

BISHOP'S APPOINTMENTS  
 Report to the 236<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention  
 2020 Convention Appointments  
 Appointed by the Bishop

Chancellor	Canon Paul Ambros, Esq.
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Convention Coordinator	Ann M. Notte

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	Rhonda Jackson

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Appointed by the Bishop

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The Rev. Canon Clive O. Sang	Canon Noreen Duncan, Team Co-Chair
The Rev. Canon José Ramon Ubiera Torres	Paul Wolfgang

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The Rev. Dr. Caroline Carson (proposed)	James Douglas
The Rev. Amy S. Cornell	The Rev. Philip B. Carr-Jones
The Rev. Canon Martin U. N. Oguike	The Rev. Kent Walley
The Rev. Canon Richard C. Wrede	

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Campus Ministry Commission

The Rev. Joanne Epply-Schmidt, Chair

The Rev. Daniel Scott Russell	The Rev. Allen M. Wakabayashi
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Clergy Sabbatical Fund Committee

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The Rev. Joanna P. Hollis	Wendy Hallstrom
The Rev. Ophelia G. Laughlin	
The Rev. Juan Angel Monge-Santiago	

Commission on Church Architecture

The Rev. Bruce Montgomery, Chair

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Clergy Continuing Education and Formation Committee

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The Rev. Jorge Liriano Martinez, Dcn.	The Rev. Stephanie Shockley
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Canon Constance White, Co-Chair

Committee on the Diaconate  
The Ven. Lynn H. Johnson, Dcn., Co-Chair  
The Ven. Peter Cornell, Dcn., Co-Chair

Committee on Lifelong Christian Formation  
Bonnie Bivins, Chair

Committee on the Priesthood  
The Rev. Canon John C. Belmont, Jr., Co-Chair  
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2022

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2023

The Rev. Stephen Connor  
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2024

The Rev. Canon Karin R. Mitchell  
The Rev. Canon Martin U. N. Oguike  
The Rev. Juan Monge-Santiago

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The Ven. Peter Cornell, Dcn., Co-Chair

2021

The Rev. Maria Sanzo  
The Rev. Arthur J. Knight, Dcn.

Karen Moore

2022

The Rev. Jorge Martinez, Dcn.

The Rev. Chizoba Nwankwo, Dcn.

2023

The Rev. Paul S. Chalakani, Dcn.

2024

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Discerning Our Common Call Steering Committee

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Global Goals Task Force  
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	The Rev. Trisha Thorme, Dcn., Co-Chair
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Fran McCrory	Phyllis Kata
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The Rev. Jorge Liriano Martinez, Dcn.	Jose Luzardo
The Rev. Juan Angel Monge-Santiago	Luz Sanchez
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The Rev. Dorothea Hospador, Dcn., Co-Chair

The Rev. Dr. Judith Krom, Dcn.	Catherine Regan-DeCicco
The Rev. Dr. Hugh Brown, III	Michael Forbes
The Very Rev. Michael J. Way	

#### Social Concerns Committee

This committee is still in the process of being formed and will assume (among others) the responsibilities previously allocated to the Immigration Task Force, the Prison Ministry Committee and the LGBTQ+ Commission with membership appointed as appropriate to fulfill those areas of ministry.

The Sudan Committee

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Marcus Gales

The Rev. Dr. Caroline Carson (proposed)

Mortimer Mills

The Rev. Sharon L. Sutton

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Robert Kales

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Diocesan Youth Council: TBD

Joseph Rodriguez, Youth Co-Convener

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2021

The Rev. Catherine E. Brunson, Dcn.

Laurie Morgan  
Frangy Pozo

2022

The Rev. Dr. Carolyn A. Bradley, Dcn.

Deborah Kirk  
Patricia Jackson

The Rev. Rosemarie Broderick, Dcn.

2023

The Rev. Margaret Sterchi

Pamela Maiolo  
Carolyn Belvin

Donna Freidel – Liaison between the ECW and the Women's Commission

Youth Council

Clare Gutwein Smith, Convener

Joseph Rodriguez, Co-Convener

Youth Council is in the process of being re-formed under new leadership, with assistance from Convocation Deans.