DECREE CONFERRING SPECIAL GRANT TO PARISH PRIESTS TO CONFIRM

IN LIGHT OF THE CONTINUING COVID-19 pandemic, I hereby grant to priests holding an ecclesiastical office in the Diocese of Lansing (whether as pastor, administrator, parochial vicar, or chaplain) the faculty to confer the Sacrament of Confirmation upon the faithful who are properly disposed to receive it. This provision is effective from December 10, 2020 through February 16, 2021 inclusive.

If this special grant is used, the following notation is to be made in the sacramental register: "Delegation for Rev. N.N., pastor, to Confirm was granted by Bishop Earl Boyea by Decree of December 10, 2020."

Notification of the reception of this sacrament is to be sent to the parish of baptism, if different from the parish where Confirmation is conferred.

Given at the Curia in Lansing, on this, the tenth day of December in the year of our Lord, 2020.

Most Reverend Earl Boyea
Bishop of Lansing

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Mr. Michael Andrews
Chancellor