

TIMELINE OF DOCUMENTS REGARDING VINCENT SILVESTRI¹

5/30/64 – Ordained

5/26/81 Appointed Associate Pastor at St. Matthias Parish in Milwaukee, WI effective June 16, 1981. (46221)

6/16/81 – Associate Pastor, St. Matthias Parish, Milwaukee, WI

5/31/83 Appointed Associate Pastor at St. Dominic Parish in Brookfield, WI effective June 28, 1983. (46220)

6/28/83 – Associate Pastor, St. Dominic Parish, Brookfield, WI

6/30/86 Vicar Log Entry No. 336. Sklba met with Silvestri to discuss issues of sexuality and depression. (18088)

4/12/88 Vicar Log Entry No. 321. Sklba spoke with Silvestri about his sabbatical. Silvestri indicated a willingness to seek a week's special assessment either through St. Luke's Institute in Maryland or through St. Barnabas Center in Oconomowoc. Sklba promised him to send information. (18088)

6/21/89 Vicar Log Entry No. 658. Silvestri called to report that there were allegations of a sexual relationship between Silvestri and other adult males. Silvestri acknowledged a friendship with the men, but denied involvement with either of the men. (46241)

1/7/92 Personnel Report – Silvestri writes (regarding the development of continuing education programs): "I believe we need to give some attention to the vast area of 'dysfunction' esp. in relationship to the institutional church and dysfunctional behavior." (18028-18029)

2/18/93 Silvestri retires from ministry after suffering a stroke. (46180)

10/30/93 – Retires

2/4/94 Vicar Log Entry No. 44. Weakland and Sklba met with an unknown survivor (redacted) to discuss allegations of abuse against Silvestri from the late 1960's and early 1970's. After a long conversation, Sklba "agreed to make sure that the allegation of sexual misconduct be placed in Vince's formal file with an appropriate restriction of his public ministry." (46235)

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- 2/16/94 Vicar Log Entry No. 211. Venne talked with Silvestri's speech therapist, who wants to find something for Silvestri to do. The speech therapist suggested he talk with school children, but Silvestri was not comfortable with this. (46235)
- 4/2/94 Vicar Log Entry No. 203. Sklba met with Silvestri, survivor, survivor's wife, and survivor's parent to discuss the allegations against Silvestri. The individual wanted clarification regarding his negotiated settlement and whether it would allow him to share name of the priest involved. He also asked for written letter of apology from the Archdiocese. (46234)
- 2/17/95 Sexual Abuse Intake Report – A man reports that Silvestri attempted to seduce him during time period '76-'77, when he was 19-20. (123896)
- 5/25/95 Letter from Weakland to Silvestri saying that due to the allegations against him. Weakland must take precautions and restrict his ministry. Refers to an enclosed document listing Silvestri's restrictions. (46226)
- 10/31/96 Letter from Rev. Barbian to Silvestri forwarding a copy of a job description for a part time campus minister position at Mt. Mary College. (46176)
- 7/17/00 – Deceased