



Office of the Bishop

DIOCESE OF NELSON PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS SUMMER 2020

To the Priests, Religious and Faithful of the Diocese of Nelson

With the recommendation of the Diocesan Clergy Personnel Committee, I am pleased to make the following Pastoral Appointments to be **effective on July 20, 2020**:

Fr. Luan Vu is appointed Pastor of St. Francis of Assisi Parish in Revelstoke and Our Lady of Lourdes Parish in Nakusp.

Fr. Cecil Nunez is returning to his home Diocese of Legazpi, Philippines, as he has completed his contract in the Diocese of Nelson.

Effective August 1, 2020:

Fr. Salomon Beguel is appointed Associate Pastor of St. Pius X Parish in Kelowna and St. Edward Parish in Lake Country.

Fr. Paul John Irumba is appointed Pastor of Sacred Heart Parish in Grand Forks, Sacred Heart Parish in Greenwood and Our Lady of the Lake Mission Parish in Christina Lake.

Fr. James Ratcliffe will continue his retirement in the Kelowna area.

Other Appointments:

Fr. John Kellogg will no longer be in residence at Canadian Martyrs Parish in Invermere, effective July 6, 2020.

Fr. Salomon Beguel is appointed Chaplain of Immaculata Regional High School, effective August 1, 2020.

May God bless the priests of the Diocese of Nelson, especially these who are beginning ministry in a new parish!

Sincerely Yours in Christ,

✠ Gregory J. Bittman
Bishop of Nelson