

City of Boston IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION OF CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT MICHAEL P. ROSS ON BEHALF OF THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL

- WHEREAS:** Father John Furey is celebrating his 50th year as Redemptorist Priest at the Mission Church; and
- WHEREAS:** Father Furey grew up in Mission Hill, in a very large Irish family. Father Furey was ordained in 1960; and
- WHEREAS:** Shortly after, he travelled to Puerto Rico to continue his ministry. He has also done work in the Dominican Republic, St. Croix and the U.S. Virgin Islands; and
- WHEREAS:** Father Furey has now been in the United States for more than 20 years, with his main ministry being geared to people of Hispanic decent; and
- WHEREAS:** Father Furey has made his ministry his number one priority, holding services for the youth and elderly and always making himself available for whoever needs him; **NOW THEREFORE BE IT**
- RESOLVED:** That the Boston City Council congratulates Father John Furey for his 50th anniversary of priesthood and his enthusiasm and energy for the ministry and hopes that Father Furey continues to prosper in future endeavors.

In City Council **ADOPTED**

JUN 23 2010

Rossaria Salerno
CITY CLERK

By: *Michael P. Ross*
President of the City Council

Attest: *[Signature]*
Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: *[Signature]*

Date: _____