



Pastoral Bulletin

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Office of the Archbishop

OFFICIAL APPOINTMENTS

Archbishop Thomas Wenski has made the following appointments:

- **Reverend Rolando García** - - Chaplain to the Knights of Columbus *Bishop Enrique San Pedro, S.J., Council #15224*, effective March 1, 2011.
- **Reverend John R. Valega** - - Parochial Vicar at Saint Mary Star of the Sea Parish, Key West, effective March 1, 2011.
- **Reverend Ferry Brutus** - - Parochial Vicar at Saint Kevin Parish, Miami, effective April 1, 2011.
- **Deacon Jorge Prieto** - - Permanent Deacon to Prince of Peace Parish, Miami, effective March 15, 2011.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- **Friday, March 25, 2011 - at 3:00 pm**
Priests are invited to the Fides et Ratio Annual Conference: *"Veils of Divinity, Exploring the Anthropology of the Great Catholic Tradition of Social Concern"*.
Presenter: Rev. Ferdinand Santos, Ph.D.
Place: St. John Vianney College Seminary
- **Saturday, March 26, 2011- 8:00 am to 3:30 pm**
First Catholic Men's Conference in the Archdiocese of Miami.
Place: St. Mark Catholic Church
5601 South Flamingo Rd.
Southwest Ranches, FL 33330
To register, please call 954-773-7170.
- **Wednesday, March 30, 2011 - 10:00 am - 1:00 pm**
Priests Lenten Day of Recollection.
Place: St. Thomas University Chapel.
Please RSVP at 305-762-1233,
lunch will be provided.

- **Monday, April 4, 2011 at 7:00 pm**
The New Roman Missal: Challenge and Opportunity - *"What is at Stake: Pastoral Implications"*
Presenter: Sr. Catherine Vincie, RSHM
Place: Cor Jesu Chapel, Barry University
- **Friday, April 15, 2011, and**
- **Saturday, April 16, 2011**
Reconciliation Weekend.
See attached flyer for designated parishes.
- **Sunday, May 1, 2011 - at 10:00 am**
Divine Mercy Sunday Mass.
Place: Cathedral of Saint Mary

Priests and faithful are invited to celebrate, in union with Rome, the Beatification of Pope John Paul II. Archbishop Wenski will be the main celebrant.

- **June 6-10, 2011**
"Acculturation Seminar for International Priests"
Place: St. John's University, Vincentian Center
Queens Campus, New York
See attached flyer for complete information.
- **June 13-16, 2011**
"Proclaiming the Kingdom: the Gospel of Matthew"
Place: Saint Vincent Seminary
Latrobe, Pennsylvania

For additional information, please contact Dr. Michel Therrier at 724-805-2324.

● **September 27, 28 and 29, 2011**

Annual Priests Convocation.

Place: Doral Golf and Country Club.

★ **Please note the date of the convocation has changed.** More information will soon follow.

PRIEST RETREATS:

- **October 10-14, 2011**
- **October 17-21, 2011 (Spanish)**
- **October 24-28, 2011**
- **November 7-11, 2011**

All retreats begin on Monday evening through Friday morning. To register, go to:

<http://www.ourladyofflorida.org/register.htm> or contact Maggie at Our Lady of Florida Retreat Center at 561-626-1300. For further information, please contact Fr. Richard Vigoa at priestsecretary@theadom.org or at 305-762-1233.

HOLY WATER DURING LENT

For clarification on a number of questions on the above topic, please refer to the attached Memo from Fr. Richard Vigoa.

Office of the Chancellor for Canonical Affairs

YOUTH CENTER / MADONNA RETREAT HOUSE

The Youth Center and the Madonna Retreat House remain open for youth, adult retreats and other programs serving the Archdiocese. We encourage you to utilize these two locations for your events. For more information, please contact their administrators:

- ❑ For the *Miami Youth Center*, please contact Sister Claudia Ortega, r.m.i., at 305-856-3404 or at sisterclaudia@bellsouth.net.
- ❑ For the *Madonna Retreat House*, please contact Donaida Lashbrook at 305-762-1101, 954-525-5157, extension 1101 or by email at dlashbrook@theadom.org.

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For your convenience, please find attached an order form and information on new resources available for the Lenten Season.

Get-Well Wishes and Prayers for .

- **Rev. Msgr. Xavier Morrás**, who is recovering from surgery
- **Rev. José Biaín**, who is also recovering from surgery
- **Mrs. Anne O'Brien**, mother of Rev. Anthony O'Brien, who recently underwent surgery.
- **Mr. Tim Keogh**, brother of Deacon Walter Keogh, who is seriously ill.

Requiescant in Pace

- † **Reverend Seamus Ward, S.J.**, who passed away on February 22, 2011, in Key West.
- † **Mr. John F. Xian Bai**, father of Rev. Joseph Bai, who passed away on March 18, 2011, in China.

Office of Communications

NEW FEATURE

You can now "Submit a Prayer Request" through the Archdiocesan website at <http://www.miamiarch.org/prayers>. The Sisters of the Servants of the Pierced Hearts of Jesus and Mary and the Carmelite Fathers and Brothers will pray daily for the intentions listed on the site. Users are limited to submitting one request every three days and each request is limited to 150 characters. Prayer requests will remain active for 30 days.

WEBSITE ACCURACY

Pastors:

For updates and/or changes to your parish information on the Archdiocesan website, please contact Teresa Martinez at tmartinez@theadom.org or call 305-762-1046.

VATICAN SPLENDORS

Channel 10 (WPLG) will air a one hour special documentary on the *Vatican Splendors Exhibit*, currently showing at the Museum of Art in Fort Lauderdale, on March 27, 2011, at 5:00 pm. This documentary includes an exclusive video of the Sistine Chapel and the Vatican Museums.

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