

COME AND PRAY A HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS



This First Friday, June 6th, we invite you to come and pray for those who are discerning a religious life and those who are about to be ordained to the priesthood and as transitional deacons in our archdiocese.

2025 MASS OF ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

With praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God, the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Washington joyfully announces the Ordination of our new priests! The Mass of Ordination will take place at 10:00 a.m. on June 21, 2025, at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. You are invited to come and celebrate or you can watch the recording of the Mass on the Archdiocese of Washington YouTube channel. Please pray for these new ministers!



Deacon Marco Cerritelli



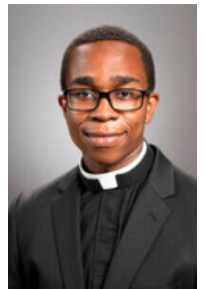
Deacon Gerard Gayou



Deacon Louis McHale



Deacon Daniel Morrison



Deacon Chukwuma Odigwe

2025 MASS OF ORDINATION TO THE TRANSITIONAL DIACONATE

His Eminence, Cardinal Robert McElroy, Archbishop of Washington will serve as Principal Celebrant and Homilist for this Mass on **June 14, 2025**, at 10:00 a.m. at the Cathedral of St. Matthew the Apostle in Washington, D.C. You are welcome to attend.

A transitional deacon is a seminarian en route to the priesthood. Seminarian Jessiah Rojas previously served at our parish and has been visiting with us for the 11AM Mass throughout the year. Jessiah will be ordained as a transitional deacon on June 14. His ordination to the priesthood is scheduled for June 2025.



Jessiah Rojas

Let us pray for **ALL** those men and women who are being ordained and entering religious life throughout the global Catholic church this year. We also continue to pray for an increase in vocations from our families and faith communities.