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## Resignations and Appointments

Appointment of apostolic nuncio in Albania

Appointment of bishop of Saint-Claude, France

### Appointment of bishop of Saint-Claude, France

The Holy Father has appointed as bishop of Saint-Claude, France, the Reverend Jean-Luc Garin, of the clergy of the metropolitan archdiocese of Lille, until now parish priest of the Holy Trinity parish in Lambersart.

#### *Curriculum vitae*

Msgr. Jean-Luc Garin was born on 27 October 1969 in La Bassée, in the metropolitan archdiocese of Lille. He began his ecclesiastical formation in the *Séminaire de Lille* and then at the *Institut Catholique de Paris*, where he was awarded a licentiate in theology (2002-2006). He was awarded a master's degree in philosophy at the *Sorbonne Université* and a *Diplôme d'Études Approfondies* (DEA) in science of religions and intercultural phenomena.

He was ordained a priest on 29 June 1997 for the metropolitan archdiocese of Lille.

He has held the following offices: member of the pastoral group of the *Littoral Ouest-Grande-Synthe* (1997-1998); parish vicar of *Saint-Pierre – Saint-Paul* in Lille (1998-2006); parish priest of *Saint-Eloi en Pévèle et Mélantois à Seclin-Attiches* and professor at the *Séminaire de Lille* (2006-2012); diocesan head of permanent formation (2006-2015); rector of the *Séminaire de Lille* and member of the Episcopal Council (2012-2020); head of provincial formation to the permanent diaconate and secretary of the National Council of Major Seminaries (since 2016); parish priest of the *Holy Trinity* parish in Lambersart (from 2020 to the present).

**Appointment of apostolic nuncio in Albania**

The Holy Father has appointed Archbishop Luigi Bonazzi, titular of Atella and until now apostolic nuncio in Canada, as apostolic nuncio in Albania.

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