

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 57**

**WHEREAS**, we have been advised that on May 11, 2008, Msgr. James T. Telthorst will celebrate forty years in the priesthood; and

**WHEREAS**, Msgr. Telthorst was born and raised in North St. Louis City and County; and

**WHEREAS**, Msgr. Telthorst graduated from Laboure High School, received his bachelors degree from Cardinal Glennon College and masters degrees from Saint Louis University and Notre Dame University ; and

**WHEREAS**, Msgr. Telthorst is currently the Pastor of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish in St. Louis. His previous duties include being the full-time Associate Pastor at St. Ann Parish, full-time Religion Teacher at Prep Seminary North, Chaplain at the Sisters of Incarnate Word, part-time Associate Pastor at St. Adalbert Parish, part-time Associate Pastor at Corpus Christi Parish, part-time Associate Pastor at Most Holy Trinity Parish, Director of Office of Worship at the Archdiocese of St. Louis, Master of Ceremonies at the Cathedral of St. Louis and the Pastor at the Cathedral-Basilica of St. Louis ; and

**WHEREAS**, in previous years Msgr. Telthorst preached and directed various religious retreats for priests and laity and spent several years assisting with youth retreats; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1997, Msgr. Telthorst received the “Great Preacher Award” from Aquinas Institute; and

**WHEREAS**, Msgr. Telthorst has served as an instructor at Aquinas Institute, Paul VI Institute and Kenrick Seminary; and

**WHEREAS**, Msgr. Telthorst’s hobbies include electrical work and a love of music and dance; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to congratulate and recognize Msgr. James T. Telthorst on the occasion of his 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in the priesthood and we wish him continued success and achievement and we further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2008 by:

**Honorable Alfred Wessels, Jr., Alderman 13<sup>th</sup> Ward**

Honorable Fred Heitert, Alderman 12<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Stephen Gregali, Alderman 14<sup>th</sup> Ward

Honorable Donna Baringer, Alderwoman 16<sup>th</sup> Ward

Adopted this the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2008 as attested by:

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David W. Sweeney  
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

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Lewis E. Reed  
President, Board of Aldermen