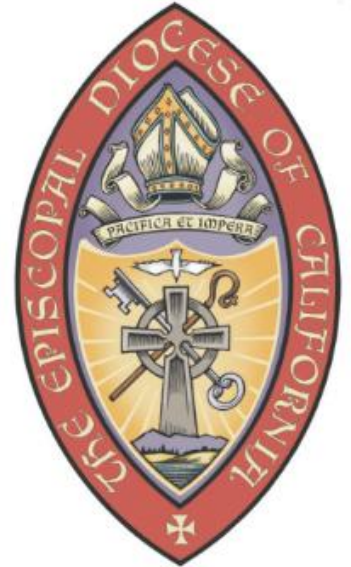


**Certified Resolutions, Actions, and Election Results of  
The 176<sup>th</sup> Convention of  
The Episcopal Diocese of California  
October 17-18, 2025**

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## **I. GENERAL RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY THE CONVENTION**

### **ASSESSMENT FORMULA TASK FORCE**

***Resolved,*** That the 176th Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of California establishes an Assessment Formula Task Force to work in collaboration with the Executive Council and Finance Committee to evaluate the current diocesan assessment formula and to propose a revised assessment formula and/or assessment methodology;

***Resolved,*** That the Assessment Formula Task Force will consist of at least nine members appointed by the Bishop, including representatives from congregations of diverse sizes, means, and geographic locations, as well as members with financial and canonical expertise, striving to be equitable, transparent, sustainable, and supportive of the shared mission of the Diocese and its congregations;

***Resolved,*** That the Assessment Formula Task Force is directed to seek input from congregational leaders and diocesan bodies throughout its process; and

***Resolved,*** That the Assessment Formula Task Force, in collaboration with the Executive Council, will present its final report to the 177th Convention of the Diocese, to include a proposed assessment formula and/or assessment methodology for review and adoption by the Convention and submission to the Finance Committee by April 1, 2027 in accordance with Canon 18.02(e) for use in calculating assessments for fiscal year 2028.

### **SOCIAL JUSTICE**

***Resolved,*** That the 176th Convention of the Diocese of California prioritizes the public communication of the Episcopal Church's social justice affirmations of love, justice, peace, and the dignity of every human being, of every race, religion, ethnicity, gender, orientation, economic status, citizenship or housing status, and the goals of diversity, equity, and inclusion;

***Resolved,*** That this Convention prioritizes the creation of public communications and media content that clearly state the Episcopal Church's support for its social justice affirmations and goals in a format that can be easily shared, repurposed, and published by individual congregations and congregants;

***Resolved,*** That this Convention empowers and encourages congregations and congregants to create and publish content that clearly identifies and states the Episcopal Church's support for those social justice affirmations; and

***Resolved,*** That this Convention encourages and empowers congregations and congregants throughout the diocese to participate in and lead governmental initiatives, federal, state, and local legislation, lawful civil actions, protests, rallies, petitions, and public forums which promote the Episcopal Church's social justice affirmations and goals.

## **AFFORDABLE HOUSING**

**Resolved,** That the 176th Convention of the Diocese of California supports lawful civic programs and legislation, federal, state, and local, that enable the development of, and promote access to, safe, affordable, inclusive, and practicable housing for all God's children;

**Resolved,** That this Convention supports congregations and congregants in the creation and publication of local-use content that clearly states the Episcopal Church's position supporting safe, affordable, inclusive, and practicable housing for all God's children;

**Resolved,** That this Convention encourages the Diocese of California, and empowers its congregations, clergy, lay-led groups, and individual congregants, to take a visible public leadership role to support safe, affordable, inclusive, and practicable housing for all God's children, including taking practical steps of support in local civil initiatives, ministries, and other efforts;

**Resolved,** That this Convention supports theological discussions, formation classes, and other group discussion settings to foster understanding of the need for safe, affordable, inclusive, and practicable housing for all God's children; and

**Resolved,** That this Convention encourages congregations with sufficient land that might support viable affordable housing to explore the construction and operation of such housing and directs the Diocesan staff to assist congregations in that exploration.

## **PENSION PARTICIPATION FOR NON-STIPENDIARY CLERGY**

**Resolved,** That the 176th Convention of the Diocese of California declares it to be the policy of this Diocese that all active non-stipendiary clergy shall receive financial support sufficient to enable participation in programs offered by the Church Pension Fund;

**Resolved,** That beginning in fiscal year 2026, all congregations and organizations in this Diocese served by active non-stipendiary clergy with a current letter of agreement, excluding those listed as retired in the parochial report, must pay such clergy a nominal honorarium of at least twenty-five dollars (\$25) per month and the corresponding Church Pension Fund contribution of eighteen percent (18%);

**Resolved,** That compensation paid under this resolution shall not replace or reduce payment by the congregation or the diocese for other expenses customarily covered under the clergy's letter of agreement, including but not limited to: Diocesan Convention, Clergy Conference, continuing education, discretionary fund, mileage, or similar expenses; and

**Resolved,** That a cleric may decline the honorarium and corresponding Church Pension Fund contribution, provided it is documented in the letter of agreement.

## **II. FINANCIAL RESOLUTIONS**

### **2026 ASSESSMENT FORMULA**

***Resolved,*** That for purposes of calculating the 2026 Diocesan assessment, each parish or mission's 2024 operating income is defined as the amount reported on **Line 6** of the financial section of its 2024 Parochial Report (Church Non-Capital Expenses), **less** the following: **(a)** any outreach expenses not included in the operating budget; **(b)** any funds sent to other organizations; and **(c)** any financial support received from diocesan funds;

***Resolved,*** That in the case of Grace Cathedral, its 2024 operating income for assessment purposes shall consist only of the amounts received through pledges by the Cathedral congregation during 2024, in accordance with Diocesan Canon 18.02(b)(ii); and

***Resolved,*** That the 2026 assessment for each parish, organized mission, and the Cathedral shall be 5.0% of its 2024 operating income (as defined above) up to **\$96,730**, and **17.0%** of such income above **\$96,730**, provided that no parish, mission, or the Cathedral shall have an increase in its 2026 assessment (before any appeals) of more than **50%** or **\$25,884**, whichever is less, over its initial 2025 assessment.

## **2026 SALARY RESOLUTION**

**Resolved,** That effective January 1, 2026, the minimum annual compensation for clergy employed full time by the Diocese of California and by any parish or mission thereof shall be increased by 1.5% as reflected in the 2026 Mandatory Minimum Salary Schedule shown below.

**Resolved,** That Years of Experience be defined as Credited Service with The Church Pension Fund.

### **2026 Mandatory Minimum Compensation Including Self Employment Tax**

<b>Congregation Classification</b>	<b>0 to 4 Years Experience</b>	<b>5 to 9 Years Experience</b>	<b>10+ Years Experience</b>
A	\$ 96,730	\$ 102,101	\$ 107,473
B	\$ 99,951	\$ 105,865	\$ 111,773
C	\$ 103,212	\$ 109,623	\$ 116,072
D	\$ 110,913	\$ 119,786	\$ 128,661
E	\$ 118,225	\$ 128,969	\$ 139,826

**Resolved,**

1. That any deviation below these minimums may be permitted by the Bishop for serious cause, with the Bishop using the Executive Council as a council of advice.
2. When a rectory is provided, cash compensation may be 23% below the minimum figures to parallel Church Pension Fund's requirement that cash compensation be grossed up by 30% for pension assessment purposes when housing is provided.
3. That employers of all clergy pay to each cleric 50% of the self-employment tax assessed on the cleric's base compensation as a portion of total compensation (7.65% of base compensation). This amount is included in the schedule above.
4. The Convention strongly urges all churches, whenever possible, to increase the clergy and lay staff compensation by 1.5% for 2026 to accommodate for inflation.
5. That the minimum transportation allowance be \$0.70/mile for congregation-related travel and is to be adjusted in accordance with IRS published rates for 2026.
6. That associate clergy minimums are based on the cleric's years of service at two grade levels below actual congregation classification.
7. That, in accordance with the Sabbatical Leave Policy passed by the 2021 Convention, congregations with Intentional Interims remit 5.8% (or 3/52) of the Interim's total salary and benefits, including health benefits and pension, to the Diocesan Interim Sabbatical Leave Fund.

Congregational Grade Structure 2026		
Number of Pledging Units		Points
0 -	100	3
101 -	200	6
201 -	300	9
301 -	400	12
401 -	Above	20
Average Weekly Attendance at Sunday Services		
0 -	100	3
101 -	200	6
201 -	300	9
301 -	500	12
501 -	Above	20
Assessable Income		
\$ - - \$	107,474	4
\$ 107,475 - \$	206,285	8
\$ 206,286 - \$	412,242	12
\$ 412,243 - \$	825,140	16
\$ 825,141 -	Above	20
Add the points from each of the categories to determine congregational salary grade.		Salary Grade
0 -	10	A
11 -	20	B
21 -	30	C
31 -	40	D
41 -	Above	E

Schedule adjusted to reflect cost of living increases since passage of salary standards resolution in 1999.

Resolution as passed at the 1999 Diocesan Convention:

**Resolved:** That the proposed salary standards for clergy in the Diocese of California, as reflected in the joint report of the Personnel Practices Committee and the Clergy Compensation Task Force, are approved and shall be effective on a voluntary basis for the years 2000 to 2004, and shall become mandatory for 2005 and later years.

## 2026 BUDGET

The 2026 Operating Budget adopted by the 176<sup>th</sup> Convention as listed on pages 37 through 40 in [the Day of Convention Booklet for the 173<sup>rd</sup> Convention of the Diocese of California](#) is incorporated by reference.

### **III. COURTESY RESOLUTIONS**

#### **HONORING E. J. HILLIARD**

***Whereas***, **Ms. E. J. Hilliard** has been a faithful member of the Committee on Resolutions, serving under three bishops for over 30 years, having first been appointed to the committee by Bishop William Swing in 1995; and

***Whereas***, she has been ever faithful in attendance and diligent in her work, and committee members and resolution proponents alike have always appreciated her wise counsel, straightforward manner and effervescent good humor; and

***Whereas***, she has also served the conventions of this diocese and her deanery as a delegate from St. James' Fremont and delegation convener over many years; and

***Whereas***, her love for The Episcopal Church and her faith in Jesus Christ are always evident in everything she does; and

***Whereas***, she has decided to retire from the Committee on Resolutions at the close of this convention; therefore be it

***Resolved***, That the 176th Convention of the Diocese of California commends and thanks Ms. E. J. Hilliard for her gracious and faithful service to this diocese, saying, "We love you madly, dear;" and be it further

***Resolved***, That this convention bids God grant her a well-deserved rest from her labors and continued confidence and joy in the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

## **HONORING THE ORDINATION OF WOMEN**

### **The Bishop's Advisory Group for the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Triennium of the Ordination of Women**

**Whereas**, the Bishop's Advisory Group for the 50th Anniversary Triennium of the Ordination of Women was formed at the 175th Convention; and

**Whereas**, the Advisory Group has worked to support or initiate commemorations that have occurred or are upcoming to honoring milestones in the history of the ordination of women in the Diocese of California for:

**The Rev. Phyllis Edwards**, the first woman recognized as a Deacon in The Episcopal Church and the first woman in The Episcopal Church to use the title "The Reverend;" who famously marched with Dr. Martin Luther King and worked tirelessly with those in need in the Haight-Ashbury District while serving at St. Aidan's in San Francisco

**Ms. Nancy Grandfield**, a lay woman and parishioner at Church of the Epiphany in San Carlos, whose lifetime of service and work with Episcopal Church Women (ECW) has brought strength and gifts to the diocese and to the whole Episcopal Church, and who on her 100th birthday on May 5, 2024, was blessed by Bishops Austin Keith Rios and Marc Handley Andrus at St. Peter's Redwood City;

**The Rev. Anna Lange-Soto**, an activist and priest in the Diocese of California who has tirelessly served Spanish-speaking Latiné congregations and communities, participated in La Comisión Latina of this diocese, and who even in her retirement serves Spanish-speaking congregations and continues activism especially in the area of immigration.

**The Rt. Rev. Bavi "Nedi" Rivera** was the first woman of Latin American descent to be ordained a priest in The Episcopal Church, and the first woman of Latin American descent to be called as bishop in The Episcopal Church. Rivera served as Rector St. Aidan's in San Francisco from 1994-2004. She was called in 2004 as Bishop Suffragan in the Diocese of Olympia and later served as Provisional Bishop in the Diocese of Eastern Oregon.

**The Rev. Dr. Fran Toy**, a native of Oakland's Chinatown, was the first Asian American woman to be ordained in The Episcopal Church, and the first female cleric to be elected as a deputy to General Convention from the Diocese of California in 1988.

**The Ven. Carolyn Bolton**, the first Black Woman Archdeacon in the Diocese of California who has devoted her career to service in social justice and racial equality causes working especially with Black women facing intersectional oppression, while serving both in the Diocese of California and in her home parish of St. Paul's in Oakland; and

**Whereas**, the Advisory Group maintains a mission to work with other dioceses across The Episcopal Church to commemorate the women who first broke the so-called "stained glass ceiling;" therefore be it

**Resolved**, that the 176th Convention of the Diocese of California offers offer praise for the work of commemorating the ordination of women in The Episcopal Church, honoring the very personal costs to the earliest women to be ordained, giving thanks for their prophetic witness; and be it further

**Resolved**, that this diocese commits to carrying forward this inspired work, bearing witness to our baptismal vow to respect the dignity of every human being in our communities, and in our prayers and sacramental life as the Beloved Community.



## IV. CONSTITUTIONAL & CANONICAL AMENDMENTS

### ARTICLE XII – CHANGING CLERGY QUORUM FOR THE ELECTION OF A BISHOP (SECOND READING)

**Resolved,** That Article XII of the Constitution be amended as follows:

(remove ~~striketrough~~ text, add *italic bold text*)

#### **Article XII. The Election of Bishops.**

**Sec. 12.3.** ~~A majority of all Cleries entitled to vote, and not less than two-thirds of all the parishes and missions (including the Cathedral congregation) represented by at least one delegate, shall constitute a quorum. If such representation of the clerical order and of the foregoing congregations is not present at any ballot, and if a quorum is called for, then it shall be announced that no quorum exists, and the Convention shall be recessed until such a quorum is present.~~ *A quorum consists of clerics affiliated with at least two-thirds of all congregations entitled to representation and lay delegates representing at least two-thirds of all congregations entitled to representation.*

**Sec. 12.4.** Voting shall be by ballot. ~~The clerical and lay orders shall vote separately, and the concurrent majority vote of each order present shall constitute the election.~~ *The votes of the clergy and lay orders shall be counted separately, and concurrent majorities in both orders shall be required for election.*

*Having passed the 175<sup>th</sup> and 176<sup>th</sup> Conventions with the concurrence of the Bishop, this amendment is now effective.*

**CANON XV. ECCLESIASTICAL DISCIPLINE –  
ESTABLISHMENT OF DISCIPLINARY BOARD ON ECCLESIASTICAL COURT**

***Resolved,*** That Canon XV be amended as follows:

(remove ~~striketrough text~~, add underlined text)

**Sec. 15.10. ~~Appointment~~ Nomination, Election, and Removal.**

~~The members of the Disciplinary Board from this Diocese shall be appointed Bishop with the consent of the Standing Committee by November 1 of each year, with terms beginning the following January 1.~~

**Each member of the Disciplinary Board from this Diocese shall be nominated by the Bishop and the Standing Committee, acting together, and elected at an Annual Convention, with a term beginning the following January 1. Any member of the Disciplinary Board from this Diocese may be removed by the Bishop and the Standing Committee, acting together, whenever, in their judgment, the best interests of the Diocese would be served thereby.**

**Sec. 15.11(b)**

~~(b) That Bishop shall appoint a replacement Disciplinary Board member with the consent of the Standing Committee of the vacating member's diocese~~

**(b) If the vacating member is from this Diocese, the Bishop and the Standing Committee from this Diocese, acting together, shall approve a replacement Disciplinary Board member of the same order as the vacating member.**

**CANON XVIII 18.02. SUPPORT OF THE DIOCESAN OPERATING FUND**

**Resolved**, that Canon XVIII, Section 18.02 of the Canons of the Diocese of California be amended to state as follows:

(remove ~~striktthrough text~~, add *italic bold text*)

**Sec. 18.02. Support of Diocesan Operating Fund.**

(a) It is the unqualified obligation of *the Cathedral and* each parish and organized mission in union with the Convention of this Diocese to provide its proportionate share of the expenses of the Diocese as set forth in the budget for the Diocesan Operating Fund adopted by the Diocesan Convention.

(b) Such proportionate share of expenses not otherwise provided by endowment income, grants and other sources ~~shall will~~ be assessed ~~upon-on the Cathedral and~~ each parish and organized mission in proportion to its ~~total annual operating income as recorded in the financial section of the annual parochial report of each such parish and organized mission, except as modified below~~ *assessable funds, calculated as follows:*

(i) ~~Excluding any amounts received by an organized mission from the Diocesan budget through the Congregational Development Committee; Assessable funds are defined as the “Normal Operating Income” reported in the most recent annual parochial report, consisting of (a) plate, pledge, and other unrestricted contributions to the general support of the congregation; (b) investment income used for operations; (c) other operating income used for day-to-day operations; and (d) unrestricted bequests used for operations. Assessable funds do not include (e) assistance from the Diocese for the congregation’s operating budget; (f) restricted gifts to capital funds; (g) additions to endowment and other investment funds; (h) contributions to outreach and mission programs; or (i) donations or offerings received for transmittal to other religious or nonprofit organizations. When applicable, assessable funds will be reduced by the total compensation and benefits (including pension assessments) for any new professional programmatic staff position created by a parish or mission, subject to the phased exclusion schedule described in subsection (iii) below. The definition of assessable funds is governed by this canon and will not be altered by changes in the format or terminology of the churchwide parochial report.~~

(ii) In the case of the Cathedral, ~~“total annual operating income” shall be~~ *assessable funds are* all amounts received through pledges by the Cathedral congregation *in the fiscal year covered by the most recent annual parochial report;* and

(iii) ~~In the event that a~~ *For any* parish, or ~~an any~~ organized mission (with the approval of the Congregational Development Committee and the Bishop), ~~that create-creates~~ a new full- or part-time position ~~which has a scope of responsibilities solely devoted solely~~ to the professional, programmatic life of ~~said-the~~ parish or mission (as opposed to clerical-administrative, janitorial, or non-programmatic responsibilities), ~~the calculation of income of said parish or mission for purposes of the Diocesan assessment shall not include the total compensation plus related employee and benefits for said that employee will be excluded from the assessable funds calculation as follows: 100% exclusion in the first two-and second years of his or her employment; 50% of said cost exclusion in the third year; and 25% of the cost exclusion in~~

the fourth year. This subsection ~~shall be~~ **is** limited to the equivalent of one full-time employee per congregation; it ~~shall~~ **does** not apply to the Cathedral.

(c) Assessments under this section ~~shall~~ **will** be assigned to ~~each parish and organized mission~~ on a graduated basis, so that ~~units~~ **congregations** having a lower total operating income ~~total operating income~~ **assessable funds** will be assessed a lesser percentage of their ~~total operating income~~ **assessable funds**. The Finance Committee ~~shall~~ **must** recommend to ~~Diocesan~~ **the** Convention each year a schedule of two or more levels of ~~total operating income~~ **assessable funds** and corresponding percentages of such income as the basis for assigning assessments to ~~each parish and organized mission~~. ~~Such~~ **That** schedule ~~shall~~ **will** be effective for assessments for the ensuing year, unless modified by resolution of ~~Diocesan~~ **the** Convention.

(d) If a parish or organized mission fails to pay its full assessment for the twelve full months immediately preceding Convention, the voting privileges of its Delegates to the Diocesan Convention may, at the discretion of the Bishop, be suspended in proportion to the unfilled obligation, provided that no such suspension shall result in reducing the voting representation of any such parish or organized mission below one Delegate.

(e) Any proposed amendment to the Canons concerning support of the Diocesan Operating Fund or the methodology for Diocesan assessments shall be submitted to the Finance Committee on or before the first day of April. The Finance Committee shall consider the potential effect of the proposed amendment on the Diocesan Operating Fund and the operations of the Diocese, and report its conclusions to the Diocesan Convention, prior to any vote on the proposed amendment.

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*Resolutions and Actions certified by  
The Rev. Br. Richard Edward Helmer, BSG  
Secretary of the Convention*

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## **COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS REPORT & QUORUM**

99 **Clergy present** representing **57 of 71** congregations  
145 **Lay Delegates present** representing **62 of 71** congregations  
244 members of Convention present representing 66 congregations  
*constituting a quorum under Canon 4.01*

## **CERTIFIED ELECTION RESULTS\***

### **Standing Committee – Class of 2029**

Ms. Marj Leeds  
The Rev. Stephen Siptroth

### **Standing Committee – Class of 2027**

The Rev. Dr. Pamela Stevens

### **Executive Council – Class of 2028**

Ms. Lisa Guevara Perry  
The Rev. Hannah Elyse Cornthwaite

### **Secretary of the Convention**

The Rev. Br. Richard Edward Helmer, BSG

### **Treasurer of the Diocese**

Mr. Lane Ringlee

### **Standing Committee Officers – 2025-2026**

*elected by the Standing Committee*

President: The Rev. Jane Stratford

Vice President: Mr. Don Miller

Secretary: The Rev. Beth Foote

### **Deputies to the 82<sup>nd</sup> General Convention (2027)**

L1 - Ms. Sarah Lawton	C1 - The Rev. Cn. Eric Metoyer
L2 - Ms. Laura Curlin	C2 - The Rev. Br. Richard Edward Helmer
L3 - Mr. Christopher Hayes	C3 - The Very Rev. Dr. Cameron Partridge
L4 - Ms. Jeanette Dinwiddie-Moore	C4 - The Rev. Dr. Mauricio Wilson

### **Alternate Deputies**

L5 - Ms. Karma Quick-Panwala	C5 - The Rev. Dr. Deborah White
L6 - Ms. Emily Hopkins	C6 - The Rev. Dr. Ruth Meyers
L7 - Mr. Warren Wong	C7 - The Rev. Kira Austin-Young
L8 - Mr. Ronald Fisher	C8 - The Rev. Marisa Tabizon Thompson

\* Certification of elections subject to requests for recanvassing under Rule 7.9 through November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

## **BALLOT RESULTS**

*certified by the Committee on Elections*

*Prior to the First Ballot, under Canon 7.07, the Bishop directed the Secretary to cast a unanimous ballot for Secretary of the Convention and Treasurer of the Diocese, since these offices were uncontested.*

**Richard Edward Helmer** was elected Secretary of the Convention.

**Lane Ringlee** was elected Treasurer of the Diocese.

### **Ballot #1**

#### **Standing Committee in the Lay Order – Elect One for Full Term**

	<b><u># of Ballots Counted</u></b>	<b><u># Needed to Elect</u></b>
<b>Clergy</b>	97	49
<b>Lay</b>	142	72

<b><u>Nominee</u></b>	<b><u>Clergy</u></b>	<b><u>Lay</u></b>	<b><u>Outcome</u></b>
Ronald Fisher	42	53	
<b>Marj Leeds</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>89</b>	<b><i>ELECTED</i></b>

#### **Standing Committee in the Clergy Order – Elect One for Full Term**

	<b><u># of Ballots Counted</u></b>	<b><u># Needed to Elect</u></b>
<b>Clergy</b>	111	56
<b>Lay</b>	146	74

<b><u>Nominee</u></b>	<b><u>Clergy</u></b>	<b><u>Lay</u></b>	<b><u>Outcome</u></b>
<b>Stephen Siptroth</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>87</b>	<b><i>ELECTED</i></b>
Pamela Stevens	30	59	

#### **Standing Committee in the Clergy Order – Election to Fill an Unexpired Term**

*Following the elections on the First Ballot, under Canon 7.07, the Bishop directed the Secretary to cast a unanimous ballot for the remaining nominee to Standing Committee in the clergy order to fill the unexpired term.*

**Pamela Stevens** was elected to the Standing Committee to fill the unexpired term through Diocesan Convention 2027.

**Ballot #1** *continued*

**Executive Council – Elect 2, at least one must be in the lay order**

	<b><u># of Ballots Counted</u></b>	<b><u># Needed to Elect</u></b>
<b>Clergy</b>	107	54
<b>Lay</b>	145	73

<b><u>Nominee</u></b>	<b><u>Clergy</u></b>	<b><u>Lay</u></b>	<b><u>Outcome</u></b>
<b>Lisa Guevara Perry (Lay)</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>103</b>	<b><i>ELECTED</i></b>
Eric Vezie (Lay)	39	49	
<b>Hannah Elyse Cornthwaite (Clergy)</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>106</b>	<b><i>ELECTED</i></b>

**Lay Deputies to the 82<sup>nd</sup> General Convention – Elect Up to Four Deputies**

	<b><u># of Ballots Counted</u></b>	<b><u># Needed to Elect</u></b>
<b>Clergy</b>	109	55
<b>Lay</b>	149	75

<b><u>Nominee</u></b>	<b><u>Clergy</u></b>	<b><u>Lay</u></b>	<b><u>Outcome</u></b>
Ronald Fisher	24	49	
Shawn Francis Anderson	13	24	
<b>Laura Curlin</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>75</b>	<b><i>ELECTED L2</i></b>
<b>Jeanette Dinwiddie-Moore</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>75</b>	<b><i>ELECTED L4</i></b>
<b>Christopher Hayes</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>77</b>	<b><i>ELECTED L3</i></b>
Emily Hopkins	24	48	
<b>Sarah Lawton</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>85</b>	<b><i>ELECTED L1</i></b>
Karma Quick-Panwala	39	57	
Warren Wong	38	64	

*All unelected nominees continued on to Ballot #2 for the election of Lay Alternate Deputies.*

**Ballot #1** *continued*

**Clergy Deputies to the 82<sup>nd</sup> General Convention – Elect Up to Four Deputies**

	<b><u># of Ballots Counted</u></b>	<b><u># Needed to Elect</u></b>
<b>Clergy</b>	110	56
<b>Lay</b>	147	74

<b><u>Nominee</u></b>	<b><u>Clergy</u></b>	<b><u>Lay</u></b>	<b><u>Outcome</u></b>
Kira Austin-Young	42	52	
<b>Richard Edward Helmer</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>89</b>	<b><i>ELECTED C2</i></b>
<b>Eric Metoyer</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>93</b>	<b><i>ELECTED C1</i></b>
Ruth Meyers	53	64	
Cameron Partridge	<b>77</b>	53	
Marisa Tabizon Thompson	25	42	
Deborah White	39	70	
Mauricio Wilson	49	73	

*There being no election on Ballot #1 for Clergy Deputies C3 and C4 to the 82<sup>nd</sup> General Convention, all unelected nominees continued on to Ballot #2.*



## **Ballot #2**

### **Lay Alternate Deputies to the 82<sup>nd</sup> General Convention – Elect Four Alternate Deputies**

	<b><u># of Ballots Counted</u></b>	<b><u># of Votes needed for a majority</u></b>
<b>Clergy</b>	88	45
<b>Lay</b>	136	69

<b><u>Nominee</u></b>	<b><u>Clergy</u></b>	<b><u>Lay</u></b>	<b><u>Total</u></b>	<b><u>Outcome</u></b>
<b>Ronald Fisher</b>	<b>49</b>	61	<b>110</b>	<b><i>ELECTED L8</i></b>
Shawn Francis Anderson	42	54	96	
<b>Emily Hopkins</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>145</b>	<b><i>ELECTED L6</i></b>
<b>Karma Quick-Panwala</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>150</b>	<b><i>ELECTED L5</i></b>
<b>Warren Wong</b>	41	<b>86</b>	<b>127</b>	<b><i>ELECTED L7</i></b>

### **Clergy Deputies to the 82<sup>nd</sup> General Convention – Elect Two Deputies**

	<b><u># of Ballots Counted</u></b>	<b><u># of Votes needed for a majority</u></b>
<b>Clergy</b>	91	46
<b>Lay</b>	135	68

Two nominees receiving the top two total votes on the Second Ballot are elected Deputy. After the Deputies are elected, those receiving the most total votes in descending order fill the four positions for Alternate Deputy.

<b><u>Nominee</u></b>	<b><u>Clergy</u></b>	<b><u>Lay</u></b>	<b><u>Total</u></b>	<b><u>Outcome</u></b>
Kira Austin-Young	18	38	56	<b><i>ELECTED C7</i></b>
Ruth Meyers	38	35	73	<b><i>ELECTED C6</i></b>
<b>Cameron Partridge</b>	<b>58</b>	50	<b>108</b>	<b><i>ELECTED C3</i></b>
Marisa Tabizon Thompson	14	24	38	<b><i>ELECTED C8</i></b>
Deborah White	25	51	76	<b><i>ELECTED C5</i></b>
<b>Mauricio Wilson</b>	22	57	<b>79</b>	<b><i>ELECTED C4</i></b>

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The Rev. Br. Richard Edward Helmer, BSG  
Secretary of the Convention

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## **CANONICALLY MANDATED APPOINTMENTS**

***by the Bishop:***

**Chancellor**

Mr. Christopher Hayes, Esq.

**Chair of the Committee on Dispatch of Business**

Ms. Elizabeth Simpson-Falck

**Commission on Ministry – Class of 2026**

*appointed with the consent of the Convention*

Ms. Angela Langi

The Rev. Dcn. Elizabeth Sims

The Rev. Sahra Harding

The Rev. Dan Scheid

Co-Chairs: Ms. Cynthia Faust & the Very Rev. Cameron Partridge

***by the Secretary of the Convention:***

**Co-chairs of the Committee on Elections**

Mr. Matthew Burt & the Rev. Krista Fregoso

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*Appointments certified by the Committee on Elections and  
The Rev. Br. Richard Edward Helmer, BSG  
Secretary of the Convention*

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