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Subject: Important Update Regarding the Distribution of the New Konkani

Missal

Dear Bishops, Fathers, and Sisters,

Greetings from the Commission for Liturgy in Konkani.

We are writing to provide you with an update regarding the newly published Konkani Missal. Initially, we had planned to dispatch the missals to your respective parishes and communities by June 1, 2026.

Please be assured that the missals are currently at the press, and the production process is underway.

However, the press department has recently informed us that printing and distribution will face an unavoidable delay. This is due to a sudden shortage of essential printing materials, directly caused by the current wartime situation and related global supply chain hindrances.

Consequently, the distribution of the missals has been rescheduled and will now take place in July 2026. We are closely monitoring the situation with the press and will promptly update you on any further progress.

We sincerely apologize for any inconvenience this delay may cause. We deeply appreciate your understanding, patience, and continued cooperation during this time.

Yours sincerely,

Fr. Vijay Machado

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