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### **Regarding Fr. Gary Morelli...**

At his request, because of health concerns, Fr. Gary Morelli was relieved of his pastorate at St. Cyril of Jerusalem in Taylor on March 10<sup>th</sup>. Concurrent with his request, financial irregularities were discovered at the parish and are being reviewed by the Archdiocese of Detroit. While it is early in that process, the archdiocese can assure the parish community that their finances and fiscal health will not be compromised by these developments.

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**\*\*\*A picture of Fr. Morelli, as well as a copy of this news advisory, is available on the Internet at [homepage.mac.com/nedmcgrath](http://homepage.mac.com/nedmcgrath).**

#### Biographical Information:

Ordained 1981

- 1981 Associate Pastor, St. Philomena Parish, Detroit  
(in addition to duties as an Auditor for the Archdiocesan Tribunal)
- 1982 Associate Pastor, St. Matthias Parish, Sterling Heights  
(in addition to duties as an Auditor for the Archdiocesan Tribunal)
- 1984 Full-time Chaplain, Bishop Borgess High School, Redford
- 1986 Associate Pastor Pro Tem, Christ the Good Shepherd Parish, Lincoln Park
- 1988 Associate Pastor, St. Frances Cabrini Parish, Allen Park
- 1988 Leave of Absence
- 1990 Associate Pastor, Guardian Angles Parish, Clawson
- 1993 Pastor, St. Cyril of Jerusalem Parish, Taylor

Leave of Absence March 10, 2003