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FATHER JUAN GABRIEL ANDRÉS RENDÓN MEDINA

SUPERIOR OF THE PROVINCE OF MEXICO-CUBA-UNITED STATES



The Superior General, Fr Domenico Soliman appointed him to the post with a decree dated 8 May 2023.

Fr Gabriel Andrés, 50 years old, was born in Aguascalientes (Mexico) on 3 March 1973. He entered the Congregation in Mexico City on 14 August 1994; made his first religious profession on 5 August 2001 and his perpetual profession on 13 August 2005. He was ordained a priest on 5 August 2006 by His Eminence Cardinal Norberto Rivera Carrera.

After completing the Licentiate in Communication and Philosophy and theological studies in the Jesuits' *Centro de Estudios Teológicos*, in 2006, Fr Gabriel Andrés was placed in the Pauline Spirituality Center in Rome. He then participated in the Course on the Charism of the Pauline Family, of which he then became Coordinator until 2014, and did his specialization in Spirituality. He held courses at the *Teresianum* on Spirituality and Communication for two years. Back in Guadalajara, he directed the Lopez Velarde Institute and the Spirituality Center. In 2015, he was appointed Vice Bursar and Provincial Secretary, the latter position he has continued to hold to this day, together with the direction of the Center of Spirituality. For several years, he had been Delegate of the *Annunziatine*, of the *Gabrielini* and since 2022, also of the *Istituto Santa Famiglia*.

To Fr Gabriel Andrés, our renewed best wishes for a fruitful service.

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