

THE LIBERAL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Canon 88. Notice of Ordination

For a period of thirty days prior to the ordination of a priest or deacon a notice shall, if possible, be displayed in a prominent position frequented by the laity. in the church or churches to which he will be assigned.

Canon 89. Jurisdiction

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(c) **Membership of a Parish, Center or Mission**

Baptism, confirmation or admission to a parish, center or mission will qualify for membership. Such local membership will be in accordance with the terms laid down by the local rules and may be terminated.

Canon 77. Intercommunion

The Church or an Ordinary or a Provincial Episcopal Synod may enter into formal written agreements of intercommunion or inter-relationship with other Christian religious organisations, the terms of which must comply with the Statement of Principles section "Relation to Other Churches". Such agreements must be ratified by the Interim Committee in accordance with Canons 12 and 13 and must

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Canon 1. **Constitutions - Provincial**
A Provincial Constitution. before: presentation to the Presiding

Canon 3. Active and Inactive Lists

A bishop who has been regularly assigned to a province or a diocese, a priest or deacon who is currently licensed to conduct public services, and a retired bishop, priest or deacon who has not been placed on the Inactive List, shall be regarded for the purposes of Canon Law as being on the Active List.

Canon 4. Good Standing

A member of the clergy, whether on the Active or Inactive List, shall be considered to be in good standing for the purposes of Canon Law when he shall not be under suspension from office or under inhibition from the exercise of clerical functions, save that a member of the clergy who shall have been notified that his conduct is under investigation shall not be entitled to vote in any matter concerning any action in his own case arising from such investigation or to serve during such investigation on any body concerned therewith.

Canon 5. Standing Committees

Canon 17. Interim Committee - Request for Action

The Regionary Bishop of a province may request the Interim Committee to take suitable action in any matter, or may forward such request originated by a subordinate (with his endorsement thereon) and such committee may act upon such request or may direct an appropriate committee so to act or may table such request should it

Canon 22. Removal from Office - Other than Presiding Bishop

On the request in writing from five or more members of the Synod, the Presiding Bishop as chairman of the Interim Committee, shall

A Regionary Bishop, after consulting the Provincial Episcopal Synod, may request the Judiciary Committee to investigate the conduct, inaction or negligence of a subordinate bishop.

The Interim Committee may request the Judiciary Committee to investigate the conduct, inaction or negligence of any officer or member of the Synod.

Canon 25. Inactive List - Transfer to

Any member of the clergy may be transferred voluntarily or with

Canon 28. Clergy Visiting Other Churches

No member of the clergy of this Church shall participate as such, other than as a guest in choir or as a guest speaker, in the services of