

ROMANIAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE
Eparchy of St. George in Canton



Office of the Bishop

June 4, 2021

Abbot Nicholas
Holy Resurrection Monastery
300 South 2nd Street
St. Nazianz, WI 54232

Right Reverend and dear Abbot Nicholas,

You will find enclosed the Decree of Appointment (2021.54.03) establishing your appointment as the Eparchial Ecumenical Officer. According to this appointment, you agree to attend meetings of the Catholic Association of Diocesan Ecumenical and Interreligious Officers (CADEIO) and continue your work in other ecumenical endeavors. I would appreciate an annual report from you to keep me informed of what is going on in this organization and what our Eparchy can do to be better in this area.

I know of your recent efforts to encourage ecumenical work. Your work as liaison between the Archbishop Elpidophoros of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America and the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops was a key component to my choosing you for this important work. I know you work well with the Ecumenical Office of Green Bay and engage in other Catholic/Orthodox dialogues. Your outreach to ecclesial communities is a perfect fit for this office.

Please accept my sincere thanks for the care you have been giving to this position. May God bless you in the coming days with strength and peace to accomplish all He wants.

With every good wish and blessing, I remain,

Fraternally yours in Christ-God,

(Most Reverend) John Michael Botean, D.D.
Bishop of the Eparchy of St. George for Romanians

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Prot. No. 2021/54.03

✠ John Michael

by the Grace of God and the Favor of the Apostolic See
Bishop of the Eparchy of Saint George in Canton

DECREE of APPOINTMENT

By this decree, I appoint

RIGHT REVEREND ABBOT NICHOLAS ZACHARIADIS,

WITH the duties as the Eparchial Ecumenical Officer of the Eparchy of St. George in Canton as of this appointment, according to the *CCEO* can. 904 §3. This appointment is as of today, June 4, 2021.

GIVEN at Canton, Ohio, at the Chancery of the Eparchy of Saint George in Canton, this Fourth (4th) day of June in the Year of Our Lord the Two Thousand Twenty-First (*Anno Domini* MMXXI) and the Twenty-Fifth of our episcopate.

(Most Reverend) John Michael Botean, D.D.
Bishop of the Eparchy of St. George in Canton

Attest:

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Eparchial Notary