

DIOCESE OF DALLAS

RESCRIPT GRANTING PERMISSION TO USE THE NAME CATHOLIC

Conscious of my duty and right to be watchful so that no harm is done to the faith or morals of the Christian faithful through the use of the name Catholic by associations, and

Having been asked by Dr. Jeffrey Thompson, M.D. and Dr. Myra Thompson, M.D. for permission to use the name Catholic in association with the work of St. Paul Medical Clinic, which I find poses no threat to the faith or morals of the faithful,

I, the undersigned Bishop of Dallas, according to Canon 300 of the 1983 Code of Canon Law, hereby grant the request of Dr. Jeffrey Thompson, M.D. and Dr. Myra Thompson, M.D. to use the name Catholic in association with the work of St. Paul Medical Clinic. In particular, St. Paul Medical Clinic is permitted to present itself as a Catholic organization, though it is not permitted to present itself as an entity of the Diocese of Dallas.

Should St. Paul Medical Clinic act in a way incongruous with the magisterium of the Catholic Church, this permission may be revoked by me or one of my successors in office. This permission remains valid until it is revoked by me or one of my successors in office.

Given in Dallas, August 5, 2022.

Most Reverend Edward J. Burns Bishop of Dallas

Gregory Caridi Chancellor