

## **Interim Changes of Assignments Circular 2011-26**

**To: All Parish Priests**

In the wake of the resignation of our former Vicar General, Rev. Fr. Gerardo R. Tapiador, I have made the following decisions:

1. I leave the position of Vicar General for Administration vacant until a more propitious time. Instead, I just appoint a Moderator Curiae to help me man the Chancery.
2. Rev. Fr. Albert N. Delvo, is the Moderator Curiae who starting January 2012 will relinquish holding a Parish to reside at the Quarters for our Superintendent/Director at Colegio de San Bartolome de Novaliches.
3. I will appoint an Administrator for the Cathedral-Shrine. After a prayerful discernment, it became clear to me a bishop should not administer his own Cathedral but should make his presence more palpable in various ways than just one Mass a week as I had done in the past.
4. There is a new twist happening in our Diocese. Bishop Dong Lavarias of Iba, Zambales, and Chair of the Episcopal Commission of the Clergy, in charge of the Priests' Galilee Center in Tagaytay, has asked me if I would be willing to allow a Parish like St. Peter to be the home of continuing care for AIR priests together with two Staff members of The Galilee Center. A second such home for four of the recent graduates of the AIR in Tagaytay last October has been requested of me and identified to be the Cathedral. The Presbyteral Council in its meeting last 10 November, did not pose objections to these two places, St. Peter and the Cathedral, as the sites for continuing care for the next two years until the next General Reshuffle. This is an experiment on Team Ministry prior to 2013.
5. The Administrator of the Cathedral-Shrine is Rev. Fr. Elpidio R. de Peralta, Jr. Fr. Carlos L. Aldema remains as Vice Rector to be helped by the three AIR Priests who together with the Bishop will form a Community of Cathedral Priests that is praying, working together, and evangelizing.

6. The Administrator of Christ, King of the Universe Parish is Fr. Noel B. Azupardo in place of Fr. Elpidio R. De Peralta, Jr.
  
7. In January 2012, Rev. Fr. Bienvenido Luke D. Dobles will be Administrator of San Isidro Labrador Parish while acting concurrently as the Pastor/Parish Priest of San Lorenzo Ruiz Parish.

Given in the Chancery in Fairview, Quezon City, 14 November 2011.

**Most Rev. Antonio R. Tobias, DD**  
Bishop

Attested by:

**Rev. Fr. Jerome U. Rosalinda**  
Chancellor