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Resignations and Appointments

Appointment of interim secretary of the Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development and delegate for the Vatican Covid-19 Commission

The Holy Father has appointed the Reverend Sr. **Alessandra Smerilli**, F.M.A., as interim secretary of the Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development and delegate for the Vatican Covid-19 Commission, replacing the Reverend Msgr. **Bruno Marie Duffé** and the Reverend **Augusto Zampini**, respectively secretary and adjunct secretary of the same Dicastery, both of whom have returned to their dioceses.

The Holy Father has therefore ordered that the direction of the Vatican Covid-19 Commission be composed of His Eminence Cardinal **Peter Kodwo Appiah Turkson**, prefect of the Dicastery for the Service of Integral Human Development, the Reverend Sr. **Alessandra Smerilli**, F.M.A., interim secretary, and Reverend Fr. **Fabio Baggio**, C.S., under-secretary of the Migrants and Refugees Section.