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Jay Brown Named Director of Office of Justice and Peace

Richmond, VA (February 23, 2010)...**Jason “Jay” Brown** is the new director of the Office of Justice and Peace (OJP) of the Catholic Diocese of Richmond. He will direct all aspects of OJP from the Commonwealth Catholic Charities offices in Richmond, VA.

“I’m excited about the challenges and opportunities this ministry will provide me,” said Brown.

Mr. Brown comes to the Diocese of Richmond from Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Washington where he was Program Manager of the Parish Partners Program.

Mr. Brown is a graduate of Villanova University in Villanova, Pennsylvania. During his time at Villanova, Mr. Brown attended the School for International Training in Cape Town, South Africa. He will receive a Master of Theological Studies from Washington Theological Union in Washington, D.C. this spring.

A photo of Brown is available at www.cccovva.org/news_corner/pr/index.html.

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