



Franciscan Friars of the Third Order Regular of St. Francis Office of Minister Provincial

March 22, 2016

Fr. Bradley Baldwin has accepted my request that he take a leave from his ministry as Pastor of the Parish of St. Gerard in the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis. Today, I placed him on leave out of caution and respect for statements about his exercise of supervisory responsibility made in a grand jury report issued by the Pennsylvania Office of the Attorney General. Fr. Brad has not been accused or charged with any wrongdoing. In fact, he cooperated with the investigation: he gave interviews to agents of the Office of Attorney General and testified before the grand jury. It is with an abundance of caution that we have temporarily placed him on leave from ministry pending further clarification.

(Very) Reverend J. Patrick Quinn, T.O.R.