

## **DIOCESE OF SACRAMENTO**

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To: Pastors, Brothers, Deacons, Knights of Columbus, Parish Vocation Committees, Principals, Religious

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From: Fr. Guillermo (Mémo) Hernández K. Fr. Memo

**Director of Vocations** 

**Date:** May 8, 2023

Re: Priestly Ordination - June 4, 2023

## June 2023 Priestly Ordination

It is with gladness that we announce the upcoming Priestly Ordination of **Deacon Eric Patrick** on **June 3, 2023** at **10am** at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament in Sacramento.

Please invite your community and parish ministries to pray for Deacon Eric, and if they can, to attend the celebration.

*Priests:* Please join Bishop Jaime Soto to concelebrate at the ordination Mass in which we will welcome our new brother priest into the Diocese of Sacramento. You can RSVP at <a href="massittengers">msmith@scd.org</a> by May 31st.

**Permanent Deacons:** Please join Bishop Jaime Soto and the Office of Priestly & Religious Vocations at the ordination Mass. We will be reserving some seating for permanent deacons. If you and your wife will be attending the ordination Mass, please RSVP at <a href="mass.msmith@scd.org">msmith@scd.org</a> by May 31st.

This is a good opportunity for you to organize a Holy Hour or to pray the rosary for vocations at your parish or school site.