

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF
THE ARCHBISHOP'S PERSONNEL ADVISORY BOARD
HELD AT THE DIOCESAN CENTRE ON
WEDNESDAY, 7TH MAY, 1986 AT 2.00 P.M.

PRESENT: Most Rev. T.F. Little, D.D., K.B.E.
Most Rev. E.G. Perkins, V.G., P.P.
Most Rev. J.P. O'Connell, D.D., V.G., P.P.
Rev. Mgr. J.W. Murray, E.V., P.P.
Rev. Mgr. P.J. Connors, D.C.L., V.G.
Rev. W. O'Driscoll, P.P.
Rev. J. Mullally, P.P.
Rev. H. Deakin, P.P.
Rev. M. Fitzpatrick
Rev. J. McMahon
Rev. J. Grech
Rev. P. Dalton
Rev. W. Attard

APOLOGY: Most Rev. J.A. Kelly, D.D., V.G., P.P.

Minutes of the meeting held on 9th April, 1986 were read and confirmed.

1. APPOINTMENTS OF CLERGY

The members made the following recommendations to the Archbishop:

Parish Priest

Malvern East	Rev. P. Maher
Wattle Park	Rev. R. Merrick

These appointments are to take effect on a date to be determined in July.

Administrator

Caulfield	Rev. A. Hicks
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This appointment is to take effect immediately.

Bishop O'Connell and Father W. Attard will make contact with a group of Parishioners in the Parish of Williamstown, whilst Fathers H. Deakin and P. Dalton will carry out a similar exercise in the Parish of Noble Park. information is to be forwarded to the Priests of the Archdiocese in the June circular letter.

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2. REV. R. PITTS

It was agreed that Father Pitts should be given leave to pursue his degree of Master in Theology. He is to live in the Thornbury presbytery and is to receive a stipend from Diocesan sources. The Vicar General will discuss with Father Pitts and Father A. Halley, P.P. a suitable date for the commencement of Father Pitts' study leave.

3. PARISH OF WANTIRNA

The Vicar General informed the members that Father Van Suylen and his accountant are to meet with Monsignor Jones on Thursday, 8th May.

4. PARISH OF KINGSVILLE

Father Aldag is making arrangements for a supply for Sunday masses. He has also decided that the separation of the Brooklyn Section of the Parish will not take place until next year.

5. CHAPLAIN OF VILLA MARIA, WANTIRNA

The Vicar General informed the members that the Villa Maria Society would be pleased to provide accommodation for a priest. It was decided that this vacancy should be advertised through the circular letter.

6. REV. J. HANNON

The Members gave their approval for the appointment of Father Hannon to the Marriage Tribunal. It was noted that the Bishopp of the Province should be consulted in this matter.

7. SOCIETY OF THE DIVINE WORD

The Divine Word Fathers have made preliminary enquiries concerning the availability of a suitable Parish where they can carry out a pastoral ministry. Father H. Deakin and P. Dalton are to prepare a list of possible parishes.

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8. VIETNAMESE CHAPLAINS

Father Joseph Tien and Father Bart Huynh San wish to be given full-time appointments as chaplains to the Vietnamese community. The Vicar General reported that information will be forwarded to the Archbishop concerning the funding of the two chaplains.


9. PARISH OF GARDENVALE

Archbishop Little informed the members that Father R. Byrne, O.F.M. is now the Administrator of Gardenvale during the absence of Father Pickering and that he has authority to operate the accounts.

10. PARISH OF ENDEAVOUR HILLS

It was agreed that Father M. Fitzpatrick should monitor the position of Father T. Tolan as Assistant Priest in the Parish of Endeavour Hills.

The next meeting of the Board will take place on Wednesday, 4th June, 1986 at 2.00 p.m.


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