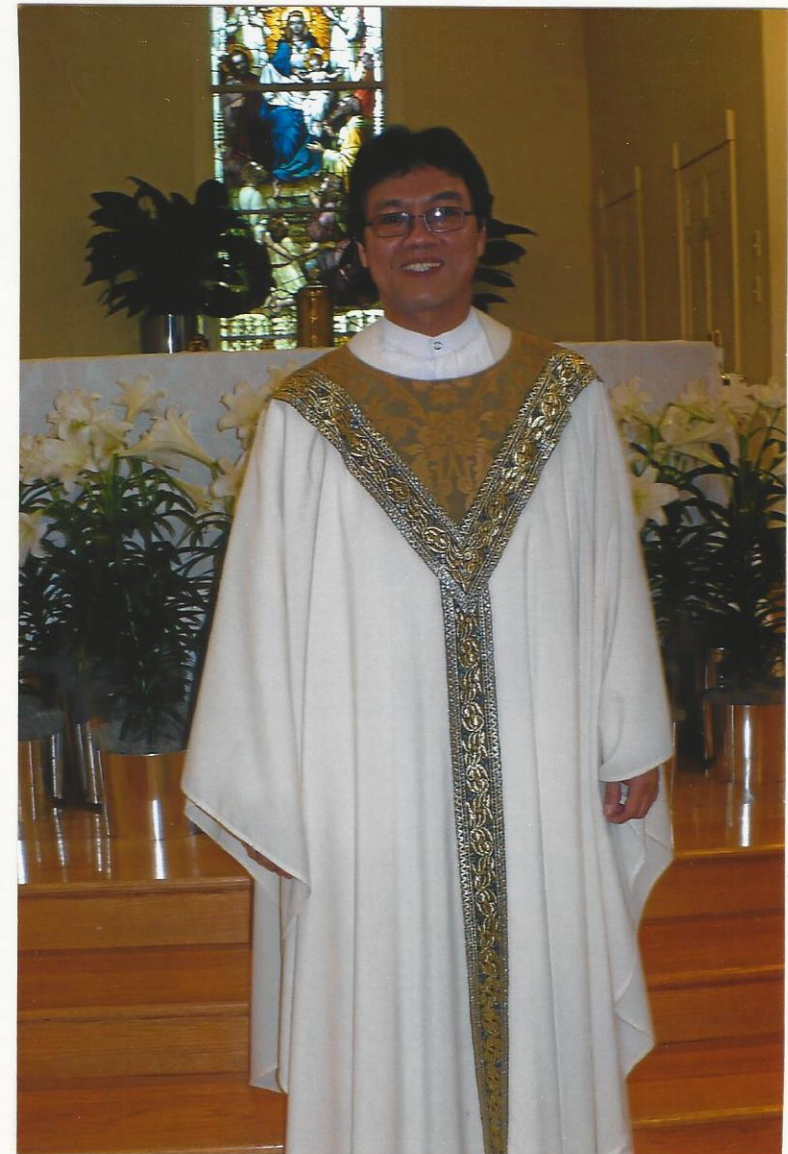


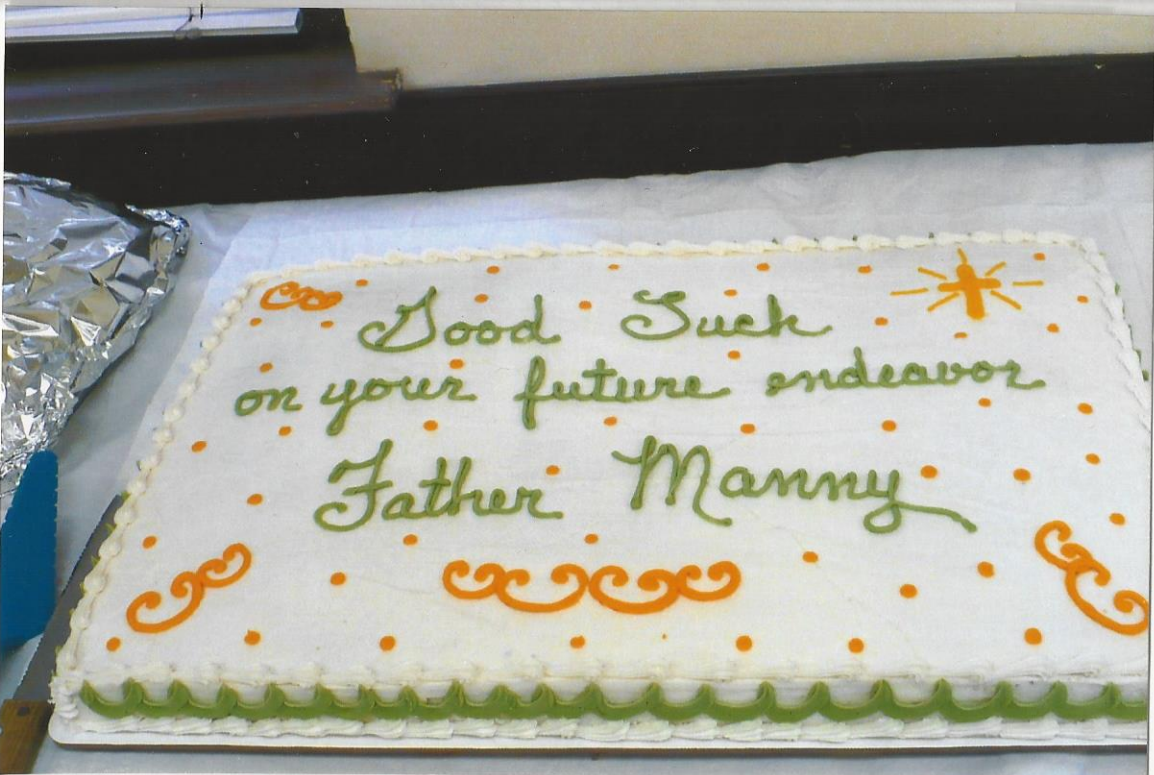


## FATHER EMMANUEL T. DE LEON, SVD

2011- 2012

Father Manny was born on August 9, 1959 in Donsol, Sorogon, Phillipines. He attended Donsol National Comprehensive High School. He went on to earn a Bachelor of Arts degree majoring in Economics and minoring in Psychology from the then Trinity College of Quezon City. After graduating, Fr. Manny worked in the Ministry of Labor and Employment Services. After much discernment and a deep desire to join the priesthood, Fr. Manny entered the seminary joining the Society of the Divine Word. After graduating from the Seminary, he was assigned to do parish work in the Philippine Northern Province, particularly the mountain Parish of Abra working for the Tribal Minorities of the Cordillera. Father was transferred to the Divine Word Formation Center in Urdaneta City where he helped aspiring seminarians with their integration and adjustment to religious life. Fr. Manny did his post graduate studies at Loyola University in Chicago earning a Masters in Pastoral Studies. Upon returning to the Philippines, he continued formation work. A few years after he was assigned to do chaplaincy and retreat work to the parishes and convents as well as making himself available for those in need of spiritual direction. Fr. Manny returned to the U.S., coming to St. Therese Parish as Parochial Vicar in September 2011. In October of 2012 Father Manny left St. Theresa to shepherd the rural cluster parishes in Woodlawn, Virginia.

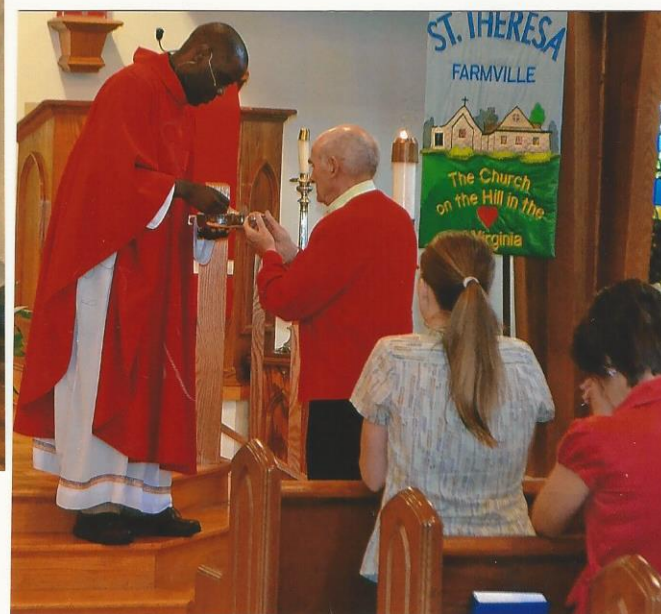
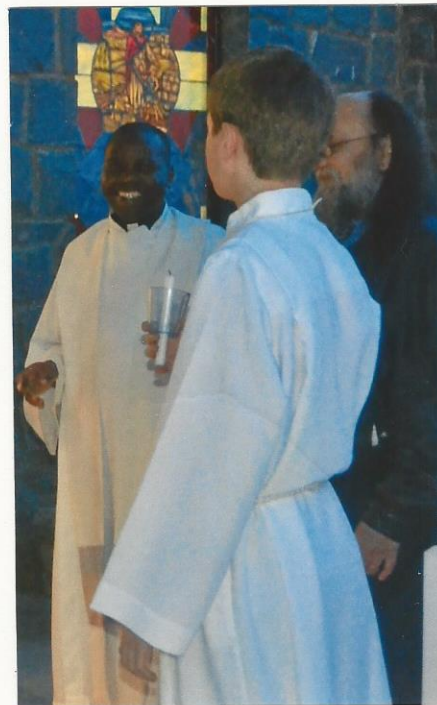
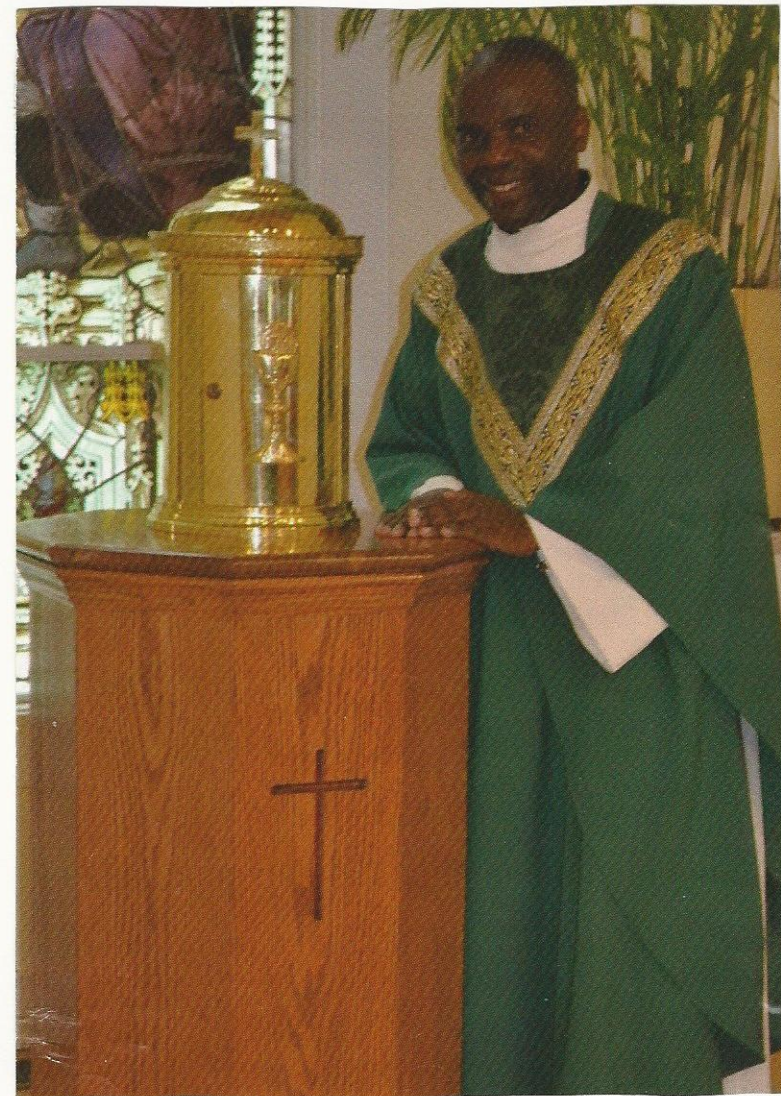


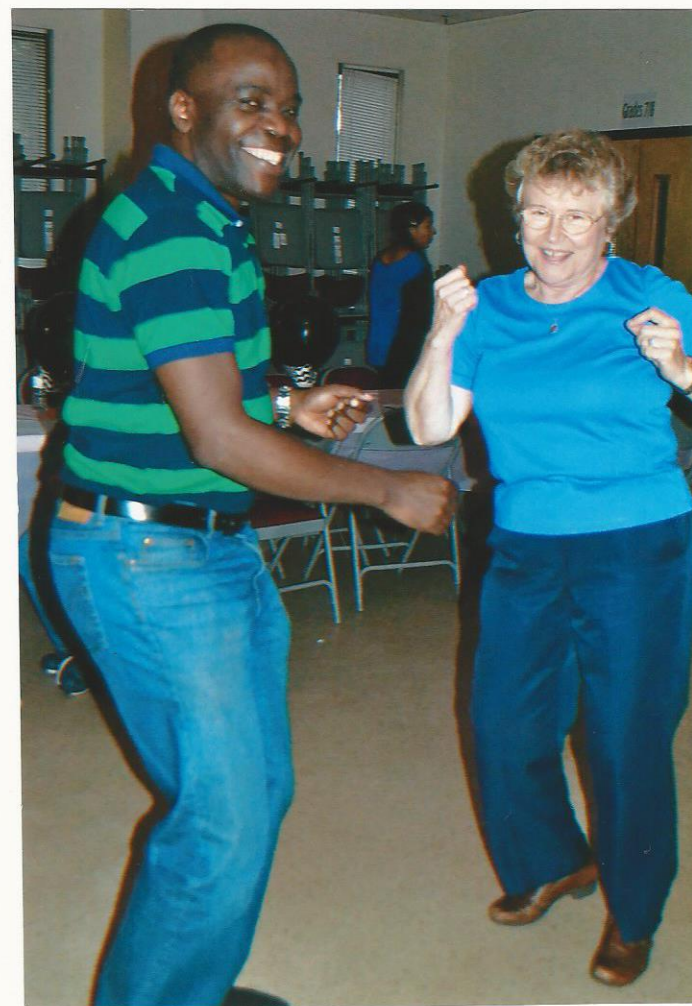


FATHER PAUL ARMSTRONG KKONDE

October 1, 2012 - June 30, 2017

I am the second to the last child born out of twelve children on September 2, 1969, and seven of my siblings are deceased. My father gave me the middle name of Armstrong after the US astronaut, Neil Armstrong who was the first man to walk on the moon in 1969. My father was killed in April 1980 when I was in the fourth grade. My mother's name is Theresa and she is 83 years old. I started school in 1976 and completed my seminary formation in Uganda in 1998 after which time I was ordained a priest on July 25, 1998. I have served as an associate in two parishes, and recently prior to my coming to the USA I had been a chaplain at a teacher training college handling around 450 students. I have a Bachelor of Theology degree from Urban University in Rome, Italy and a Master's degree in spirituality and counseling from Catholic Theological Union, Chicago, Illinois. My hobbies are sports particularly soccer and watching movies. I first came to the USA in 2003 and received a warm welcome. It has always been my desire to carry out missionary work. When I was approached by the bishop to come to the USA, I realized that it was God's call. While here, I seek guidance in order to be equipped with what is required in the ministry.

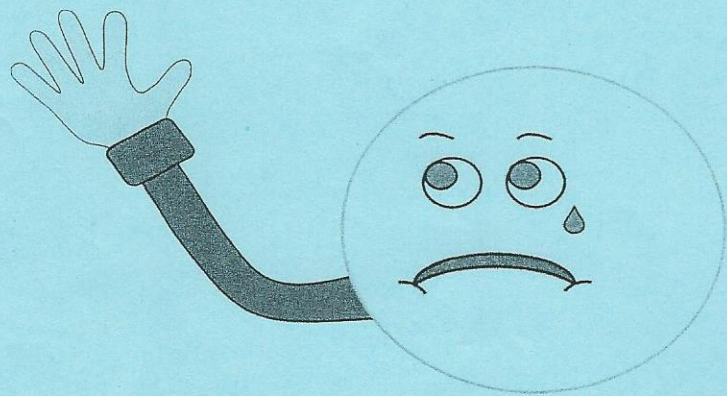




# FAREWELL TO FATHER PAUL

Please Join Us

As We Say Goodbye to Father Paul

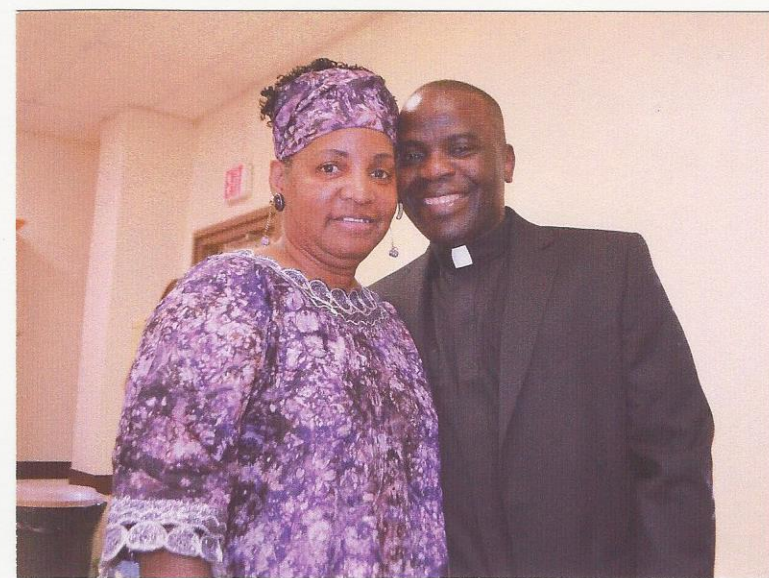
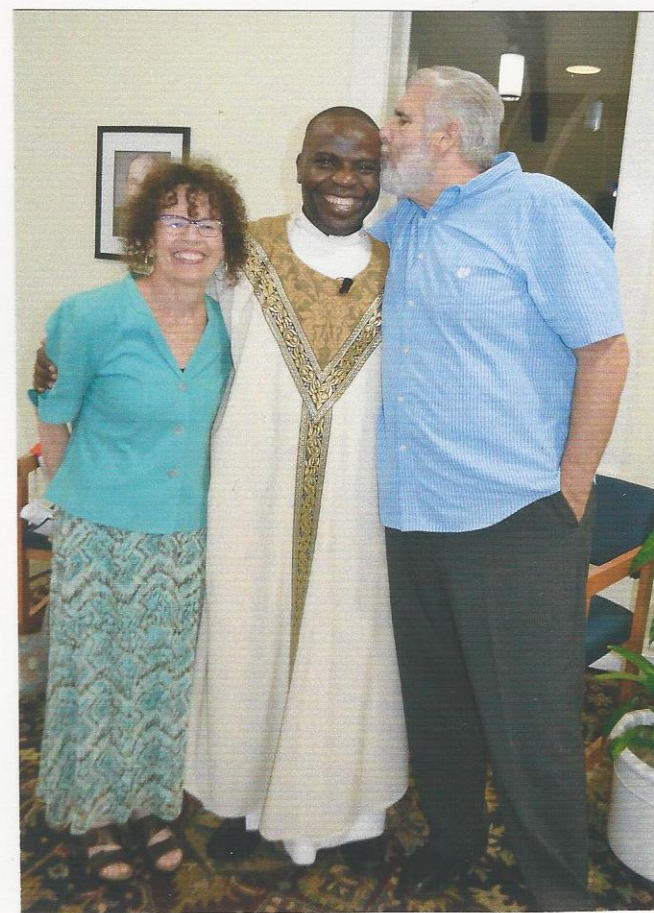
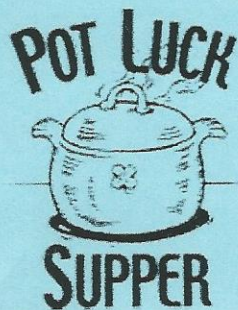


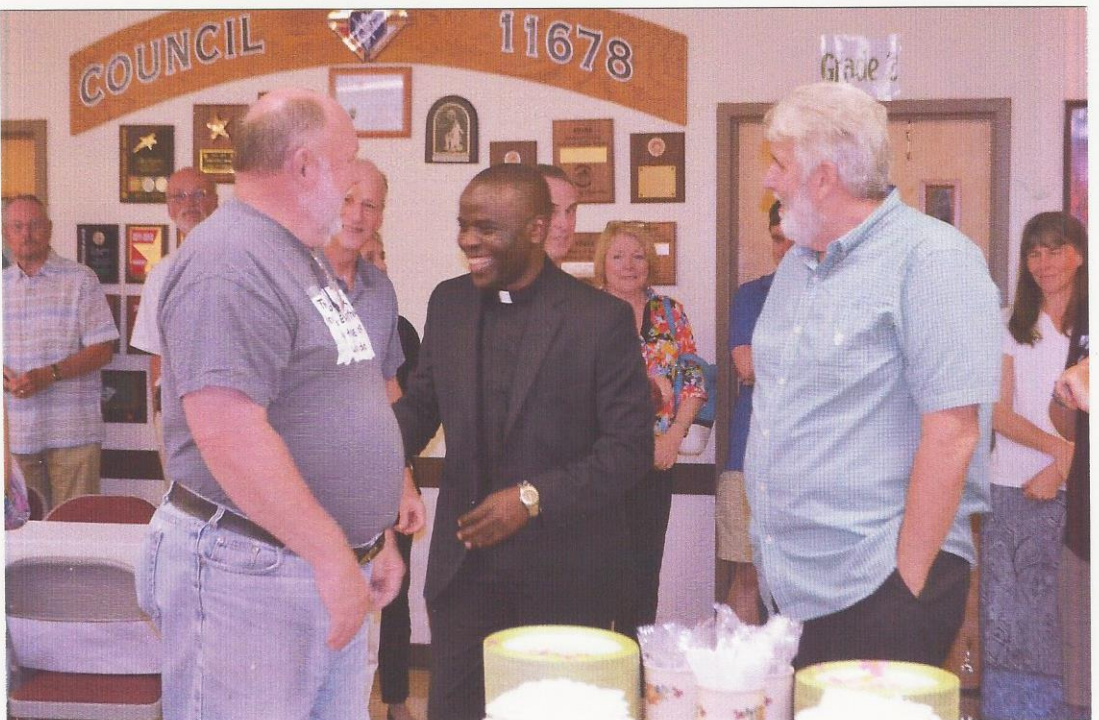
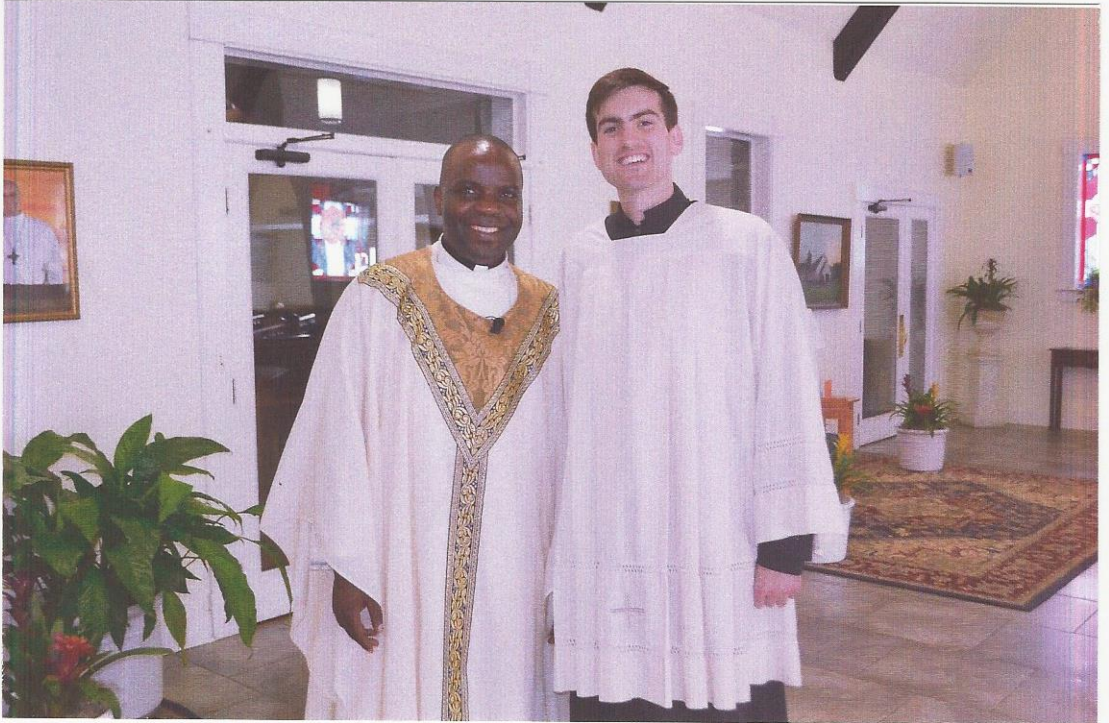
## Pot Luck Supper

Saturday June 17 at the Parish Center

Following 5:30 Mass

Please Bring a Dish to Share





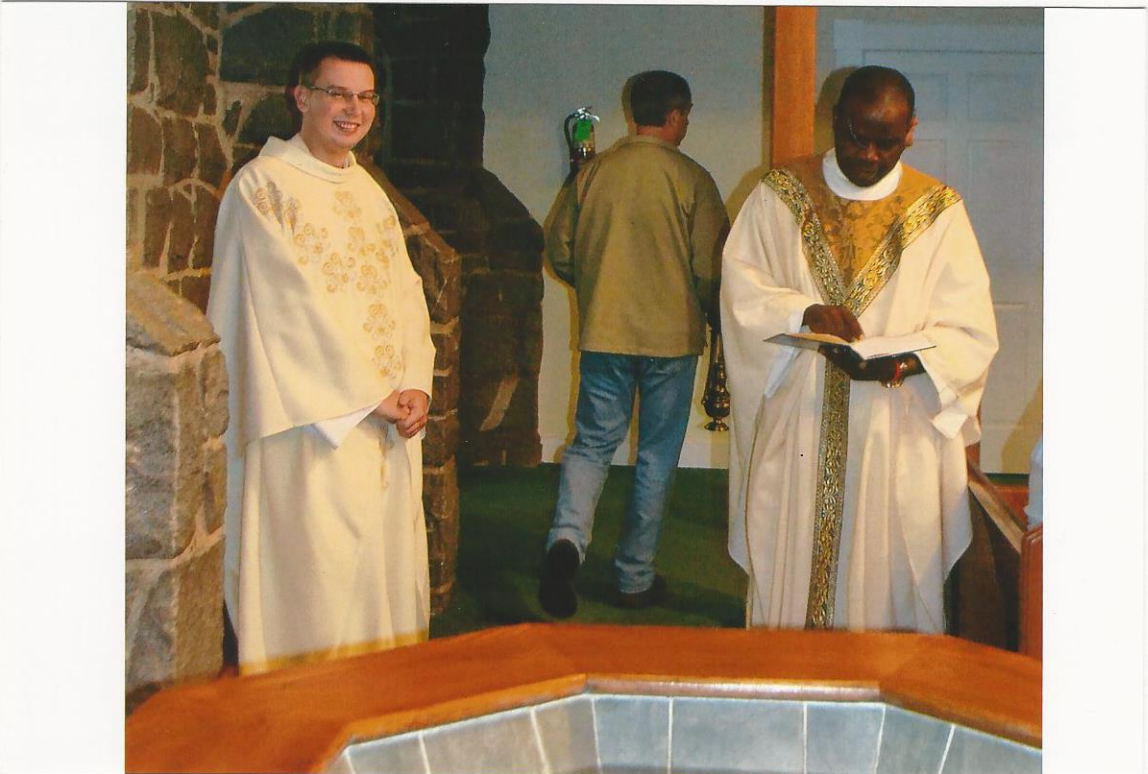
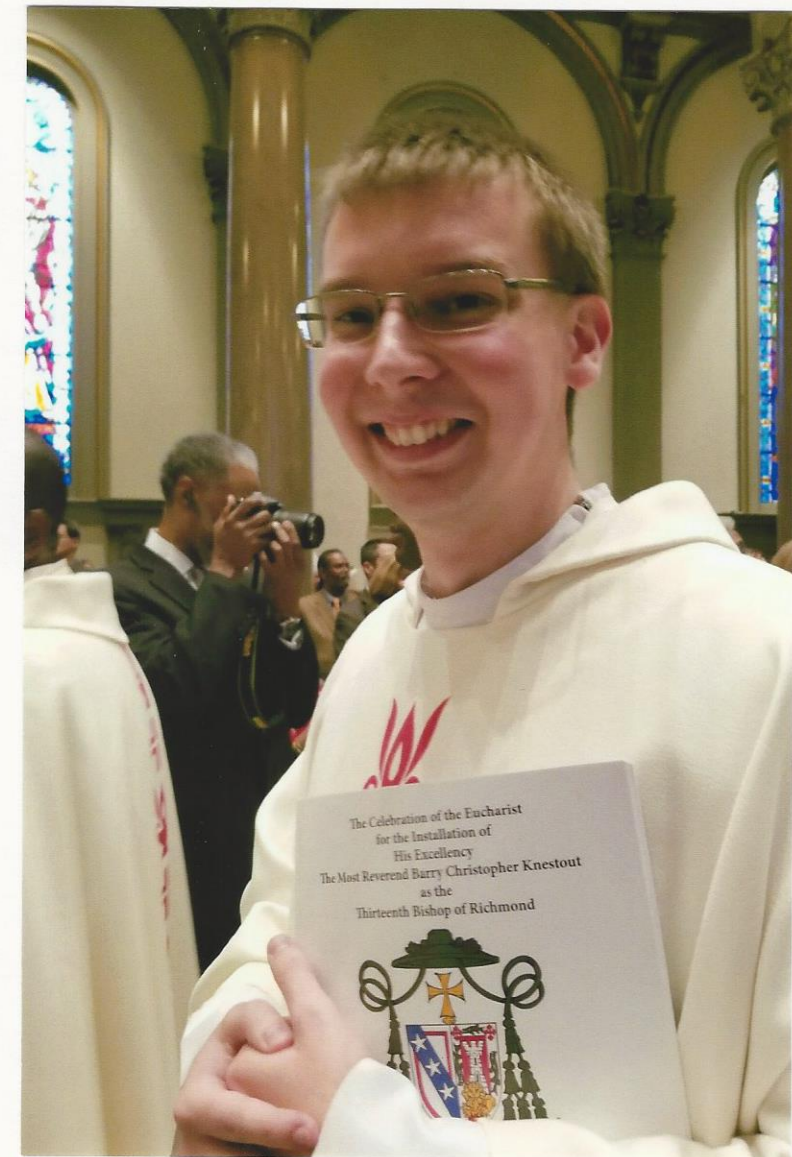


REVEREND FATHER STEFAN MIGAC

2015

I am the only child of Emilia and Peter Migac. My parents live and work in Slovakia which is my home country. I was born and raised in Rozhanovce. I entered seminary formation in Slovakia immediately after high school. I studied two years of philosophy with one semester at Milltown Institute in Dublin, Ireland. I did my pastoral year in Presov and a year of Theological study at the seminary of St. Charles Borromeo in Kosice, Slovakia. During my time in the seminary in Slovakia, I became acquainted with one of my teachers who studied at the Catholic University in Washington, DC, and who had a classmate from the Diocese of Richmond. Through him, I came to spend time in Radford, VA, my first summer in the U.S. After spending another summer at Radford, VA, I was approached by Father Michael Boehling, our vocation director with an offer to enter an exchange program, to which I happily agreed. I spend half a year again in Radford, VA for enculturation, and then entered St. Mary's Seminary and University in Baltimore, MD. I completed my education and formation in May 2014 with an MA., M.Div and STB. After fully participating in the formation process of the Diocese of Richmond, I was assigned to serve as a seminarian at St. Timothy's Parish in Tappahannock and then later as a deacon at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish in Newport News. I was ordained to the priesthood by the Archbishop in St. Elisabeth's Cathedral in Kosice on June 14, 2014. My priestly assignment has been as a parochial vicar at St. Bridget Parish in Richmond. I enjoy hiking, reading, driving, playing squash and playing Xbox.







## REVEREND FATHER EDUARD ANDREA NTUNDE

JULY 2017 -

I was born on July 23, 1960. I was ordained a priest on June 23, 1995. My home country is Tanzania in East Africa. My diocese is Tabora in the western side of our country. I am the second child and I had three siblings. My oldest sister passed away. My younger brother is still living and lives with his family. I enjoy watching football (soccer). At one time I played football on my school's team. After my primary education it was difficult to continue with studies. I had to work for many years in order to pay for the school fees to join the seminary and then to become a priest. My mother encouraged me by often saying, "Tomorrow will be greener than today, the main secret is to entrust yourself to the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Hope." I started aspiring to be a priest during my early days of primary school by seeing priests visit families in our village, teaching catechism in school and saying Holy Mass in our village chapel. I am the first person to be ordained a priest from our village and our parish up to this time. It was a celebration not only for the Catholics but for everyone and for all the nearby villages. Soon after my ordination I was assigned to serve hundreds of refugees of war from Burundi. I had to struggle to learn their culture and their tongue to facilitate pastoral services. After three years I had to serve other parishes in the diocese. My biggest hope to accomplish for our cluster parishes is to work hard and in harmony with the parishioners for the spiritual well being of our parishes. The thing I desire to know more is the culture of the place, American English and idioms. "I like and enjoy the American idioms because they are full of wisdom". On my days off I like to do manual work, physical exercise, visitation, reading and writing. But, I avoid resting too much because there's an idiom that says, "when you rest, you rust".



