



19 September 2021

Dear Parishioners and Parish Friends,

The purpose of my letter today is to inform you that I will be away from our Parish Community for several weeks undergoing a medical procedure that will require several weeks of recuperation. During my absence from the Parish, I will remain in charge of all administrative responsibilities required of me as Pastor of Saints Cyril and d Methodious Parish and Dean of the Hazleton Deanery. All Spiritual and Sacramental needs of the Parish will be attended by the Priest of Saint Ann's Monastery (who will be residing at our Rectory) and Deacon Lenny Kassick. I am most grateful to them for their assistance currently. All arrangements have been approved by our Most Reverend Bishop.

May I ask for your prayers and support at this time and I remain hopeful to see all of you in a few weeks.

May God continue to bless you and our Parish Community.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

*Reverend Michael J. Piccola, V.F.*

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Pastor