



April 24, 2019

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

On May 24th, I will be celebrating my 50th Anniversary of ordination as a priest. It will be an opportunity for me to gather together those who have been part of the mosaic of my priestly life and service since my arrival as Bishop of Saint John in June 2007.

Over the years, I have been involved in various ministries in the Archdiocese of Montreal, my home diocese, the Diocese of Sault Ste Marie, where I served as Auxiliary Bishop and now, in the Diocese Saint John. I also experienced life as a missionary in Mexico and the Canadian North. You have been part of my life for the past twelve years.

During this double Jubilee Year for me, as I celebrate 75 years of life and 50 years of priesthood, I am giving thanks to the Lord for his love and fidelity throughout all of these years.

I love being a priest and a bishop! It has been both a privilege and a grace to serve.

If you are able, may I have the joy of welcoming you as I remember and give thanks for the past and your place in it.

**You are cordially invited to the
50th Anniversary of my
Ordination to the Priesthood
Mass of Thanksgiving
Friday, May 24, 2019, at 12:10 pm
Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception
91 Waterloo Street, Saint John
A reception will follow
BEST WISHES ONLY**

Please continue to hold me in your heart and keep me in your prayers.

Sincerely,

✠ Robert Harris
Bishop of Saint John