

Rev. Thomas R. Miller

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Father Thomas R. Miller has been a Priest in The Liberal Catholic Church and the Rector of St. Gabriel and All Angels from 1987 to present.

St. Gabriel and All Angels parish organization

- Founded newsletter, website, automated altar prayer list
- Established Vestry volunteer organization
- Established elected Board of Trustees
- Incorporated the church on March 27, 1990

Highlights of parish activities

- Frequently invites bishops to the parish for Sacraments and inspiration.
- Created and frequently presents courses for new and established members
 - Introduction to The LCC
 - Introduction to Holy Eucharist (based on The Work of Transformation)
 - The Angel Lecture: How the Angels Cooperate with Humans in Divine Worship
- Organized and led local retreats 2005, 2007

Fairfield Community Leadership

- Liaison between Fairfield Area Ministerial Organization (FAMA) ministers and Maharishi University of Management Vice President Craig Pearson
- Often called upon to speak at community events, e.g. dedication of pet shelter, Habitat for Humanity house dedication, tragic events – memorials, suicides.
- Member of FAMA since 1990. Past President, currently Vice President.

Province of the USA

- Participated in Provincial Triennial meetings at Our Lady Queen of Angels in 1999, 2004, 2011, and 2014.
- Organized and led TLCC Retreats at Shalom Retreat Center in Dubuque, Iowa in 2001, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2012, and 2013. These were attended by +Downey, +Smith, +Lloyd, +Cabigting, +Green and many clergy and members from around the province.
- Attended 75th Anniversary of The LCC at Ojai, California

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International

- The LCC Centennial Celebration February 2016, authored and co-presented with Donna Miller: *Stone Upon Stone: Building your membership with The Liberal Catholic Heritage of Wisdom*
- Established the early LCIS course website, 2007
- Co-secretary to GES 9, 1988, Woudschoten, Netherlands

Ordinations

Priest:	December 5 th , 1987	+Lawrence J. Smith
Deacon:	March 21 st , 1987	+Lawrence J. Smith
Subdeacon:	October 4 th , 1986	+Raja E. Watson
Acolyte:	May 3 rd , 1986	+Raja E. Watson
Exorcist:	May 3 rd , 1986	+Raja E. Watson
Reader:	May 3 rd , 1986	+Raja E. Watson
Doorkeeper:	May 3 rd , 1986	+Raja E. Watson
Cleric:	June 16 th , 1985	+Lawrence J. Smith
Confirmed:	April 27 th , 1985	+Lawrence J. Smith
Baptized:	April 26 th , 1985	Fr. David Kokochak

Secular career

- Established Miller Associates, Inc. in 2000. Software safety, quality and regulatory consultant to the medical device industry.
- Manufacturing and software engineer in medical device industry 1980-2000.
- Director of the Northern California Academy of the Science of Creative Intelligence, residential Transcendental Meditation course facility; occupancy of 200; 1977-79.
- Full time teacher of Transcendental Meditation from 1972-79. Founded a successful TM center. Taught residence courses, trained teachers.

Education

1977	MERU, Seelisberg, Switzerland	BSci Creative Intelligence
1973	Macomb Community College, Michigan	AA Liberal Arts

Acknowledgement: A rector achieves only by the generous support of many bishops, brother clergy, servers, musicians, trustees, members, community well wishers, as well as his own family. And this is as it should be, as the church is a training ground where we learn to practice the love that Our Lord has taught us to share with the world.