

## Deacon Maurice N. Milne, III



"I believe God's call has become stronger, more defined, and peaceful. There is a quiet, calm feeling and I am joyful about serving others – in reflecting and proclaiming the Word in actions and words and bringing charity to others at work, in the parish, and in the community."

Deacon Maurice Milne, his wife Susan, and their children are parishioners at St. Agatha in Columbus where he is assigned as deacon. His internship parishes were St. Andrew and St. Agatha in Columbus.

"I feel called to minister to the sick and dying—caring for them, praying with them and for them – much of this involves what I call a ministry of presence," said Deacon Milne.

Deacon Milne is a nurse anesthetist who is comfortable ministering to individuals and families facing illness and death. "I have incorporated my diaconal ministry into the work place by being a witness and herald in my actions and words," said Deacon Milne.

"As an ordained deacon, I look forward to bringing the presence of Christ to my job – taking care of patients in need and the poor in a unique way," said Deacon Milne.

"I am ready to share my talents and gifts, proclaim the Gospel in the parish, workplace, community, and world – while doing so from the perspective of a married person and a father."