The Diocese of Lubbock: Deaneries

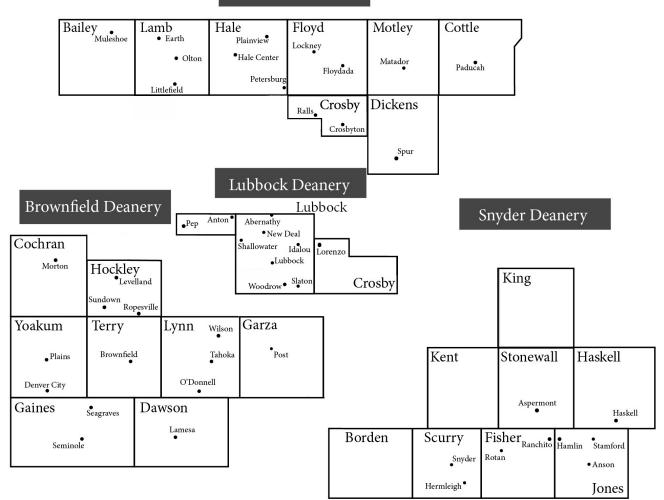
"In order to foster pastoral care through common action, several neighboring parishes can be joined together into special groups such as vicariates forane (deaneries). ...commonly called 'vicariates (deaneries)'. The vicariate is under the direction of a 'vicar (dean),' who represents the bishop and aids the various pastors and ministers in the area sharing pastoral resources." (Canon 374§2)

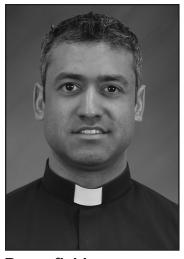
The division of the diocese into deaneries is not obligatory, but in large dioceses the bishop usually entrusts to certain priests known as "deans" or "vicars forane" the oversight of a portion of his diocese and generally delegates to them special jurisdictional powers during their term of office.

Because the Diocese of Lubbock covers such a large area (more than 23, 000 square miles) Bishop Robert Coerver, has established the Brownfield, Lubbock, Plainview, and Snyder Deaneries.

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Plainview Deanery





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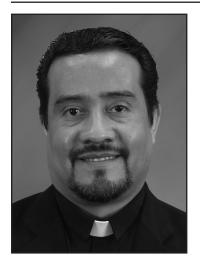


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Saint Anthony Plains Saint William Saint Margaret Mary Our Lady of Guadalupe Saint Michael Saint Ann Saint Pius X Wilson

Post Ropesville **Seagraves** Seminole Tahoka

Sacred Heart Holy Cross San Francisco De Asis Saint Paul Saint James Saint Jude Blessed Sacrament



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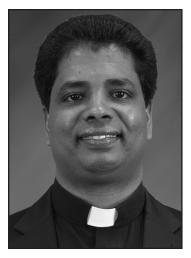
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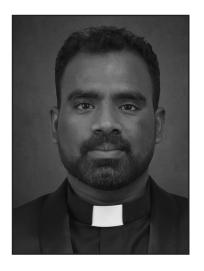
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The Diocese of Lubbock Annual Catholic Offering for Ministries Prayer

Take Lord, and receive, all my liberty, my memory, my understanding and my entire will -- all that I have and call my own.

You have given all to me.

To you, Lord, I return it.

Everything is yours, do with it as you will.

Give me only your love, and your grace.

That is enough for me.

Saint Ignatius Loyola