

Diocese of California Standing Committee 1500 Taylor Street San Francisco CA 94108 www.DioCal.org

Standing Committee Agenda, October 13th

4:30pm at Grace Cathedral in Chapter Room

Present in person:

Deborah White, Sean McConnell, Robyn Amos, Todd Bryant, and Warren Wong

Present via Zoom:

Mauricio Wilson, Carolyn Bolton

Joining for the search and transition report via Zoom:

Brenda Paulin, Paul Fromberg

Guest on zoom:

Tom Poynor, Berkeley Canterbury

Joining at Bishop's Time:

Marc Andrus, Debbie Low Skinner, Christopher Hayes.

4:40pm Call to Order

Opening Prayer: Todd

4:45pm Institution visit Berkeley Canterbury Tom Poynor

Documents will not be ready in time for convention.

therefore, this was meeting of clarification of goals and objectives

5:05pm Bishop's Time

Mid-year congregational pulse discussion

As a council of advice, we suggested a pastoral approach.

• Affirm Braid articles of incorporation and by-law to become diocesan institution. (Christopher Hayes certifies that Braid is now in compliance with article 17 for diocesan institutions).

Move: Todd Second: Robyn

Passed with Bishop Marc consenting separately.

Holy Spirit discussion

The Standing Committee and bishop informally affirm that the two ecclesial entities known as St. John's Clayton and St. Michael and All Angels Concord are now functioning as Holy Spirit Church and will be celebrated at the 173rd diocesan convention. Holdings and other legal consolidations will be addressed at a later time.

Leaving after Bishop's Time:

Marc Andrus, Debbie Low Skinner, Christopher Hayes.



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6:05pm

Search and Transition Team update

Motion to enter executive session at 6:07pm

Move: Warren Second: Robyn

Passed

Motion to exit executive session 6:28pm

Move: Todd Second: Robyn

Passed

Motion to approve the search and transition committee of nineteen

Move: Warren Second: Robyn

Passed

Conversation with Todd Ousley led to a recommendation of Judy Stark as a consultant.

6:55pm

Approve September Standing Committee Minutes

Move: Warren Second: Robyn

7:00pm

Commission on Ministry Motion

Consent to ordination to the deaconate of Stephen Siptroth

Move: Robyn Second: Sean

Passed

Diocesan Institutions Motion

Present the appointment of The Rev. Dr. Deborah White as the diocesan institution liaison and present this appoint to the bishop for his consent

Move: Robyn Second: Mauricio

Passed

Executive Team Slate

Standing Committee executive team slate to be present at convention for election by the upcoming standing committee (kitchen cabinet meeting).

President: Warren Wong Vice President: Mauricio Wilson Secretary: Jane Stratford

Move Sean Second Warren

Passed

7:30pm

Adjourn

The group said good-bye to outgoing members

Noreen Chin and Deb White and thanked them for their service.