



NEWLY ELECTED CBCN OFFICERS

24 FEBRUARY 2026

I. Principal Officers

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| 1. President | Most Rev. Matthew NDAGOSO | KADUNA |
| 2. Vice-President | Most Rev. Alfred MARTINS | LAGOS |
| 3. Secretary | Most Rev. Peter ODETOYINBO | ABEOKUTA |
| 4. Assistant Secretary | Most Rev. Peter CHUKWU | ABAKALIKI |

II. Departmental Chairmen

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| 5. Church & Society | Most Rev. Callistus ONAGA | ENUGU |
| 6. Pastoral Agents | Most Rev. Isaac DUGU | KATSINA-ALA |
| 7. Mission and Dialogue | Most Rev. Godfrey ONAH | NSUKKA |
| 8. Pastoral Affairs | Most Rev. Emmanuel BADEJO | OYO |
| 9. Social Communications | Most Rev. Gerald MUSA | KATSINA |

III. Board Chairmen

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| 10. Finance Council | Most Rev. Anselm UMOREN , MSP | AUX. ABUJA |
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11.	Veritas University	Most Rev. Augustine ECHEMA	ABA
12.	CIWA	Most Rev. Anthony EWHERIDO	WARRI
13.	CCFN	Most Rev. Callistus ONAGA	ENUGU
14.	Opus Securitatis	Most Rev. John OYEJOLA	OSOGBO
15.	PMS	Most Rev. Patrick ELUKE	P/HARCOURT
16.	Commission on Mission	Most Rev. Donatus OGUN, OSA	UROMI

IV. Chairmen of Committees

A. Pastoral Affairs

17.	Liturgy	Most Rev. Emmanuel BADEJO	OYO
18.	Canon Law	Most Rev. Ernest OBODO	AUX. ENUGU
19.	Pilgrimages / Synods & Congresses	Most Rev. Christopher NASERI	AUX. CALABAR
20.	Religious Education / Biblical / Catechesis	Most Rev. Moses CHIKWE	AUX. OWERRI
21.	Inculturation / Translation	Most Rev. Anselm LAWANI	ILORIN
22.	Theology	Most Rev. John NIYIRING	KANO
23.	Ethics	Most Rev. Paulinus EZEOKAFOR	AWKA
24.	New Evangelisation	Most Rev. Habila DABOH	ZARIA

B. Pastoral Agents

25.	Clergy	Most Rev. Isaac DUGU	KATSINA-ALA
26.	Religious & Consecrated Life	Most Rev. Simeon NWOBI	AHIARA
27.	Laity	Most Rev. Wilfred ANAGBE	MAKURDI
28.	Seminaries	Most Rev. Francis ADESINA	IJEBU-ODE
29.	Youths	Most Rev. Michael Kalu UKPONG	UMUAHIA

C. Mission and Dialogue

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| 30. | Mission | Most Rev. Godfrey ONAH | NSUKKA |
| 31. | Ecumenism | Most Rev. Stephen MAMZA | YOLA |
| 32. | Interreligious Dialogue | Most Rev. John BAKENI | AUX. MAIDUGURI |

D. Church & Society

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| 33. | JDPC | Most Rev. Callistus ONAGA | ENUGU |
| 34. | Health | Most Rev. Julius KUNDI | KAFANCHAN |
| 35. | Education | Most Rev. David AJANG | LAFIA |
| 36. | Family & Human Life | Most Rev. Mark NZUKWEIN | WUKARI |
| 37. | Refugees & Migrants | Most Rev. Sylvester GOPEP | AUX. MINNA |

V. Chaplaincies

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| 38. | Military Chaplaincy | Most Rev. Thomas OBIATEUGWU | AUX. ORLU |
| 39. | Police Chaplaincy | Most Rev. Yohanna BULUS | KOTANGORA |

VI. Additional Members to Boards

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| 40. | Finance Council | Most Rev. Oliver DOEME | MAIDUGURI |
| 41. | Finance Council | Most Rev. Michael ELUE | ISELLE UKU |
| 42. | CCFN | Most Rev. Augustine UKWUOMA | ORLU |
| 43. | CCFN | Most Rev. William AVENYA | GBOKO |

Signed

Rev. Fr. Michael Nsikak Umoh

National Director of Social Communications
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