




Most Reverend John Joseph Myers
By the Grace of God and the Favor of the Apostolic See
Archbishop of Newark

DECREE OF RECOGNITION

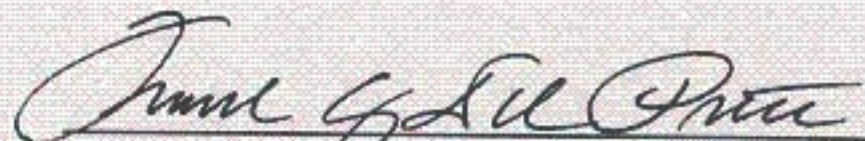
THE PEOPLE OF HOPE COMMUNITY, located in Plainfield, New Jersey, is a community comprised of baptized Catholic faithful whose purpose is to live a committed Catholic life and to witness to Christ in the ordinary situations of their lives, wishes to be recognized officially as a private association of the faithful by the Roman Catholic Church in order to provide canonical stability and permanence to the community.

The statutes of THE PEOPLE OF HOPE COMMUNITY have been reviewed and they are found to be in proper canonical order. In virtue of this decree, I hereby recognize THE PEOPLE OF HOPE COMMUNITY as a private association of the faithful.

It is understood that any changes in the statutes or nature of the association must be submitted to the Office of the Archbishop of Newark for approval prior to being implemented.



Given in the Archdiocese of Newark
on August 3, 2006


Reverend Monsignor Frank G. Del Prete, JCD
Notary