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Resignations and Appointments

Appointment of bishop of Malakal, South Sudan

The Holy Father Francis has appointed as bishop of the diocese of Malakal, South Sudan, the Rev. **Stephen Nyodho Ador Majwok**, of the clergy of Malakal, currently vicar general of the same diocese.

The bishop-elect was born in 1973 in Andong, diocese of Malakal, South Sudan, and was ordained a priest in 2005. He holds a doctorate in moral theology from the Pontifical University of Saint Thomas Aquinas. He has served in a number of pastoral roles, including parish vicar and parish priest of the *Christ the King* Cathedral in Malakal, director of the diocesan pastoral centre, chaplain for young people, member of the diocesan college of consultors, and member of the diocesan investment group.