

“A conversation with Fr. A. Gerard Jordan about Ministry and Evangelization of African Ancestry Catholics”

****All Are Welcome!****

Rev. Canon, A. Gerard Jordan, O. Praem.



Date: Saturday, November 6, 2021

Time: 10am – 12pm, starting with a Prayer Service

Location: St. Joseph Catholic Church / [St. Monica Parish Hall](#)
2811 Poole Road, Raleigh, NC 27610

Registration:

<https://forms.gle/njGtSV1ib1GPJJwS6>

Registration Deadline:

RSVP is requested by Thursday, Oct. 28, 2021

Refreshments:

Continental Breakfast

Contact or questions:

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- **The Reverend Canon, A. Gerard Jordan**, is a consecrated religious, a canon, and a priest of the Church with the Order of Canons Regular Prémontré. He is also a Titular Canon of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem and is entitled to the privileges of that office as he does the work of that ministry here in the America in all Catholic social settings and social justice circles. He is one of only four African American men in this country who are ordained canons and the only African American priest in the USA to be both a religious canon and a secular canon. This former Marine; previous business owner, and father of his now adult children, is also a proud grandfather. He will tell you that he is a student and servant of the liturgy more than he is a teacher. Being prepared for any good works is the charism that God has given all the sons of Saint Norbert and in their 900-year history as priest of the Church. He recently served in the Chicago Archdiocese in various capacities. Bishop Joseph N. Perry, Auxiliary Bishop of Chicago, in his role as Postulator for the Cause of the canonization of the Servant of God, Father Augustus Tolton, appointed Fr. Gerard as his Special Assistant to help with popularizing and promoting Father Tolton's Cause through public speaking events, educational programs and other endeavors. On November 1, 2020, he began a new assignment in the Diocese of Lafayette at St. Edward Catholic Church of New Iberia, Louisiana. He is also grateful to continue his work as the assistant to His Excellency, the Most Rev. Joseph N. Perry, as well. When asked, he says that the one thing that introduces him well is the fact that he is Leola Jordan's baby boy and a servant of his Mother, the Church.

***Also, the Life and Challenges of Fr. Augustus Tolton will be presented by Fr. Jordan
Sunday, November 7, 2021, 7:00pm at St. Michael the Archangel, Cary.
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