

DECREE BY THE BISHOP OF MAITLAND-NEWCASTLE

DECREE ESTABLISHING LATIN MASS CHAPLAINCY DIOCESE OF MAITLAND-NEWCASTLE

64/2024

Decree – Singular Administrative Act - Rescript

Given the expressed request to support the spiritual and pastoral needs of members of the diocese who wish to participate in the 1962 liturgical rites, and in accordance with *Traditionis Custodes*, and Remembering the history of this group, and after discussion with the superior of the Fraternity of St Peter, District of Oceania (FSSP), and with input from the members of the Latin Mass Society of the diocese, and having received the support of the Council of Priests, after hearing them

It seems appropriate to establish a Latin Mass Chaplaincy and so I decree that a Latin Mass Chaplaincy be established

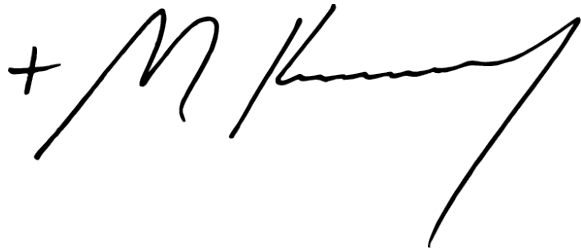
The chaplaincy will operate as per the attached statutes,

I direct that this decree be published on the website for the Diocese of Maitland-Newcastle, <https://www.mn.catholic.org.au/> which will be presumed the official notification of this action.

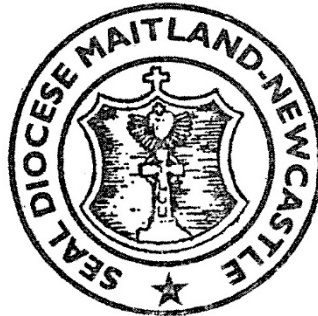
A petition for revocation or emendation of this decree is subject to canons 1732 – 1739.

This decree is effective as of 30 days after the decree's date, nothing the contrary withstanding.

Given at Hamilton, NSW, on this **30th Day of July 2024**



Most Reverend Michael Kennedy
Bishop of Maitland-Newcastle



Very Reverend Matthew Muller VG
Chancellor
Notary

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