

## Most. Rev. Dr. Appasinghe Paul Perera — 5<sup>th</sup> Bishop of Kandy



- Born: 26th November 1913.
  - Place of birth: Alton, Maskeliya, Nuwara Eliya District, Sri Lanka
  - Ordained Priest: 24th July 1939.
  - Assistant Parish Priest, Gampola – 1939 – 1941.
  - Assistant Parish Priest, Bandarawella – 1942 -1945.
  - Parish Priest, Badulla – 1946 – 1950.
  - Parish Priest, Matale – 1950 – 1961.
  - Parish Priest, Talawakelle – 1961 – 1970.
  - Parish Priest, Badulla and Episcopal Vicar of Uva District – 1970 – 1973.
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- Elected Bishop: 13th May 1973.
  - Ordained Bishop: 29th June 1973, at St Peter's Basilica, Rome by His Holiness Pope Paul VI.
  - Retired – 17th March 1983.
  - Administrator until 29th June 1983.
  - Died: 16<sup>th</sup> May 1989