

# Lithuanian Archbishop Grušas is the new CCEE President

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Archbishop Gintaras Grušas of Vilnius, President of the Lithuanian Bishops' Conference, is the new President of the Council of European Bishops' Conferences (CCEE). He was elected by the Presidents of the Bishops' Conferences of Europe, gathered together in Rome for their Plenary Assembly.

H.E. Monsignor **Gintaras Grušas**, 60, takes over as president from Italian Cardinal Angelo Bagnasco, who led CCEE from 2016 to 2021.

The two new Vice Presidents were also elected: Cardinal **Jean-Claude Hollerich**, Archbishop of Luxembourg, and H.E. Monsignor **Ladislav Német**, President of the International Bishops' Conference of Saints Cyril and Methodius in Belgrade.