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湯漢主教簡介

湯漢助理主教一九三九年生於香港；一九六六年於羅馬由教宗保祿六世祝聖為司鐸，隸屬香港教區；一九六九年獲羅馬宗座傳信大學神學博士學位，並於一九七九年獲香港中文大學哲學碩士學位；一九七零年起至今，先後在教區大修院及聖神修院神哲學院任教；一九八零年至今，為專責研究中國天主教會問題的聖神研究中心之主任；一九九二年至今，為香港教區副主教；一九九六年十二月九日晉牧，成為香港教區輔理主教；二零零八年一月三十日獲任命為香港教區助理主教；二零零九年四月十六日接替退休的陳日君樞機，出任香港教區主教。

INTRODUCING BISHOP JOHN TONG

The Most Rev. John Tong Hon was born in Hong Kong in 1939. In 1966 he was ordained priest in Rome by Pope Paul VI, for the Diocese of Hong Kong. He holds a Doctorate in Theology from the Pontifical Urbaniana University, Rome, and a Master's Degree in Philosophy from The Chinese University of Hong Kong. He has taught at the diocesan major seminary and then at the Holy Spirit Seminary College since 1970. From 1980 till now, he has been the Director of the Holy Spirit Study Centre, a diocesan office that studies issues related to the Catholic Church in China. He has been Vicar General since 1992. He was ordained Auxiliary Bishop of Hong Kong on 9 December 1996 (with Titular See of Bossa). He was appointed Coadjutor Bishop of Hong Kong on 30 January 2008. On 16 April 2009 he succeeds Cardinal Joseph Zen, SDB, who has retired, as Bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Hong Kong.

- *Bishop Tong's official photo can be downloaded from www.hkdavc.com/bishopjohnhong.html*
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