

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS' MAJOR SEMINARY, MAKURDI

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Fr. Ray Reyes
Pastor
St. Augustine Church
3700 Callan Blvd.
South San Francisco
CA, 94080.

Dear Fr. Ray,

LETTER OF APPRECIATION

Greetings and Peace from St. Thomas Aquina's Major Seminary, Makurdi – Benue State of Nigeria!

We are grateful for the warm reception I received during my visit to your parish community in August 2025 to preach the Missionary Cooperation with the Archdiocese of San Francisco. Your hospitality was first class and was extended to other Priests from African serving in the Archdiocese.

We are very grateful to your Provincial Vicar, Fr. Ifeanyichukwu Henry who was responsible for all the cooking and coordinated the evening gathering so very well. Thanks to the many Priests and Parish members who came to give testimony of your fatherly support to them as they serve in the Archdiocese of San Francisco.

I enjoyed my stay with the other Priests in the Rectory especially Fr. Ed. Dura, our holy man of God who is retired but not tired. Thanks for your generosity.

Thanks to the Deacons; Rev. Mr. Virgil Capetti and Rev. Mr. Nestor Fernandez II. The Sacristy and office staff we are very grateful.


To the entire worshipping community, we are deeply encouraged by your faith and generosity to our Mission Appeal to help with our Auditorium Project for the Seminarians. You will always be in our hearts and prayers. We have received from the mission office of the Archdiocese of San Francisco your generous donation of \$9,216.70.

May God continue to bless you immensely.

Yours sincerely in Christ,



Very Rev. Fr. Simeon T. Iber
Rector

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