

Mayor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, David H. Reith was born on August 31, 1950 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin to Norma and Henry Reith, the first of two children, the second being a younger sister, Nancy (Reith) Pierson; and

WHEREAS, Dave attended Immaculate Heart of Mary Grade School in West Allis graduating in 1964; entered De Sales Preparatory Seminary for high school graduating in 1968; and earned a B.A. from St. Francis de Sales College Seminary in 1972; and a Master of Divinity from St. Francis Seminary School of Pastoral Ministry in 1976; and

WHEREAS, Dave was ordained a diocesan priest for the Archdiocese of Milwaukee by Archbishop William E. Cousins on June 5, 1976 in St. Frances Cabrini Church, West Bend, where Dave served as transitional deacon; and

WHEREAS, Dave served as Associate Pastor of St. Mary Immaculate Conception Parish in Burlington from June 15, 1976 until April 27, 1980; and

WHEREAS, Dave served as Assistant Chancellor in the Chancery Office of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee from April 28, 1980 until March 23, 1981; and

WHEREAS, Dave served as Chaplain and Head of the Religion Department at St. Joseph High School in Kenosha from May 1, 1981 until June 15, 1987; and

WHEREAS, Dave served as Associate Pastor of Blessed Sacrament Parish in Milwaukee from June 16, 1987 until April 24, 1989; and

WHEREAS, Dave served as Pastor of St. Mary Immaculate Conception Parish in Burlington from April 25, 1989 until June 21, 2004; and

WHEREAS, Dave has served as Pastor of St. Dominic Parish in Brookfield since June 22, 2004; and

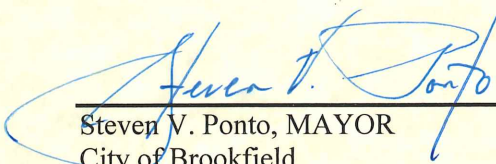
WHEREAS, Dave will also serve as Vicar of Catholic Charities for the Archdiocese of Milwaukee beginning June, 2016; and

WHEREAS, Dave has also served the Archdiocese of Milwaukee in the Priest Senate; the Council of Priests, including as Moderator; and the College of Consultors; Dean of District Three; Member of the Priest Placement Board; Supervisor for Seminarian Interns at St. Dominic Parish and the Teaching Parish Program for St. Francis de Sales Seminary; Member of the Board of Trustees of St. Francis de Sales Seminary; Chair of the Pastors' Policy Committee for the Archdiocese Faith in our Future Campaign; and Member of the Steering Committee for the Archdiocesan Faith in our Future Campaign;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Steven V. Ponto, Mayor of the City of Brookfield, on behalf of all of the residents of this municipality, congratulate Father David H. Reith as he celebrates his 40th anniversary as a priest, express our gratitude for his service to St. Dominic Parish and to this community; and wish him continued success and happiness in his priestly calling.



Signed and sealed this 4th day of June,
Two Thousand and Sixteen.



Steven V. Ponto, MAYOR
City of Brookfield