



CONGREGATIO
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Prot. N. 20100682

Mrs. Laurie D. Haas *et al*
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Dear Mrs. Haas,

This Congregation writes in reference to the hierarchical recourse placed against the decree issued on 8 October, 2008 by the Most Reverend Timothy McDonnell, Bishop of Springfield, regarding the amalgamation of the parish of St. Stanislaus Kostka, Springfield, Massachusetts, and resultant closure of the parish church. We wish to inform you that it has been necessary to extend the time limits involved.

This Dicastery, by virtue of article 136 of the *General Regulations of the Roman Curia*, hereby extends the time limits (CIC can. 57) for the recourse until August 30, 2010 in order to reach a studied decision in this matter. In the meantime, please inform this Congregation should some development have taken place in the matter.

I take this opportunity to renew my sentiments of esteem and with every best wish, I remain,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

✠Mauro Piacenza
Titular Archbishop of Vittoriana
Secretary