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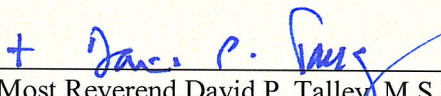
Dear Father Rob,

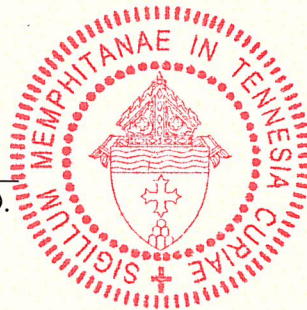
Thank you for your willingness to serve the priests of the Northern Deanery and assist me in the proper governance of the Diocese by fulfilling the responsibilities outlined in canons 553-555 of the *Code of Canon Law*. I, hereby, appoint you Dean of the Northern Deanery (Vicar Forane). This is effective September 1, 2020 for a term of three years.

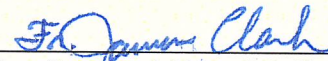
I look forward to working with you in the important work of shepherding the people of the Diocese of Memphis.

Given at the Diocesan Chancery in Memphis, Tennessee on the Thirty-first Day of August in the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty. I am fraternally yours,

In the light and love of the Lord,


Most Reverend David P. Talley, M.S.W., J.C.D.
Bishop of Memphis in Tennessee




Very Reverend James M. Clark, J.C.L.
Chancellor

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