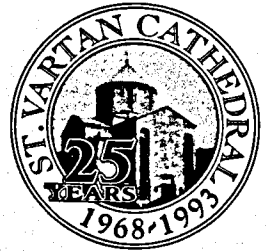




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Archbishop Khajag Barsamian, Primate



October 26, 1993

The Very Reverend Father Baret Yeretzian,  
Pastor  
St. John Armenian Church  
22001 Northern Highway  
Southfield, MI 48075

Dear Father Baret:

We are pleased to inform you that the Armenian Community in Ann Arbor, Michigan has been officially organized as a "Mission Parish" within the Eastern Diocese of the Armenian Church of America. Since this community falls within the jurisdictional territory of the St. John parish and has been guided by their leadership up to the formation of their own Parish Council which we have sanctioned, we wish to continue this harmonious relationship between them and the St. John parish as this new parish grows and develops.

Therefore, we appoint you as the President of the Parish Council of this new Mission Parish and are confident that under your leadership and guidance they shall grow into a strong community.

We ask that you periodically keep us apprised of the life and activity of the community. Wishing you every success in this new endeavor.

With prayers,

*Abp. K. Barsamian*

Archbishop Khajag Barsamian  
Primate

Enclosure

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