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The **Old Roman Catholic Church in North America** descends from the North American Old Roman Catholic Church founded by [Archbishop Carmel Henry Carfora](#). Archbishop [Richard Arthur Marchenna](#) consecrated Robert Alfred Burns in 1961. Burns left Marchenna in 1963. That year he joined with Archbishop Wilfred A. Barrington-Evans of the Old Roman Catholic Church (English Rite) and began using that designation. He was appointed Archbishop of [Chicago](#) by Barrington-Evans.

At some point the church's name was changed to the "Old Roman Catholic Church in North America." Upon Burns' death he was succeeded by Andrew Gordon Johnston-Cantrell of [Toronto](#) who was succeeded by [Francis Peter Facione](#). Facione moved the Church headquarters to [Detroit, Michigan](#) and then to [Louisville, Kentucky](#) where it is now. The Archbishop Facione appoints: In 1999 Luke Amadeo, Bishop of the French Antilles and in 2002 George De Saint Hirst, Bishop of France. Currently Bishop George De Saint Hirst is the President of the Episcopal College of the Old Roman Catholic Church in France.

Archbishops

- May 1963 - 20 April 1974: Robert Alfred Burns
- 1974 - 5 January 1975: Andrew Gordon Johnson-Cantrell
- 12 April 1975 - present: [Francis Peter Facione](#)

List of bishops old roman catholic church

- ADAMS Raphael J - 1989 04 February by Mgr Francis P Facione / ORCCNA / Emeritus
 AMADEO Luke - 1994 04 October by Mgr Edgar Ramon Verostek / ORCC / West Indies / Diocesan
 AMVELLA Martin - 2011 01 Oct by Denis Ngodobo / ORCC LR Cameroon / Auxiliary
 BERRIER Gérard - 2013 05 January by George de St Hirst / OASJ France / Co-adjutor
 CHARLESWORTH Martin - 2012 25 November by Mgr Jerome Lloyd / ORCC Europe / Emeritus
 CORLEY Pius - 2009 27 Oct by Boniface Grosvold / ORCC LR Texas / Metropolitan
 DE ST HIRST George - 2002 24 May by Luke Amadéo / OASJ France / Superior general - Président du collège épiscopale de France
 DUNLEAVY Patrick - 2010 26 Aug by Boniface Grosvold / ORCC LR Canada / Retired
 EULER Richard J - 2007 17 Feb by John J Humphreys / ORCC Caer Glow / Auxiliary
 FACIONE Francis P - 1974 30 November by Mgr A G Johnston-Cantrell / ORCCNA / Diocesan
 FREITAS António - 2012 05 May by Boniface Grosvold / ORCC LR Europe / Metropolitan
 FORD Edward J - 1978 30 May by Mgr Jame E Burns / NAORCC New England / Metropolitan
 FUCCI David B - 2013 21 April by Mgr Boniface Grosvold / ORCC / Military Vicariate Ordinary
 GANNON Beldon E - 1985 11 May by Mgr Edward J Ford / NAORCC New England / Diocesan
 GROSVOLD Boniface - 1974 20 by July Edward C Payne / ORCC LR Canada / Primate
 HALL Bobby C - 2015 14 September by Mgr Joseph Vellone / NAORCC Utrecht Succ. / Co-adjutor
 HERRERA-LaFAVRE Terrence - 2006 04 Nov by Charles Finn / ORCC LR California / Metropolitan
 HUMPHREYS John J - 1975 24 May by G George Shelley / ORCC Caer Glow / Primate
 HERNANDEZ Chris M - 1989 by Mgr Joseph Vellone / NAORCC Utrecht Succ. / Emeritus
 KING Patrick H - 1993 05 June by Mgr Francis P Facione / ORCCNA Western / Co-adjutor
 LEWINS Douglas T - 1991 03 April by Mgr Carl Howard / ORCC GB / Metropolitan
 LLOYD Jerome - 2012 05 May by Mgr Boniface Grosvold / ORCC Europe / Metropolitan
 MAROCHI John G - 2010 31 July by Boniface Grosvold / ORCC Florida / Metropolitan
 NGODOBO Denis - 2011 09 Apr by Boniface Grosvold / ORCC LR Cameroon / Metropolitan
 NGOUMOU-MANGA Bernard-M. - 2014 29 november by Gérard Berrier / OASJ / Auxiliary
 MYERS William - 2012 15 October by Mgr Boniface Grosvold / ORCCAmerica / Metropolitan
 ONDIGUI-ESSOMBA Michel-M - 1e 29 novembre 2014 by Gérard Berrier / OASJ / Auxiliary
 PARRISH Michael - 2012 16 Dec by Terence Herrera-LaFavre / ORCC LR California / Diocesan
 PERSYN David PP - 2014 09 August by Mgr Charles Walders / OCCA / Diocesan
 PLANT Irvin Nicholas - 2011 15 October by Mgr Edward T Ford / NAORCC South East / Emeritus
 PLEAU Henry - 1974 21 September by Mgr Walter Xavier Brown / OCCA / Emeritus
 RÔGGLA Jonas - 2012 25 November by Mgr Jerome Lloyd / ORCC Europe / Metropolitan
 ROJAS Hector Manuel - 2008 04 July by Omar G Rojas / ORCC LR Colombia / Auxiliary
 VELLONE Joseph A - 1985 10 August by Mgr Edgar Ramon Verostek / NAORCC. / Metropolitan
 WALDERS Charles - 2013 15 October by Mgr Henry Pleau / OCCA / TBA
 WATERBURY Denis - 2002 19 Oct by Mgr Boniface Grosvold / ORCC America / Emeritus
 WHITE Charles S J - 1994 by Mgr Joseph Andrew Lawrence Vellone TBA
 WESTON-SMART Howard - 1994 13 August by Mgr Douglas T Lewins / ORCC GB / Auxilary
 WOOD Irvine N - TBA / NAORCC/
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References



Most Rev. Romeo R. Rabusa, MASN, D.D. was received in a Consecration Rite of the Old Roman Catholic Church under the North American Old Roman Catholic Church – Utrecht Succession jurisdiction on February 19, 2019 at Santo Nino Catholic Community (SNCC) Worship Center 3206 West Melvin Street, Phoenix, Arizona.

His Grace, **Archbishop Chris M. Hernandez, D.D.**, Coadjutor Archbishop with the Perpetual Right of Succession was the main Celebrant and with **His Grace, Archbishop Joseph A. Vellone, D.D.** Presiding Archbishop, **His Grace, Bishop Bobby C. Hall, D.D.**, and His Grace, **Bishop Michael Goddard, D.D.**, Chancellor, as co-consecrators.