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## NEWS RELEASE

**Archbishop John C. Wester to Ordain  
One Seminarian to the Priesthood  
Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi  
131 Cathedral Place, Santa Fe, NM 87501  
Saturday, May 27, 2023 | 10 a.m.**

ALBUQUERQUE – Friday, May 27, 2023—IMMEDIATE RELEASE—Most Reverend John C. Wester, Archbishop of Santa Fe, will ordain one seminarian to the priesthood in the Roman Catholic Church, Saturday, May 27, 2023, at 10 a.m. at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi in Santa Fe.

Reverend Mister Cameron Degani will be ordained a Roman Catholic priest in the Archdiocese of Santa Fe. The ceremony, celebrated by Archbishop Wester, will be a solemn and momentous occasion attended by fellow clergy members, family, friends, and members of the parish. With prayers, laying on of hands, and the invocation of the Holy Spirit, Deacon Degani will receive the sacrament of Holy Orders, becoming a conduit for God's grace and embodying the teachings of the Church.

### **Biography provided by the Archdiocese of Santa Fe Office of Vocations**



**Deacon Cameron Degani** is from St. Thomas Aquinas University Parish (Newman Center) in Albuquerque, NM. He attended the University of New Mexico, where he studied Chemical Engineering. He experienced God's call to discern the priesthood in his second year of studies. God continued to move his heart to be excited to celebrate Mass, hear confessions, and walk with people in their faith journeys. Over the years, he has been able to experience the beauty of our parishes and people throughout the archdiocese. He looks forward to serving in priestly ministry in the Archdiocese of Santa Fe beginning this summer.

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