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## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

*THE ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF BOISE*



### ABOUT THE COVER

Sarah Dyson and her children, from left, Lucas, Thomas and John Paul receive personal Benediction with the Blessed Sacrament from Brother Johannes, VS, at the Monastery of Our Lady of Ephesus in Boise. The U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops has asked that the years 2022-25 be observed as years of Eucharistic Renewal. (*Idaho Catholic Register* photo by Vero Gutiérrez)

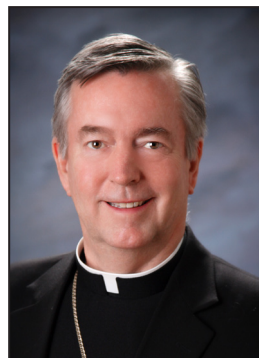
## POPE FRANCIS



Born Dec. 17, 1936 in Buenos Aires, Argentina; ordained a Jesuit priest on Dec. 13, 1969; consecrated as a bishop on June 27, 1992; became Archbishop of Buenos Aires on Feb. 28, 1998; became a Cardinal on Feb. 21, 2001; elected pope on March 13, 2013; installed on March 19, 2013.



## BISHOP PETER F. CHRISTENSEN



Born Dec. 24, 1952 in Altadena, Calif.; ordained a priest May 25, 1985; ordained a bishop for the Diocese of Superior, Wis., on Sept. 14, 2007; appointed Bishop of Boise on Nov. 4, 2014; installed as Eighth Bishop of Boise on Dec. 17, 2014.



## FORMER BISHOPS

**Rt. Rev. Louis Aloysius Lootens, D.D.**, born March 17, 1827, in Bruges, Belgium; ordained June 14, 1851; appointed Vicar-Apostolic of Idaho March 3, 1868; consecrated Aug. 9, 1868; resigned July 16, 1876; died Jan. 12, 1898.

**Rt. Rev. Alphonse Joseph Glorieux, D.D.**, born Feb. 1, 1844, in Dottignies, Belgium; ordained Aug. 17, 1867; appointed Vicar-Apostolic of Idaho Feb. 27, 1885; consecrated April 19, 1885; appointed first Bishop of Boise Aug. 26, 1893; died Aug. 25, 1917.

**Rt. Rev. Daniel Mary Gorman, D.D., L.L.D.**, born April 12, 1861, in Wyoming, Iowa; ordained June 24, 1893; elevated to Protonotary Apostolic April 19, 1917; appointed second Bishop of Boise Feb. 6, 1918; consecrated May 1, 1918; died June 9, 1927.

**Most Rev. Edward Joseph Kelly, D.D.**, born Feb. 26, 1890, in The Dalles, Ore.; ordained June 2, 1917; appointed third Bishop of Boise Dec. 16, 1927; consecrated March 6, 1928; died April 21, 1956.

**Most Rev. James Joseph Byrne, D.D., S.T.D.**, born July 28, 1908, in St. Paul, Minn.; ordained June 3, 1933;

appointed auxiliary bishop of St. Paul; consecrated July 2, 1947; appointed fourth Bishop of Boise June 16, 1956; appointed seventh Archbishop of Dubuque March 7, 1962; installed May 8, 1962; retired Aug. 23, 1983; died Aug. 2, 1996.

**Most Rev. Sylvester William Treinen, D.D.**, born Nov. 19, 1917, in Donnelly, Minn.; ordained June 11, 1946; appointed fifth Bishop of Boise May 19, 1962; consecrated July 25, 1962; retired Aug. 17, 1988; died Sept. 30, 1996.

**Most Rev. Tod David Brown, D.D.**, born Nov. 15, 1936, in San Francisco, Calif.; ordained May 1, 1963; appointed sixth Bishop of Boise Dec. 27, 1988; consecrated April 3, 1989; appointed third Bishop of Orange, Calif., June 30, 1998; installed Sept. 3, 1998; retired Sept. 21, 2012.

**Most Rev. Michael Patrick Driscoll, M.S.W., D.D.**, born Aug. 8, 1939, in Long Beach, Calif.; ordained May 1, 1965; appointed auxiliary bishop of Orange, Calif., Dec. 19, 1989; consecrated March 6, 1990; appointed seventh Bishop of Boise Jan. 19, 1999; installed March 18, 1999; retired Nov. 4, 2014; died Oct. 24, 2017.

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# LITURGICAL CALENDAR • 2022-2023

## 2022

<u>OBSERVANCE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>DATE</u>
All Saints Day	Tuesday	November 1, 2022
1st Sunday of Advent	--	November 19, 2022
Immaculate Conception	Thursday	December 8, 2022
Christmas Day	Sunday	December 25, 2022

## 2023

<u>OBSERVANCE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Mary, Mother of God	Sunday	January 1, 2023
Epiphany	Sunday	January 8, 2023
Ash Wednesday	--	February 22, 2023
Feast of the Annunciation	Saturday	March 25, 2023
Passion (Palm) Sunday	--	April 2, 2023
Holy Thursday	--	April 6, 2023
Good Friday	--	April 7, 2023
Easter Sunday	--	April 9, 2023
Ascension	Sunday	May 21, 2023
Pentecost	Sunday	May 28, 2023
Assumption of Mary	Tuesday	August 15, 2023
All Saints Day	Wednesday	November 1, 2023
1st Sunday of Advent	--	December 3, 2023
Immaculate Conception	Friday	December 8, 2023
Christmas Day	Monday	December 25, 2023

### **- DIOCESAN VISION STATEMENT -**

The Catholic People of God in Idaho are called to be a faithful servant community. Spirit-filled and directed, nourished by the sacraments, we are challenged to hear, live and proclaim fully the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

### **- DIOCESAN MISSION STATEMENT -**

United with our bishop and in communion with the universal Church, we the People of God in Idaho are called to build up the Kingdom of God by:

- proclaiming the presence of God in word and sacrament;
- calling each other to conversion and to joyful sharing of the Good News by word and deed;
- nurturing and supporting vital faith communities;
- being a prophetic voice that affirms the good values of society and challenges what is destructive;
- discovering, celebrating and integrating the gifts of each individual, community and culture;
- recognizing and responding to those in need.

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