



DECREE

Designation of Jubilee 2025 Plenary Indulgence Sites Within the Diocese of Albany

Considering the fact that Pope Francis has called for an Ordinary Jubilee for the year 2025 within the universal Church and has desired that indulgences be available to the faithful during this year; and

Considering that the Apostolic Penitentiary has decreed that the Jubilee Indulgence can be obtained by pilgrimage to Jubilee sites and other designated sites, or by pious visits to Jubilee sites or other designated sites; and

Considering that the Apostolic Penitentiary, to provide local access to the benefits of a Jubilee Year for those who cannot travel to Rome, has authorized Bishops to designate sacred places within their diocese in addition to the Diocesan Cathedral in which the faithful can receive the Jubilee Indulgence; and

Considering that many of the faithful in the Diocese of Albany will not be able to travel to Rome during Jubilee Year and should not be denied access to the benefits of a Jubilee Year

Therefore,

Having considered the law and the facts, I, the undersigned Bishop of Albany, do hereby designate the following sites as Plenary Indulgence sites for the duration of the Jubilee Year 2025:

Rosa Mystica House of Prayer in Edmeston;

The National Shrine of Our Lady of Martyrs in Fultonville;

St. Kateri National Shrine and Historic Site in Fonda;

Our Lady of Knock Shrine in East Durham; and

The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Albany.

This Decree takes effect on the fifth day of February 2025.

Anything to the contrary notwithstanding.

Given at the Chancery of the Diocese of Albany on the fifth day of February 2025.

+Edward G. Sharfenberger
BISHOP OF ALBANY

Matthew R. Trisani
NOTARY