



# Roman Catholic Diocese of Victoria

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## MEMO

**Date:** December 7, 2021  
**To:** Clergy, Parishes, Religious, Principals, Staff  
**From:** Bishop Gary Gordon  
Cynthia Bouchard, Chancellor  
**Re: Pastoral Ministry Appointments**

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Bishop Gary Gordon has, in consultation with the Priest Personnel Committee, made the following pastoral ministry changes and appointments:

**Effective December 7, 2021:**

**Fr. William Hann**, appointed Vicar General *Pro-Tem* while Fr. John Laszczyk is on personal leave.

**Fr. Dino Villadiego**, appointed Rector *Pro-Tem* of St. Andrew's Cathedral Parish.

**Fr. Lester Mendonsa**, new to the Diocese of Victoria, on loan from the Apostolic Vicariate of Southern Arabia, appointed Assistant Priest at St. Andrew's Cathedral, and will provide pastoral and sacramental ministry to the Catholic community at the University of Victoria and Camosun College.

During these challenging times, we are invited to welcome and embrace the opportunities to grow in faith as we continue to move towards a model of collaborative and shared ministry in the Diocese.

Your support and prayers for the ongoing pastoral needs of our Diocese as we journey through this season of Advent are greatly appreciated.