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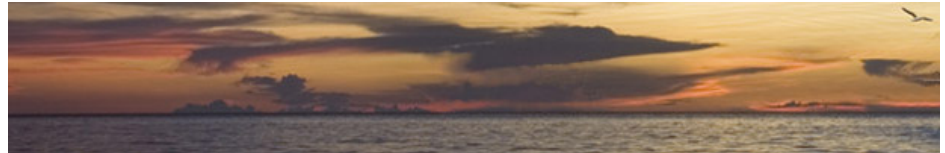
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List of Unsubstantiated Cases

The following is a list of Boston priests (living or deceased) as to whom publicized allegations were found unsubstantiated by the Review Board after a preliminary investigation or who were acquitted of publicized allegations after a canonical process. The decision was made to restrict the ministry of certain of these priests for other reasons concerning their suitability for ministry.

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Name	Year of Ordination	Status
Bourgault, Ronald L.	1963	Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted; Senior Priest
Buntel, Richard A.	1971	Found unsubstantiated; Restricted; Senior Priest
Byrne, Joseph F.	1969	Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted; Senior Priest
Chaisson, John C.	1966	Found unsubstantiated; Restricted; Senior Priest
Donnelly, Thomas D.	1961	Found unsubstantiated; Absent without permission since 1981; Restricted
Fichtner, Robert C.	1955	Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted; Senior Priest
Flynn, John H.	1955	Found unsubstantiated; Deceased (2011)
Foster, Michael Smith	1980	Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted
Hickey, Gerald J.	1963	Found unsubstantiated; Restricted; Senior priest
Jacques, Roger N.	1978	Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted
Johnson, Richard G.	1947	Found unsubstantiated; Restricted; Senior Priest
Kelley, Arnold E.	1956	Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted; Senior Priest
Keohan, Edward M.	1959	Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted; Senior Priest
Kirchmeyer, Robert W.	1952	Found unsubstantiated; Deceased (2008)
Lavoie, Victor C.	1971	Found unsubstantiated; Restricted; Senior Priest
Martin, Jon C.	1965	Found unsubstantiated; Restricted; Senior Priest
McDonagh, Edward C.	1962	Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted; Senior Priest
McLaughlin, John E.	1962	Found unsubstantiated; Restricted; Senior Priest
McPartland, Paul G.	1957	Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted; Senior Priest
Mendicoa, John M.	1967	Found unsubstantiated; Restricted; Senior Priest
Murphy, Charles J.	1960	Found unsubstantiated; Deceased (2011)
Murphy, David C.	1963	Found unsubstantiated; Restricted; Senior Priest
Picardi, John M., Jr.	1983	Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted; On medical

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Power, James F.	1962
Raux, Redmond M.	1982
Scanlan, William J.	1972
Sherry, Edward F.	1968
Sullivan, Eugene P.	1968
Vasaturo, Anthony J.	1955
Walsh, Martin J., Jr.	1974

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Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted
Found unsubstantiated; Deceased (2013)
Found unsubstantiated; Deceased (2011)
Found unsubstantiated; Not restricted
Found unsubstantiated; Restricted; Senior Priest
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