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Reverend Ryan M. Lerner
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January 10, 2019

Reverend Daniel G. Keefe
Saint John Bosco Parish
731 Main Street
Branford, Connecticut 06405-3693

Dear Father Keefe:

On January 28, 2019, the Church of Saint Elizabeth, located at 65 Burban Drive, Branford, Connecticut, will be relegated to profane but not sordid use in accordance with canon 1222 §2. On January 7, 2019, Archbishop Leonard P. Blair issued a decree effecting the relegation that Saint Elizabeth Church is no longer a sacred place for divine worship.

During the weekend of January 12th and 13th, the substance of the decree will be communicated to all parishioners by means of a notice in the weekend bulletin of Saint John Bosco Parish in Branford, including the display in appropriate places at all the churches, so that parishioners can read it as they enter or exit the churches. It will also be available on the website, www.stewardsfortomorrow.org, and will be posted in the Archdiocesan publication, *The Catholic Transcript* (see <http://www.catholictranscript.org>). Canonical recourse may be made within the peremptory time limit of ten (10) days from the legitimate notification of the decree and in accordance with the norm of law (c. 1734 §2).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Lerner".

Reverend Ryan M. Lerner
Chancellor