

# **Hospital Catholic Priest Chaplain**

## **Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston, TX**

### **Summary**

The Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston seeks a Hospital Catholic Priest Chaplain for The Hospital Catholic Chaplain Corps (CCC), an office of the of the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston. The CCC serves the Texas Medical Center (TMC,) in Houston, Texas, the largest medical city in the world and home to the world's largest children's hospital and the world's largest cancer hospital. The TMC is comprised of primarily eight large hospitals, encountering 10 million a year, 9,200 beds, and employs over 106,000 health care workers.

The Hospital Priest Chaplain is crucial for Catholic healthcare ensuring that the spiritual needs of patients, residents, families, and staff are tended to and by contributing to a culture of holistic care. He is responsible for serving sacramental needs of Roman Catholic patients 24/7, presiding at Mass, and providing counseling on church teaching. Candidates must be a Catholic priest in good standing.

The Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston is a multicultural Church with active members from every continent of the world. We pray and celebrate in over 14 languages in 146 parishes. We participate in activities of social justice, support the good works of persons in other countries, prepare our children and young people to be responsible members of the community, and we do all this in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

### **Education and Experience**

- Master of Divinity or equivalent degree
- 1-3 years of Spiritual Care experience, including accredited ACPE training, is required.
- Board Certified Chaplain (BCC) preferred: APC or NACC
- Completion of 4 units of ACPE accredited education preferred

Suitable candidates should send resume to [resume@archgh.org](mailto:resume@archgh.org) with Hospital Catholic Priest Chaplain on subject line.