

ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF LANSING

Office of the Bishop 228 N. Walnut Street • Lansing, Michigan 48933

April 7, 2022

To whom it may concern:

A testimonial of good standing has been requested for Mr. Steve Ray, who has been invited to be a guest speaker at your event.

Enclosed is a letter from Mr. Ray's pastor, Fr. Ed Fride of Christ the King Parish, Ann Arbor, Michigan, in which he confirms that he is a parishioner in good standing.

In our internal diocesan review, Mr. Ray completed *Virtus* Safe Environment training on 3/02/2010. We obtained the results of criminal background check through the State of Michigan I-Chat system on 5/11/16. No record of criminal activity is found. Mr. Ray also signed a Code of Pastoral Conduct for the Diocese of Lansing on 4/09/2021.

I recommend him without any reservation.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Earl Boyce

Most Reverend Earl Boyea Bishop of Lansing

Valid through December 31, 2022