



St. Julie Billiart Parish

We truly welcome Christ revealed in every person!

July 2, 2020

Dear Parishioners,



On May 12, 2012, Mr. Jaime Garcia was ordained to the order of Permanent Diaconate by our Bishop Emeritus Patrick McGrath and commenced his diaconate ministry in our diocese on July 1, 2012. In his seven years of service, our parish had the privilege to have him minister to us especially to our Hispanic Community. He administered Sacrament of Baptism, preached homilies, gave retreat presentations, provided spiritual directions and pastoral counseling, and many more.

On July 1, 2020, he began his new assignment at St. Francis Xavier Parish and School in Phoenix, Arizona. He will minister with the priests and brothers of the Society of Jesuits and with Bishop Thomas J. Olmsted, Bishop of the Diocese of Phoenix. Deacon Garcia's contribution and ministry to our parish has been influential and inspiring to our people. He said, "On behalf of my wife Maria De Jesus I would like to thank all parishioners, the staff and the Pastor for all your support and help during my journey at St. Julie's Billiart Parish."

Please join me in thanking Deacon Jaime Garcia, and his wife, Mrs. Maria De Jesus, for their ministry and for sharing their spiritual gifts to our parishioners.

May God continue to bless them and their families, especially during these challenging times due to the coronavirus.

God bless you always and be safe!

In the hearts of Jesus and Mary,

Fr. Angelo David
Pastor