinator and member of the Deacon Legislative Advocacy Team.

Dcn. Atonio **Latu**, while remaining Deacon of St. Joseph Parish, Sacramento, has been appointed Legislative Visit Coordinator and member of the Deacon Legislative Advocacy Team.

Dcn. Mike **Mangas**, while remaining Deacon of St. Joseph Parish, Redding, has been appointed Legislative Visit Coordinator and member of the Deacon Legislative Advocacy Team.

Dcn. Paul **Sajben**, while remaining Deacon of St. John the Baptist Parish, Chico, has been appointed Legislative Visit Coordinator and member of the Deacon Legislative Advocacy Team.

Dcn. Richard **Soria**, while remaining Deacon of St. Patrick Parish, Grass Valley, has been appointed Legislative Visit Coordinator and member of the Deacon Legislative Advocacy Team.

Dcn. Mike **Turner**, while remaining Deacon of St. Rose of Lima Parish, Roseville, has been appointed Legislative Visit Coordinator and member of the Deacon Legislative Advocacy Team.

Dcn. Jack **Wilson**, while remaining Deacon of St. John the Evangelist Parish, Carmichael, has been appointed Legislative Visit Coordinator and member of the Deacon Legislative Advocacy Team.

Effective February 26, 2021

Dcn. Ray **Helgeson**, previously assigned to Sacred Heart Parish, Gridley, has been granted permission to retire.

PRIESTS

Effective January 21, 2021

Rev. Charles **Kelly**, Pastor of Sacred Heart Parish, Red Bluff, has been granted a temporary Leave of Absence.

Rev. Adam K. **Tokashiki**, PES, assigned Parochial Vicar of St. Lawrence Parish, North Highlands, has been appointed to the Presbyteral Council as a Bishop's Appointee.

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Rev. Kavungal Davy, CMI, assigned Pastor of St. Mary Parish, Sacramento, has been appointed to the Presbyteral Council as a Bishop's Appointee.

Rev. Fredhelito E. **Gucor**, while remaining Pastor of St. Joseph Parish, Redding, has been appointed Priest-in-Charge *Pro-tem* of Sacred Heart Parish, Red Bluff.

Effective February 1, 2021

Rev. John **Healy**, currently retired, has been appointed Priest-In-Residence *Pro-Tem* of Sacred Heart Parish, Red Bluff.

Effective February 15, 2021

Rev. Sean R. **O'Leary**, currently retired, has been appointed Priest-in-Charge *Pro-Tem* of Sacred Heart Parish, Gridley.

Rev. Roland B. **Ramirez**, Pastor of Sacred Heart Parish, Gridley, has been granted a Leave of Absence.

Bishop Jaime Soto, in consultation with the Priests' Personnel Board has made the following canonical appointments:

Effective January 22, 2021

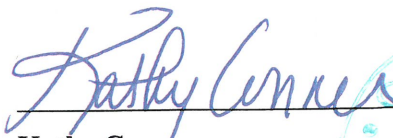
Rev. Salvador B. **Bringas**, assigned Pastor of St. John Parish, Quincy, formerly a priest of the Diocese of Bangued, has been incardinated into the Diocese of Sacramento.

Effective January 25, 2021

Rev. Jose A. **Campos**, a priest of the Diocese of Tula, Mexico, has been appointed Parochial Vicar of St. John the Baptist Parish, Chico.

In Memoriam

Rev. William K. **Walsh**, died on March 2, 2021. He was born on September 30, 1925 and ordained to the priesthood on June 5, 1949. Father Walsh served the Diocese of Sacramento for almost 72 years.


Kathy Conner
Chancellor

