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C I R C U L A R

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TO : THE CLERGY, RELIGIOUS AND LAY FAITHFUL OF THE
ARCHDIOCESE OF LIPA

RE : JOINT LAUNCHING OF THE *ENLARGING THE SPACE OF YOUR TENT* BOOK AND
PASTORAL VISIT 2024

Greetings of Peace!

Next year, January 13, 2024, we will have a double launching of the Book on Enlarging the Space of Your Tent and the Pastoral Visitation 2024. It will be held at the National Shrine of St. Padre Pio.

The joint celebration will begin with the celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 9:00 o'clock in the morning to be presided over by His Excellency Most Reverend Mylo Hubert C. Vergara, D.D., Vice-President of the Catholic Bishops' Conference of the Philippines (CBCP) and Bishop of the Diocese of Pasig. It will be followed by the official launching and distribution of the said Book.

In the afternoon, the Pastoral Visitation 2024 will be officially launched and will be followed by the distribution of the Pastoral Visit 2024 Handbook. The second Pastoral Visitation in 2024 will reflect on the theme, "*Enlarge the space of your tent, spread out your tent cloths unsparingly, lengthen your ropes and make firm your pegs*" from Isaiah 54:2.

With this, I am requesting the presence of the following: all priests in the Archdiocese of Lipa, the Superior of all religious communities, officers of the Parish Pastoral Council, the Chairmen of the eight ministries in the parishes, representatives from the schools, and representatives from the youth.

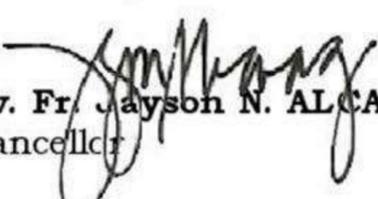
Please also know that a souvenir t-shirt to commemorate the event will be made available. Parishes and other groups or institutions may place their order with Pater Putativus Publishing House, Inc. at 043 756 2410 / 0925 503 0334.

Let us pray that the Lord may guide us as we thread the synodal path and bless our plans and endeavors for a more synodal Church through the intercession of Our Lady of Caysasay, our Queen and Mother, and of St. Joseph, the patron saint of our Archdiocese.

Sincerely yours in the Lord,


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Attested by:


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