

June 3, 1987

The Reverend Father Vertanes Kalayjian  
Pastor and President of the Parish Council  
St. Mary Armenian Church  
4125 Fessenden Street N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20016

Dear Father Vertanes:

We are pleased to appoint you as the visiting pastor to the Armenian Church of Atlanta in Georgia, and are confident that your pastoral visits will be beneficial and rewarding to the Atlanta community.

You will be serving the Atlanta parish as the president of the appointed parish council, and we would expect you to visit Atlanta as often as four times a year to celebrate Divine Liturgy and perform the sacraments. These visits may be planned for weekdays. All expenses incurred by you for your visits to Atlanta will be assumed by the Diocese. Periodically we expect to receive your report and the minutes of the appointed Parish Council.

We pray that you will always be strengthened with God's love and guidance.

Prayerfully,

Archbishop Torkom Manoogian  
Primate

cc: Mrs. Lucy Murad,  
Parish Council Chairperson