

**NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT**

January 10, 2007

Dear Fellow Members:

Enclosed is the Nominating Committee Report for the 2007 Diocesan Convention. The nominees for each office in each category have been listed in random order and will appear in the same order on the convention ballot.

Many thanks to the following individuals who served on the Nominating Committee this year:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>CONVOCATION</u>
The Rev. George E. Deatrick	Atlantic
Mr. John Will	Atlantic
The Rev. Richard C. Wrede	Burlington
Dr. James W. Sullivan	Burlington
The Rev. Dr. Patrick R. Close	Camden
The Rev. Dr. Gina Walsh-Minor	Monmouth
Ms. Elizabeth Papp	Monmouth
The Rev. Joseph R. Parrish, Jr	Northern
Mr. Arthur G. Pedersen II	Northern
The Rev. Dirk C. Reinken	Trenton
Mrs. Shirley Swanson	Trenton
The Rev. Theodore E. Moore, Dcn.	Watchung
Mrs. Emma Warren	Watchung
The Rev. Petrina M. Pyatt	Woodbury
Mr. W. Clifford Jones	Woodbury

Special thanks to the many candidates who indicated their willingness to serve and to those who placed them in nomination.

Canon 5 provides for independently submitted nominations to be submitted to the Secretary of the Convention. Deadline for such nominations is 45 days prior to the convention. Nominations may also be submitted from the floor at convention.

Respectfully submitted,

*Petrina Pyatt*

The Rev. Petrina M. Pyatt, Chair  
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*The Diocese of New Jersey*

**Nominating Committee Report to the 223<sup>rd</sup> Diocesan Convention**

**A. Standing Committee (Vote by Orders)**

**1 Clergy Member, 4-year term**

**The Rev. Karin R. Mitchell – St. David’s Church, Cranbury**



Karin Mitchell has served as deacon and priest associates at the Church of the Holy Innocents’, Beach Haven, as vicar of St. Francis’, Dunellen and is presently the rector of St. David’s, Cranbury. She has been a member of our Diocese for over 20 years and is currently a member of the Congregational Development Committee, Board of Missions, the Women’s Commission, and Women’s Episcopal Caucus.

**The Rev. Dr. Patrick R. Close – Grace Church, Haddonfield**

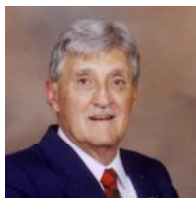


Rector of Grace Church, Haddonfield, has experience in three dioceses: Diocesan Council; Commission on Ministry; Education and Stewardship Commissions; Cursillo and Happening; Province II; Companion Diocese; Episcopal Community Services; Hunger Commission; Oasis; Convention Arrangements; College Ministry; Dean of Convocation; Hospice Chaplain; and Clergy Association. I would like to use this experience to help the Diocese continue its efforts to be the People of God, and help us realize an exciting, dynamic vision for the future.

**B. Standing Committee (Vote by Orders)**

**1 Lay Member, 4-year term**

**The Honorable Robert W. Scott – Christ Church, Woodbury**



Judge Scott is completing terms on Diocesan Council and as Church Attorney. He is a member of the Cathedral Chapter and Audit Committee. He has served on Constitution and Canons, Diocesan Nominating Committee and Bishop Election Committee. At his parish, Judge Scott has been a vestryman, treasurer, warden, lay reader, teacher, and chalice bearer. In his convocation, he is on the Executive Committee and is a delegate to Province II.

**C. Deputies to General Convention**

**4 Clergy Deputies – 3-year terms**

**The Rev. Terence Blackburn – St. Luke’s Church, Roselle; Grace Church, Linden**



Father Blackburn has been in this Diocese for 14 years, serving on the Board of Missions, Finance and Budget Committee, Clergy Compensation; currently on the Bishop’s Advisory Commission on Liturgy, Committee on Constitution and Canons and the Committee on Resolutions; teaches in the School for Deacons, and serves as the Examining Chaplain for the Diocese. He offers a wide range of knowledge and experience of both church and Diocese as a delegate to General Convention.

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## C. Deputies to General Convention

### 4 Clergy Deputies – 3-year terms

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#### The Rev. Philip H. Kasey – Holy Trinity Church, South River



Baptized, confirmed and ordained in this Diocese, but having also been resident as a priest in three others. Father Kasey has a life-long, multi-faceted relationship with the Episcopal Church. He would look forward to bringing his experience and vision, faithfulness, compassion, consensus building, and good cheer to bear on the affairs of our larger church. As a member of Diocesan Council and the Commission on Ministry, he offers himself to represent our Diocese.

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#### The Rev. John V. Zamboni – Grace-St. Paul's Church, Mercerville



Jack Zamboni, Rector of Grace-St. Paul's, Mercerville, was a Deputy to General Convention in 2003 and 2006. He has also served our Diocese as an Examining Chaplain, member of Cathedral Chapter, Chair of the Committee on Classification of Congregations, and Chaplain to Diocesan Council. He has a vital interest in the larger life of the Episcopal Church and Anglican Communion, and hopes to serve the Diocese again as a Deputy to General Convention in 2009.

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#### The Rev. Joan M. Pettit Anders – Christ Church, Toms River



Rev. Joan has served at four previous General Conventions: attending as Deputy in 2006 (assigned to Evangelism Committee); as Alternate Deputy in 2003; as Deputy in 1997 and 1994 (assigned both times to "Committee on the Small Church"). She has served on the Diocesan level as Deployment Officer, Bishop's Visioning Commission, Commission on Ministry, Convocation Youth Coordinator and with "Happening." She also served for years in numerous capacities as a lay person in various parishes.

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#### The Rev. Joan E. Fleming – St. Luke's Church, Ewing



Although officially retired, Joan remains active as an Associate of the Episcopal Chaplaincy at Princeton and at St. Luke's, Ewing. Her experience as a Deputy in 2006 will be a foundation for even more effective involvement in 2009. In 20 years as a priest, Joan has been elected to Diocesan Council, Standing Committee, appointed to the Anti-Racism Commission, served as an Associate in Bound Brook and Rector of Christ Church, New Brunswick.

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#### The Rev. K. K. (Sunil) Chandy – St. Andrew's Church, Mount Holly



His first six years of ordained ministry Sunil served in the Church of South India, later on served in the Diocese of Newark and currently here in the Diocese of New Jersey. He holds a B.S. in Pharmacy (Rutgers) and T.H.M. of Ecumenics (Princeton). His skills and education will serve as invaluable tools for the betterment of the Episcopal Church and the Anglican Communion.

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#### The Rev. Andrea Rose-Marie Hayden – St. Augustine's Church, Asbury Park



Rector of St. Augustine's, Asbury Park, was ordained priest in 1999 in the Diocese of Chicago. I serve on the Anti-Racism Commission and Liturgical Commission. My ordination vows require me to take my share "in the councils of the Church." I would feel privileged to serve as Deputy to General Convention to utilize my gifts. I attended the General Convention as the Province V Youth Ministries Coordinator as part of the Youth Task Force.

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## C. Deputies to General Convention

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#### The Rev. Denise P. Mantell – Trinity Church, Matawan



Rev. Denise Mantell has served in this Diocese since 1988. She has served on the Commission on Ministry for 14 years and the Committee on the Diaconate for ten years. Denise has been told that one of her gifts is her ability to see the whole in the parts - the forest amidst the trees. Currently, she convenes the Clericus in the Monmouth Convocation and is Rector of Trinity Church, Matawan.

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#### The Rev. Canon Donald J. Muller – St. Peter’s Church, Medford



Canon Muller has ministered in this Diocese half of his 26 years of ordained ministry, serving on: Diocesan Council, Cathedral Chapter, Cathedral Profile Committee, Chair – Evangelism Commission, Dean – Burlington Convocation and others. In the Diocese of Bethlehem: Vice Chair – Diocesan Council, Incorporated Trustees, Chair – Evangelism, and General Convention Deputy 2000, 2003. He has a great passion for inviting into our congregations those who do not yet know the transforming power of God’s love.

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#### The Rev. Francis A. Hubbard – St. Barnabas’ Church, Monmouth Junction



The Rev. Francis A. Hubbard, Rector of St. Barnabas, Monmouth Junction, has served as an Assistant Rector, a Vicar, and a Rector. Doctor of Ministry candidate in Congregational Development. Chair, Loan and Grant Committee, member, Finance and Budget Committee, member Anti-Racism Team, former member of Diocesan Council. “The Church should be a “big tent” in which diverse people of many views can work together to obey The Great Commandment and The Great Commission.”

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#### The Rev. Valerie L. Balling – St. Stephen’s Church, Mullica Hill



Valerie’s experience offers the GC deputation a well-rounded and distinct point-of-view of young adults in the Church. In childhood, she attended St. Paul’s, Bound Brook; in college, was involved in campus ministry. After college, Valerie volunteered for two years with the Christian Appalachian Project in KY and joined Trinity, Danville. In 1998, she joined St. Peter’s, Medford, where she discerned a call to ordained ministry. Currently, she is Vicar of St. Stephen’s, Mullica Hill.

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#### The Rev. Canon Servio R. Moscoso – San José Church, Elizabeth



Canon Moscoso, member of our Diocese for 21 years, is the Vicar of San José, Elizabeth, and was the interim at St. Andrew, Camden. He served on various Diocesan committees; currently is a member of the Hispanic Commission, Board of Missions, and Standing Commission on Clerical Compensation. He participated in five General Conventions working closely with the Houses of Bishops and Deputies. Canon Moscoso would be a diverse and qualified representative of this diocese.

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#### The Rev. Robert W. Thomas, Dcn. – Church of the Holy Communion, Fair Haven



At the Philadelphia General Convention, I was a member of the security team. I watched the movement of the Holy Spirit as the House of Bishops went about its parliamentary deliberations, and I was drawn to the teamwork that it took to move the work of the convention forward. I prayerfully offer my knowledge of Roberts Rules and willingness to work as part of the team that deals with the issues that we face today.

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## C. Deputies to General Convention

### 4 Clergy Deputies – 3-year terms

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#### The Rev. Ronald N. Pollock – St. John’s Church, Somerville



Father Pollock has served the Diocese of New Jersey as a member of the Bishop’s Search Committee and for the Cathedral Dean, member of Diocesan Council, Committee on the Priesthood, and Chair of the Recruitment Committee. He has attended two previous General Conventions and has served the larger Church in search capacities.

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#### The Rev. Dr. Cipher Deavours, Dcn. – St. John’s Church, Elizabeth



I follow the actions of the General Convention with great interest and wish to be part of the process. I also serve currently in the following positions for this diocese: 1. Member - Executive Council Taskforce on HIV and AIDS. 2. Coordinator - Province II Justice Ministries Network. 3. Co-director - The Oasis, Diocese of New Jersey.

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#### The Rev. Joanna D. Graham – St. Mark’s Church, Basking Ridge



A graduate of General Theological Seminary, is Interim Rector of St. Mark’s Church, Basking Ridge. Mother Joanna has been in hospital ministry for 15 years both as a chaplain and director of pastoral care. She is the Pastoral Educator in the School for Deacons, a member of the Anglican Women’s Empowerment and a delegate to the U.N. Commission on the status of women. She has served in the Diocese of Jerusalem and the Middle East and works with the Palestinian women.

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#### The Rev. Carolyn H. Eklund – Grace Church, Plainfield



The 1997 General Convention was a significant experience for me as a seminarian because our Church tackled challenges openly. As rector of Grace Church, I challenge parishioners to open our mission to the larger Church and community. I served on the Visioning Commission, Committee on Priesthood, Fall Youth Event 2005, Insurance and Women’s Commissions and the 2005 Province II design team. I serve the homeless ministry - Homefirst and the Board of Plainfield Community Outreach.

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## D. Deputies to General Convention

### 4 Lay Deputies – 3-year terms

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#### Alicia Graham – Grace-St. Paul’s Church, Mercerville



Allie Graham, a member of Grace-St. Paul’s, Mercerville, was an Alternate at General Convention 2006, served as a legislative aid, and represented the Girls Friendly Society at Triennial in 2003 and 2006. She has participated in the Commission on Ministry’s Internship Program for college students considering ordained ministry, been a Deputy to Diocesan Convention and has served on the leadership team for the youth event, Happening. She is a senior at York College of Pennsylvania.

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**D. Deputies to General Convention**  
**4 Lay Deputies – 3-year terms**

**John Wood Goldsack, Esq. – St. John’s Church, Somerville**



Served seven terms as Deputy to General Convention attaining the rank of Senior Deputy. Served General Convention as Chair of the Standing Committee on Structure. Appointed to Committee on the State of the Church. Secretary to Legislative Committee on Canons, Vice Chair of Committee on Commissions, two terms on Standing Committee, Cathedral Major Chapter, 29 years on Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons and numerous other posts. Presently, he is Chancellor of the Diocese of New Jersey.

**Noreen Duncan – Trinity Church, Princeton**



Professor Noreen Lois Duncan, parishioner and former vestryman of Trinity Church, Princeton, is an usher, lay reader and Eucharistic minister. A member on the Standing Committee, she co-chairs and is a trainer on the diocese’s Anti-Racism Team. She is president of the Trinity Cathedral Academy’s Board of Trustees. Professor, English, Mercer County Community College for 26 years, she is married to Hibbert, 33 years – parents of two accomplished adult children, Moriba and Malene.

**Charles H. Perfater – Trinity Cathedral, Trenton**



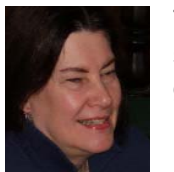
Chuck is a three time Deputy to General Convention. A lifelong member of Trinity Cathedral, he has a lengthy record of leadership, including past Senior Warden for eleven years. He is now Treasurer of the Vestry. Chuck is active in Diocesan affairs, currently serving on the Standing Committee, Finance & Budget Committee, Board of Missions, Bishop’s Visioning Commission and Convention Arrangements Committee. Chuck is also the Executive Coordinator of Province II of the Episcopal Church.

**Robert L. Fox – St. John’s Church, Somerville**



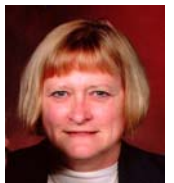
Served as Alternate Deputy to the 2006 General Convention in Columbus, OH. Current Chair of Diocesan Stewardship Commission. Previously served Diocese as member of Diocesan Council, Trial Court and Transition Committee. Active in St. John’s and served as Warden, Vestry, Treasurer, Church School, Lay Eucharistic Minister, Stewardship and Discernment Committees.

**Donna Devlin – St. Peter’s Church, Freehold**



Through my work in Christian Formation and children’s stewardship in parish and Diocesan settings, as a member of Diocesan Council and Ministry with the Disabled, I have gained insights into ministries beyond the Diocese. The Church must respond to the needs of the world as well as address issues within our body. Sensitivity, conviction, and knowledge are needed to present the message of our Christ in a vital manner. I believe I have these abilities.

**Kathleen O’Hagan – St. Mark and All Saints Church, Galloway**



Kathleen currently serves on Diocesan Council and enjoys her ministry as corresponding secretary, working with MDG fund disbursement and *Dare to be Fair*. Kathleen followed the 2006 General Convention with daily prayer and report reading, giving her insight into the richness of our church and its workings. Kathleen is experienced in working in multicultural diverse groups, where consensus is desired. If elected, Kathleen will humbly serve through prayer and dedication as your deputy.

## E. Diocesan Council

### 3 Clergy Members, 3-year terms

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#### The Rev. Dr. Cipher Deavours, Dcn. – St. John’s Church, Elizabeth



I have worked with numerous committees in an academic setting and hope that my technical background in computers, database work, and web related computing might be of help to the committee in its work. I also serve in the following positions: 1. Member - Executive Council Taskforce on HIV and AIDS. 2. Coordinator - Province II Justice Ministries Network. 3. Co-director - The Oasis, Diocese of New Jersey.

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#### The Rev. Canon Servio R. Moscoso – San José Church, Elizabeth



Canon Moscoso, member of the Diocese, has accrued experience of 19 years as Vicar of San José and interim of St. Andrew, Camden. A member of the Hispanic Commission, Board of Missions, and Clerical Compensation. He served on Diocesan Council and the Consecration Committee of Bishop elect. He is familiar with the economics of finance and can provide detailed analysis when dealing with budget concerns which has benefited our economically challenged church immensely.

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#### The Rev. Bruce Montgomery – St. Martin’s Church, Bridgewater



Fr. Montgomery has been the Rector of St. Martin’s, Bridgewater, for 25 years. He has finished a four year term on the Standing Committee and is presently a Deputy of Provincial Synod. He has served on the Commission on Ministry, Board of Missions, Clerical Compensation Committee, and as Dean of the Watchung Convocation. He would be honored to serve on Diocesan Council to further the mission of our Diocese.

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#### The Rev. Johnine Byrer, Dcn. – Church of the Holy Spirit, Lebanon



I am the Deacon at Church of the Holy Spirit in Lebanon. Over the last four years, I have orchestrated three ministries within our faith community: the Shawl Ministry, the Frenchtown Manor Ministry, and three Prison Ministries. I was a member of the Deacon’s Council for three years. I have just retired after 38 years of working in education, specifically with students with Development Delays. I am eager to serve at the Diocesan level.

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#### The Rev. Arthur Pierce Powell – St. James’ Church, Yardville



The Rev. Arthur Powell, Rector of St. James in Yardville, has been a priest in this Diocese for 23 years. He is knowledgeable about and active in Diocesan programs. He presently serves on the Diocesan Congregational Development Committee and the Diocesan Liturgical Commission. He serves as the Chaplain to the Diocesan Altar Guild and he is the Dean of the Trenton Convocation. He was a member of the Episcopal Election Committee.

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#### The Rev. C. John Thompson-Quartey – St. Mary’s-by-the-Sea, Point Pleasant Beach



Presently, Rector of St. Mary’s-by-the-Sea in Point Pleasant and serving on the Christian Formation Commission and the Anti-Racism Commission. I was ordained to the priesthood in 1997, and served on the Diocesan Youth Council in the Diocese of Newark. I hold a BS degree in Accounting from Rutgers University. I would like to extend my gifts to the Diocesan Council in whatever way I can. It would be an honor to serve on the Council.

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**F. Diocesan Council****3 Lay Members, 3-year terms****1 Lay Member, 1 year unexpired term****Jay R. Ham, Sr. – St. Thomas' Church, Red Bank**

Jay, at St. Thomas since 1967, served as Director of the Junior Youth Fellowship, usher, money counter, Parish Commission on Ministry, member of the vestry and has been the Senior Warden for the last 14 years. Presently, in his 11<sup>th</sup> year on Diocesan Committee on the Priesthood and its finance committee. Served on Diocesan Council, chaired the Parish Visitation Committee, deputy to Diocesan Convention, delegate to Monmouth Convocation, and Search Committee for Dean of Cathedral.

**Ronald J. Sheay – St. Matthew's Church, Pennington**

Member of St. Matthew's Church, Pennington, and currently filling a two year unexpired term on the Diocesan Council, and member of the Diocesan Finance and Visitation Committees. He is a founding member and former Trustee of the Bishop Van Duzer Scholarship Fund. He served on the Cathedral Chapter and Clerical Compensation Commission, serving as chair for one year. Former vestry member at St. Matthew's. Served many years on St. Luke's, Ewing, finance committee and bazaar.

**Henry E. Foster – St. Mark's Church, Plainfield**

Henry E. Foster currently serves on the Diocesan Planned Giving Committee and the Diocesan Anti-Racism Team. At St. Mark's he serves as Senior Warden, Eucharistic Minister, and Lay Reader. Actively involved with the following programs: Stewardship, Inter-Faith Homeless, Grace Feeding, Grassroots Committee, Ushers and the "I Have a Dream Program." Graduated from Butler University, Indiana. Retired school principal. He offers the Diocese a wide range of experience.

**Robert J. McGonigle – St. Martin-in-the-Fields, Lumberton**

Bob has served in several positions in Pennsylvania which included 12 years on the vestry of St. James, Bristol. He also served as convention deputy and deanery representative for 11 years. Bob served one year on the vestry of Grace in Hulmeville before moving to St. Martin's in Lumberton, NJ.

**G. Cathedral Chapter****2 Clergy Member, 3-year term****The Rev. Dr. Deborah Ann Meister – Christ Church, New Brunswick**

Deborah has extensive experience in many ministries. Among them she held positions as Chair, Dept. of Missions and Outreach, Alabama; Disaster Action Team member, Los Angeles; Youth Coordinator in CT, and many more. She has extensive experience with church finances, budgets and fundraising. Deborah brings erudition, grace and compassion to her ministry and will be a great asset to this committee.

**The Rev. Jefferson R. Hulet – Christ Church, Palmyra and St. Stephen's, Riverside**

I have a strong interest in the Cathedral as a focal point for worship, formation, and education in the Diocese. I have experience reviewing and administering budgets, developing systems and programs, and serving as liaison among various organizations. I also have experience with Cathedral-style worship.

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**H. Cathedral Chapter**  
**1 Lay Member, 3-year term**

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**Neva Rae Fox – St. John’s Church, Somerville**



I seek to continue my service to the Diocese as a member of the Cathedral Chapter. My lay ministry has included: member of the Standing Committee, Women’s Commission (chair for two years), Bishop’s Transition Team, Diocesan Convention deputy, and in various communications posts. I am active in my parish as a lay reader, ECW and Altar Guild member, and in publicity work. I am the Director of Communications for the Episcopal Diocese of New York.

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**I. Standing Commission on Clerical Compensation**  
**2 Clergy Members, 3-year terms**

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**The Rev. Frederic F. Guyott, III – St. John’s Church, Salem**



With 13 years experience dealing with stocks and currency options before ordination, Rev. Frederic Guyott served three churches with endowments over \$6 million dollars. As a vestry member of the Church of Our Savior (PA) was active in affecting a merger establishing the Philadelphia Cathedral.

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**The Rev. Douglas C. Halvorsen – The Evergreens, Moorestown**



The Rev. Douglas C. Halvorsen is President and Chief Executive Officer of The Evergreens. He is licensed in NJ as a Clinical Social Worker, Marriage and Family Therapist and Nursing Home Administrator. He previously served as Chief Clinical Officer of Cummins Mental Health Center in Avon, IN, and as Vice President, Clinical Services, for Serv Centers of NJ in Trenton, NJ.

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**The Rev. Dr. Gina Walsh-Minor – St. Clement’s Church, Belford**



Serves as Vicar of St. Clement’s, Belford, since 2004. Before answering a call to the priesthood, she was the Director Human Resources. With over 20 years experience in HR including benefits, compensation, consultation to GTS, Riverside Church in NYC, she brings great expertise to the Diocese. Member of the Board of Missions, Nominating Committee, Christian Formation and Clergy Day Planning Committee.

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**J. Standing Commission on Clerical Compensation**  
**2 Lay Members, 3-year terms**

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**Arthur G. Pedersen, II – St. John’s Church, Fords**



Arthur was raised in a clergy family. He is the treasurer and former warden of two missions. He has seen clergy compensation issues from both sides. Arthur sees the work of this Commission as essential to the health of our Church by promoting fair compensation for our clergy.

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**J. Standing Commission on Clerical Compensation**  
**2 Lay Members, 3-year terms**

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**Clive Oscar Sang – St. Mark’s Church, Plainfield**



Clive, active member of St. Mark’s for 27 years, serves on the vestry and is Chair of its Finance Committee. He is a Lay Reader, Eucharistic Minister, usher, assists in the Homeless Program, and has been a deputy to the Diocesan Convention several times. Has an MBA in Economics and Management Information Systems from NYU and a 38 year career in Financial Services operations; currently a management executive in marketing and sales.

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**K. Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons**  
**2 Members, 3-year terms – at least one of whom must be Lay**  
**1 Lay Member, 2 yr. unexpired term**

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**Paul A. De Sarno, Esq. – Holy Trinity, South River**



Paul, lawyer in private practice, is a 1981 graduate of Seton Hall Law School. He has been actively involved in the ministry of Holy Trinity, South River, for over 20 years, serving in every capacity imaginable including Sunday school teacher, Treasurer, and Senior Warden. He has been active in diocesan affairs as a Convocation representative and deputy to Diocesan Convention. He would look forward to serving our diocese in his area of professional expertise.

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**Paul Ambos, Esq. – Christ Church, New Brunswick**



An attorney practicing 30 years in the fields of commercial, corporate, real-estate, and canon law, Mr. Ambos has experience in dealing with charters and bylaws for several church-related institutions, including revisions of bylaws for his parish of Christ Church, New Brunswick, to achieve consistency with national and diocesan canons, state statutes, and a colonial charter. He has drafted corrections to national and diocesan canons. He currently chairs the Standing Committee on Constitution and Canons.

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**The Rev. Frank B. Crumbaugh, III – Church of the Holy Innocents, Beach Haven**



Fr. Crumbaugh is a priest who carries much experience and great knowledge of the constitution and canons and their history to this Diocese. He has served one term and can continue to be an important member of this committee.

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**L. Trustees of Diocesan Trust Funds**  
**1 Lay Trustee, 5-year term**

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**Edward H. Higgins, Jr. – Church of the Epiphany, Ventnor**



Ed has served previously as a Trustee. He is a former member of the Diocesan Audit Committee. He has a finance degree and his management and administrative backgrounds make him well qualified for this position. He currently serves as Treasurer of his parish.

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**L. Trustees of Diocesan Trust Funds**  
**1 Lay Trustee, 5-year term**

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**Kathleen F. Lowry – St. John’s Church, Little Silver**



Kathleen Lowry has 20 years of trust and investment experience as a Certified Financial Planner. Currently manages Institutional Investment Group of PNC Bank. Current vestry member of St. John’s Church and was treasurer for approximately seven years.

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**M. Finance and Budget Committee**  
**3 Members, Clergy or Lay, 3-year terms**

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**The Rev. C. John Thompson-Quartey – St. Mary’s- by- the-Sea, Point Pleasant Beach**



I received my BS from Rutgers University, Newark, where I majored in Accounting. I received my MDiv from the General Theological Seminary in New York City and was ordained to the Sacred Order of Priesthood in 1997. Before Seminary, I worked as an auditor for Blue Cross and Blue Shield in New Jersey. I would be honored to serve this diocese with whatever gifts I have.

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**Richard S. Ellwood – Christ Church, Middletown**



Dick Ellwood has been active in the Diocese for 24 years. Currently, a trustee of the DIT, chairman of the Diocesan Audit Committee, and a member of The Evergreens Investment Committee. Served two terms on Diocesan Council and retired from it in 2005 as its president pro tem. Served on the vestries of his own parish (6 years) and the Parish of Trinity Church, New York (14 Years). He is a retired investment banker.

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**The Rev. Paul A. Van Sant – St. Stephen’s Church, Whiting**



Lifetime member of this Diocese. Ordained in 1988. Served three Camden parishes 1988-1990; Lead Church of the Good Shepherd, Berlin, from mission to independent parish status 1990-2006. Currently, Rector of St. Stephen’s, Whiting. Past member: Diocesan Council, Committee on Aging, Cathedral Major Chapter, Diocesan Finance and Budget, and Nominating Committee. Attended “Clear Vision” in Texas and CREDO in San Francisco. Wish to continue contributing to the positive growth and healing process of our Diocese.

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**N. Diocesan Investment Trust**  
**1 Member, Clergy or Lay, 4-year term**

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**Reid Murray – St. Matthew’s Church, Pennington**

Mr. Murray served as trustee of the Diocesan Investment Trust since 2003. Banker with 25 years of banking experience that includes investment management, commercial lending, investment banking and private equity. Currently employed by Mizuho Corporate Bank, Ltd. in the American Division in New York City handling banking relationships with U.S. media and telecommunications companies. Previously employed by CIBC Oppenheimer and J.P. Morgan in New York City, and PNC Advisors in Princeton.

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**N. Diocesan Investment Trust**

**1 Member, Clergy or Lay, 4-year term**

**The Rev. David A. Stout – Trinity Church, Asbury Park**



The Rev. David Stout has been Rector of Trinity Church in Asbury Park since July 2004. Ordained in 1990, Fr. Stout served as Curate at St. Paul's Church in Beaufort, North Carolina, for three years and Associate for Member Incorporation of St. Bartholomew's Church in New York City for five years. Originally seeking ordination in the United Methodist Church, he received his Master of Divinity at the Divinity School at Duke University in 1989.

**Charles W. Bowden – Church of the Epiphany, Ventnor**



The candidate is a Chartered Life Underwriter (CLU) and a Chartered Financial Consultant (ChFC), both designations being granted by the American College, Bryn Mawr, PA. He has managed client accounts since 1992. He is NASD registered, an Investment Advisor Representative and a certified insurance and investment continuing education instructor.

**O. Audit Committee**

**2 Members, Clergy or Lay, 3-year terms**

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**The Hon. Robert W. Scott – Christ Church, Woodbury**



Judge Scott is serving as Diocesan Council's appointment to the Audit Committee this past year. He wishes to continue as an Audit Committee member if elected by the convention.

**The Rev. Canon Servio R. Moscoso – San José Church, Elizabeth**



Canon Moscoso, member of our Diocese for 21 years, is the Vicar of San José, Elizabeth. and was the interim at St. Andrew, Camden. He served on various Diocesan committees; currently is a member of the Hispanic Commission, Board of Missions, and Standing Commission on Clerical Compensation. He participated in five General Conventions working closely with the Houses of Bishops and Deputies.

**P. Trial Court**  
**4 Clergy Members, 3-year terms**  
**1 year as a member, 2 years as alternate**

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**The Rev. Dr. W. Kenneth Gorman – Church of the Holy Cross, North Plainfield**



Ken Gorman has been a canonically resident priest of the Diocese for thirty-seven years. Among other ways he has served the Diocese on the Diocesan Council, been a member of the Standing Committee and a Dean of the Northern Convocation.

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**The Rev. Douglas C. Halvorsen – The Evergreens, Moorestown**



The Rev. Douglas C. Halvorsen is President and Chief Executive Officer of The Evergreens. He is licensed in NJ as a Clinical Social Worker, Marriage and Family Therapist and Nursing Home Administrator. He previously served as Chief Clinical Officer of Cummins Mental Health Center in Avon, IN, and as Vice President, Clinical Services, for Serv Centers of NJ in Trenton, NJ.

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**The Rev. Richard C. Wrede – Christ Church, Riverton**



Ordained for 16 years in four congregations. As a layman, spent nine years on vestry, three as warden. In the Diocese of Newark, was a member of Diocesan Council, Commission on Ministry and Resolutions Committee. In our Diocese, I serve on the Visioning Commission, Environmental Commission, and Nominating Committee. Doctoral candidate at Drew University in Madison, NJ.

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**The Rev. Joseph R. Parrish, Jr. – St. John’s Church, Elizabeth**



A just balance between the best interests of a cleric and that of the Episcopal institution/Diocese is a key feature of the Trial Court. Justice is not always easy to determine, but it is the guidepost of any good decision. The spirit of the law is more important than the law itself. I have been ordained over twenty years, have discussed with lawyers several ecclesiastical trials, and believe my experience will be of value.

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**Q. Trial Court**  
**3 Lay Members, 3-year terms**  
**1 year as a member, 2 years as alternate**

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**John H. Will – St. Stephen’s Church, Waretown**



I am a lifelong Episcopalian and a vestryman, and have served on the Building Commission in this diocese and my former diocese. I have been involved with union negotiations for over 20 years in the United States Postal Service.

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**Q. Trial Court**

**3 Lay Members, 3-year terms**

**1 year as a member, 2 years as alternate**

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**James Bathurst – Christ Church, Woodbury**

An educator, athletic coach, and a school superintendent. Jim was a past vestryman and a delegate to Province II.

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**Mark Novalsky – Christ Church, Woodbury**



Mark Novalsky, of Woodbury, NJ, is a 16 year member of Christ Church, Woodbury. Currently, he serves as Treasurer of Christ Church. He was a member of the 2006 and 2007 Budget Committee, served as chairman of the 2004 Audit Committee, and is a member of the Finance Committee and the Endowment Fund Committee. Mark also serves as an Usher and is a member of the Brotherhood of Saint Andrew.

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**R. Church Attorney**

**1-year term**

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**Steven Lewis, Esq. – Christ Church, Woodbury**

Steve is an attorney specializing in civil trial court defense. He serves as a Eucharistic Minister, Vestryman and Acolyte Master. Previously, he was elected to the Trial Court.

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**S. Treasurer**

**1-year term**

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**Peter Hausman – St. Francis' Church, Dunellen**



I am the current Treasurer. Elected in 1998, I steered our finances through the lean years of the late 1990's, led the effort to rebuild the budget under Bishops Donovan and Joslin, and spearheaded efforts to reform the budget and Fair Share system. A lifetime Episcopalian and New Jersey resident, I am also Treasurer of Province II of the Episcopal Church, and serve or have served my parish and Diocese in many different ministries.

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