## **PARISH** I CIH IN BANGHIAM?

Pawlpi *Code of Canon Law* sunga honghilh na ah, Parish i cih in Christian thu ummi pawlkhat kigawm in, tuucing (pastor ahih kei leh parish priest) khat ii khutsung ah aki ap, *diocese* akici Siadaw ukgam acing akem Siadawpi pa ii ukna nuai a, a om pawlpi khenno khat ahihi.

Can. 515 §1. A parish is a certain community of the Christian faithful stably constituted in a particular church, whose pastoral care is entrusted to a pastor (parochus) as its proper pastor (pastor) under the authority of the diocesan bishop.

Tua banah Parish khat i cih pen, thuzui mite utthu, deihthu a akipia leh, aki phuankhia, aki hongkhia hilo in, phuatkhiat theihna thuneihna anei ahi *diocesan bishop* akici Siadaw ukgam acing akem Siadawpi pa bek in, phuankhia thei, phiat kikthei hi. Ahi zongin tua banga anasep na ah, amah (diocesan bishop) in *presbyteral council* aki ci, tua *diocese* sunga om Siampi te kipawlna ii amuhna, angaihsutna leh adeihna te hoihtak ngaimasa dinghi.

Can 515§2. It is only for the diocesan bishop to erect, suppress, or alter parishes. He is neither to erect, suppress, nor alter notably parishes, unless he has heard the presbyteral council.

Hih atunga thu te in, Parish i cih banghiam cih Canon Law sunga honghilhna i etna hi-in, i bulphuh in, hih Canon Law khiatna agennuam ihi kei a, Parish i cih bangci telding i hiam cih a ennuam ihi zaw hi. Parish i cih in, thu ummi te pawlkhat kigawm in, amau te pen Siampi khat ii khut sungah ki ap hi, ci hi. Bang hangin, Siampi khutsungah ki ap sese hiam? (Canon Law pen Law khiatna Law thugen in agen ihih lohna thu iki phawksak kikkik nuam hi). Banghanghiam cihleh khatbek ahi (one), asiangtho (holy), mikhempeuh tawh akisai gupkhiatna

bucing (*catholic*<sup>1</sup>) ahi, Nungzuipi te tungpan kitatsatna omlo in (*apostolic*) hongki zomsuk Christu Topa hongpiak nuntakna thu pen, Parish akici thu ummi te pawlkhat kigawmna ah apicingtakin a om theihna'ng ahihi. Lamkhatpanin genleng, Parish i cih in, gupkhiatna bucing nuntakpihna mun cihna ahihi. Tua gupkhiatna bucing pen thuzui mite in nisim in anun takpihtheih nadingun, tua gupkhiatna thupha te apiasawn ding, ahawmsawn ding, agenkhia ding, alakkhia ding Siampi pa khutsungah aki ap ahihi.

Hih thuhangin, Parish ihcih in thuzui mite pumkhat leh pawlkhat suahna akilah khiatna mun hi-in, Pawlpi cih akhiatna i muh theihpenna zong ahihi. Parish pen kipawlna mawk mawk (associations) hilo hi. Ei thangahna zui a phuattawm theih ahi kipawl nate (charism zui a kipawlna ahi, khangno kipawlna, nupi kipawlna, thungen pawl kipawl na cih kipawl na tuamtuam te in Parish ii khiatna mialsak leh sel theilo dinghi.) leh Parish kibang thei lo hi. Parish i cih in, tua Parish huamsunga om mikhempeuh te tawh kisai in, amau te akem Siampipa tawh pumkhat asuahna uh hangin, Pawlpi akici, khat bek ahi, Topa phuatsa Pawlpi tawh pumkhat, cikhat, sakhat, guikhat, khuakhat in kizomin, kihual na mun ahihi.

Hih thu hangin, *parishioners* aki ci, parish sunga om thuzui mite in, Parish pan bangngahding cih lamet natawh angak te hilo in, parish bangci picing sakding, Pasian mai le

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Catholic cih pen universal cihna hiziau lo hi. Catholic cih pen mikhempeuhtawh akisai gupkhiatna bucing (Catholic or Catholicity means the fullness of saving truth present and open everywhere) cih na ahihi. Catholic pen mikang pau hilo in, universal tawh akhiatna kibang thei ngeilo hi. Ahi zongin, Catholic cih kammal khiatna sungah, universal cih kihel hibek hi. Tuhun ciangin, Catholic pen universal tawh akhiatna akibanglian dan in atelkhial mitampi om thei hi (Theologically, the meaning of 'Catholic' is much deeper and broader than that of 'universal'. There cannot be an identification of meaning between the two words. The term 'Catholic' has a meaning of 'universal', but is not identical.).

mite mai ah, hih parish in bangci bangin, khatbek ahi, asiangtho, mi khempeuh tawh akisai gupkhiatna bucing ahi, Nungzuipi te tungpan hongki zomsuk Pawlpi ii Pasian nasep na bangci in kilangsakthei ding i hiam ci-in, khut khat khai, khe khat khai a, mapankhawmna, nasepkhawmna, mun ahihi. Hih banga ma panga nasepna ah eimau mun, eimau vaipuak ciat (according to one's role) ah maliam na omlo a, ma panciat ding ahihi.