

# transitions

Dear Church of the Holy Spirit parishioners:

Cardinal Cupich has named Fr. John Hoffman as a temporary administrator of Church of the Holy Spirit for one year. Fr. Hoffman is retired and has generously offered to be our administrator.

I have a great respect for Fr. Hoffman and his abilities. He has been pastor in a number of parishes in Chicago and is a very talented man. He will start at CHS on July 1, 2019.

Unfortunately, the Archdiocese has not been able to find a full time pastor for our parish which has made necessary the appointment of a temporary administrator. The parish will return to the open pastorate list so that we can try again for a full time pastor for CHS, beginning in July, 2020. I am hoping that the present transition committee will work with Fr. Hoffman and the staff to make sure that we prepare CHS for a pastor in 2020.

Please be as supportive as you can of Fr. Hoffman, the staff and each other in this continuing time of transition.

Thank you,

Fr. John Dearhammer