

To: The Catholic Herald Magazine  
From: Office of the Bishop  
Re: Official Column for Catholic Herald (July/Aug Issue)  
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**“Official”**

**Bishop Jaime Soto has made the following canonical appointments:**

PRIESTS

**Effective April 6, 2026**

Rev. German **Ramos**, while remaining Pastor of St. Thomas the Apostle Parish, Oroville, has been appointed Spiritual Director/Chaplain for Mesa del Secretariado del Movimiento del Cursillo de Cristiandad en Español.

DEACONS

**Effective April 13, 2026**

Deacon Daniel **Rangel**, previously at St. John Vianney Parish, Rancho Cordova, has been appointed to assist with pastoral care at the Davis migrant camp.

**Effective July 1, 2026**

Deacon Ruben **Rojo**, Permanent Deacon of St. Isidore Parish, Yuba City, has been granted permission to retire.



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**Uli Schmitt**  
**Chancellor**

