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**FROM:** Msgr. James Halley, Vicar for Clergy  
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**DATE:** December 20, 2019

**SUBJECT:** Clergy With No Permission to Minister  
In the Archdiocese of Los Angeles

*Please post this list in your parish office and distribute to your church groups.*

The following individuals belong to a church/ecclesial community not in communion with the Roman Catholic Church or are of an unknown affiliation. They have no permission to engage in ministry as Roman Catholic clergy in any archdiocesan institution. An asterisk (\*) next to the name indicates that a new name or alias was added to the list since it was last published.

Rev. Octavio Aguilar Oliveros	Unknown, San Diego area
Rev. Eduardo Aguirre Oestmann	Iglesia Catolica Ecumenica, Guatemala
Rev. Bernardo Alcala	Unknown, Inglewood area
Rev. Miguel Alvarez	Old Catholic Church
Bishop Marc Angelo	Worldwide Ecumenical Catholic Church
Br. Thomas Aquinas	Impersonating a Brother, Oxnard area
Rev. Eduardo/Edward Arismendi	Unknown, Duarte and Santa Clarita areas
<b>Rev. Humberto Arredondo Enriquez *</b>	<b>National Catholic Apostolic Church</b>
<b>Rev. Luis Amado Baez *</b>	<b>San Miguel Arcángel Chapel, Los Angeles</b>
<b>Rev. Manuel Balderas</b>	Unknown, East Los Angeles area
Rev. Juan Carlos Bernal	El Buen Pastor Catholic Community
Rev. Hernando Barba	Holy Byzantine Orthodox Catholic Church
Rev. Edik Baroni	Holy Apostolic Church of the USA
Rev. Christopher Carpenter	Formerly of the Diocese of Phoenix, Arizona
Rev. Francisco Corea	Misioneros Guadalupanos
Bishop Juan Correa	House of Mercy, Hispanic Catholic Church
Rev. Edwin/Erwin / Eduardo/Edward Castro	See "Rev. Mena, Erwin" below
Rev. Jose Ignacio Cortez	Unknown, Bell Gardens area
Bishop Jose Diaz Rodriguez	Unknown, Bell and Downey area
Rev. Manny Edgar-Beltran	New Catholic Church
Rev. Tony Feliz	See "Rev. Perez, Tony" below
Rev. Gabriel Figueroa Perez	Misioneros Guadalupanos, Rosarito

Rev. Raymundo Figueroa Perez  
Rev. Mario Flores  
**Rev. Ramon Flores \***  
Msgr. Richard Galindo  
Bishop Anthony Garduno  
Rev. Fernando Jose Gutierrez  
Rev. Daniel Hernandez  
Msgr. Frank Ignacio  
Rev. Angel Jimenez  
Rev. Manuel Jimenez  
Rev. Mathew Jordan  
Rev. Edward Lima  
Rev. Gregorio Lopez  
Rev. Omer Luzolo, O.P.  
Rev. Armando Leyva  
Rev. Andrew Machowski  
Rev. Edwin Magana  
Rev. Erwin Arnoldo Mena Castro  
a.k.a. Rev. Eduardo / Edward / Edwin Mena  
**Rev. Jose Andres Morales \***  
Rev. James Noble  
Bishop Martin Ochoa  
Rev. Fernando Olivera Magaña  
Rev. Ramon Pedrosa  
Rev. Jose Pelayo  
Rev. Adolfo Perez  
Rev. Tony Perez  
Rev. Dominic Radecki, C.M.R.I.  
Rev. Carlos Ramirez  
Rev. Francisco Frank Ramirez  
Bishop Jose Luis Ramirez  
Rev. Dermot Rodgers  
Carlos R. Rodriguez  
Rev. Roberto Rodriguez Engelhard  
**Bishop Rodrigo Roman Pereira \***  
Rev. Fermin Rosas  
Rev. Matt Ryder  
Rev. Rodrigo Samorano  
Bishop Jose Sanchez  
a.k.a. Rev. Joseph Sanchez  
Rev. Guadalupe Sebastian  
Rev. Richard S. Sinacola  
Rev. Gregorio Angel Sono Cabrera  
Mr. Thomas Tellez  
Rev. Jose Torres Ortiz  
Rev. Jenaro Trejo

Misioneros Guadalupanos, Rosarito  
Unknown, San Francisco area  
**Free Catholic Church, Long Beach area**  
Old Catholic Church  
Our Lady of Tepeyac Free Catholic Church  
Unknown, Claims to be from Nicaragua  
Congregación Divino Salvador del Mundo  
Apostolic Catholic Church, Philippines  
Impersonating an Augustinian Recollect  
Formerly of the Archdiocese of Guadalajara  
American Catholic Church  
See "Rev. Mena, Erwin" below  
Ecumenical Catholic Church, Inglewood area  
Claims to be from the Congo  
Holy Trinity Ecumenical, Long Beach  
Polish National Catholic Church  
Santisimo Sacramento, Long Beach  
Claims to be Religious/from San Bernardino  
See "Rev. Castro, Edwin" above  
**Ecumenical Catholic Community**  
Unknown  
Unknown, Perris, California  
Holy Trinity Ecumenical, Long Beach  
Ecumenical Catholic Communion  
Unknown, East Los Angeles area  
Old Catholic Church  
See "Rev. Perez Carrillo, Antonio" below  
Congregation of Mary Immaculate Queen  
See "Rodriguez, Carlos" below  
Unknown, Huntington Park/Baldwin Park  
Old Catholic Orthodox Church, Bakersfield  
St. Peter Inclusive Mission, San Diego  
Laicized, formerly of the Vincentian Fathers  
Old Catholic Orthodox Church, Bakersfield  
**Divino Nazareno Mission , Long Beach**  
American Old Catholic Church  
Ecumenical Catholic Church, Claremont  
Unknown, San Dimas area  
Mexican National Catholic Church  
See "Rev. Sanchez, Jose Guadalupe" below  
See "Rev. Castro, Edwin" above  
Universal Catholic Church, Altadena  
Dismissed from the Salesians, Peru  
Claims to be a Deacon, San Fernando area  
Misioneros Guadalupanos, Rosarito  
St. Jude Thaddeus Old Catholic Church

Bishop Juan Valadaz  
Rev. David Roberto Valdivia  
Rev. Angel Velandia  
Rev. Rudolfo Villaverde  
Rev. Pedro Zaragoza

Unknown  
Old Catholic Church  
Misioneros de Cristo Rey, Compton  
Old Catholic Church, San Bernardino  
Unknown, Compton and Gardena area

**The following clergy have no authorization to exercise ministry in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Please call the Vicar for Clergy Office should they present themselves to minister here. An asterisk (\*) next to the name indicates the name was added to the list since the previous publication.**

Rev. Raul Alejos, O.F.M.	Dismissed from the Franciscan Order
Rev. Marvin Archuleta	Sons of the Holy Family Community
Rev. Francis Obiese Azikiwe	Diocese of Asaba, Nigeria
Rev. Chathrajupally “Swamy” Balashowry	Archdiocese of Hyderabad, India
Rev. Fernando Barone, O.F.M. Cap.	Capuchin Franciscans, Retired No Faculties
Deacon Gary E. Becker	Archdiocese of Louisville, Kentucky
Rev. Jerome Bellamy	Archdiocese of Los Angeles, Inactive Leave
Rev. Camillo A. Bonsuuri	Diocese of Tamale, Ghana
Rev. Fabio Cabrera Zuleta	Diocese of León, Nicaragua
Rev. Diwane Wannu Cacao	Diocese of San Pablo, Philippines
Rev. Xavier Santiago Cachago Diaz	Archdiocese of Quito, Ecuador
Rev. Rechie R. Catubo	Military Ordinariate, Philippines
Rev. Clement Cobb	Diocese of Damango, Ghana
Rev. Francisco Coronel	Diocese of Culiacan, Sinaloa, Mexico
Rev. Carlos Mauricio Cuesta Pardo	Diocese of León, Nicaragua
Rev. Francisco Frank Dalimot	Vicariate Apostolic of Calapan, Philippines
Rev. Helidoros Del Cerro, C.M.	Vincentian Fathers, Spain Province
Rev. José Pacifico Diaz	Archdiocese of Los Angeles, Inactive Leave
Rev. Juan U. Diaz	Diocese of Nezahualcoyotl, Mexico
Rev. William Escalante	Diocese of Santa Ana, El Salvador
Rev. Antolin Delgado	Mexico
Rev. Giovanni Esti, M.C.C.J.	Comboni Missionaries
Rev. Alfredo “Freddy” Fajardo	Diocese of Malolos, Philippines
Rev. Edward Fitz-Henry	Diocese of Monterey, California
Rev. Mario Flores Meza, O.F.M.	Franciscan Friars, Zapopan, Mexico
Rev. Luis Alonso Funes	Diocese of Sonsonate, El Salvador
Rev. Alexandre Galias	Diocese of Sorsogon, Philippines
Rev. Eduardo Garcia	Diocese of San Pablo, Philippines
Rev. Raul Jimenez Gomez	Diocese of Autlan, Mexico
<b>Rev. Victor Jimenez Gonzalez *</b>	<b>Archdiocese of Mexico City, Mexico</b>
<b>Rev. Ramon Guzman *</b>	<b>See “Rev. Palomera, Ramon” below</b>
Rev. Hyacinth Kalu	Diocese of Umuahia, Nigeria
Rev. Cletus Madu	Diocese of Okigwe, Nigeria
Rev. Jose Maldonado	Diocese of Izabal, Guatemala
Msgr. Alfeo Manalili	Archdiocese of Cebu, Philippines

Rev. Fabio Marín Gonzalez	Diocese of Espinal, Colombia
Rev. Margarito Martinez, C.M.	Vincentian Fathers, Mexico Province
Rev. Paul Mayor, S.V.D.	Divine Word Missionaries, Colombia
Rev. Samuel Michel	Diocese of Autlán, Jalisco, Mexico
William Messenger	Laicized, formerly of the Archdiocese of LA
Rev. Jose “Joey” Pavia Miranda	Archdiocese of Manila, Philippines
Rev. Cyril Nnadi	Sons of Mary Mother of Mercy
Rev. Emmanuel Osuji	Diocese of Okigwe, Nigeria
Rev. Byron Rolando Paguay Ortiz	Diocese of León, Nicaragua
<b>Rev. Camilo Miloy Pacanza *</b>	<b>Diocese of Balanga, Philippines</b>
Rev. Ramon Palomera	Archdiocese of Los Angeles, Inactive Leave
Rev. Heriberto Palacios Quiroz	Archdiocese of Managua, Nicaragua
Rev. Alberto Panduro	Diocese of Lurin, Lima, Peru
Rev. Cesar R. Pavón Ochoa	Diocese of Aguascalientes, Mexico
Rev. Antonio Perez Carrillo	Archdiocese of Los Angeles, Inactive Leave
Rev. Jose Humberto Pineda Gonzalez	Diocese of Izabal, Guatemala
Rev. John Planea	Archdiocese of New Orleans
<b>Nestor Rebong *</b>	<b>Laicized, formerly of the Archdiocese of LA</b>
Rev. Fidel Antonio Rosas Flores	Diocese of San Miguel, El Salvador
Rev. Ronald Rojas	Misioneros Javerianos, Colombia
Rev. Jose Guadalupe Sanchez	Archdiocese of Los Angeles, Inactive Leave
Rev. Jose Guadalupe Santos Pelayo	Diocese of Autlán, Jalisco, Mexico
Rev. Juan Ubaldo Diaz	Diocese of Nezahualcoyotl, Mexico
Rev. Felix Vargas	Archdiocese of Managua, Nicaragua
Rev. Oscar Vásquez	Diocese of Colima, Mexico
Msgr. Ernesto Villaroya	Diocese of Masbate, Philippines
Rev. William C. Wert, O. Carm.	Carmelite Friars, Florida

**We invite you to please keep these individuals in your prayers. Also, please refer to section 5.13.5 Procedures for Ministerial Faculties and Approvals of The Priest Personnel Policies and Guidelines in The Administrative Handbook for more detailed information on requests for short-term faculties and granting permission for single events to visiting priests at your parishes. All visiting priests should present a valid Statement of Suitability for Ministry from their bishop/superior attesting to their good standing as a priest.**

It would also be helpful if parish leadership would assure the dissemination of this notice to all parish groups, especially the Charismatic Prayer Groups, who invite priests for special events with the consent of the Pastor/Administrator. Lastly, please inform us if you have any concerns about anyone who claims to be a priest.