

Nominations

Treasurer

Bob Hardy

Bob was born and raised in North Vancouver. He obtained a Bachelor of Commerce from UBC in 1981 and received the C.A. designation in 1985 (articled at Cooper & Lybrand, now known as PriceWaterhouseCoopers.) He has worked for himself in a family business since 1985. Bob has attended St. John the Evangelist Church in North Vancouver since 1964 and was the Treasurer at St. John's for the 2 years in the recent past and has been on the finance committee for 5 years. Bob has been on the property committee of St. John's for 4 years and on the church committee on and off for over 25 years. He recently served on the Canonical Committee at St. John's for the third time. Bob has been a member of the North Vancouver High School Education Foundation since 1990. Currently the Foundation awards approx.. 20 scholarships and 20 bursaries of \$1250 to students in North Vancouver. Bob is currently the Treasurer of the Diocese, Chair of the Management, Finance and Property Committee, as well as serving on various MFP sub-committees.

Clerical Secretary

The Reverend Howie Adan

New to the diocese, currently giving Sunday cover to Holy Spirit Anglican in Whonnock.

Lay Secretary

Kim Hodge

Currently, a principal in a private junior kindergarten, Kim's roles have included: facilitation, program development and program administration in a variety of educational settings, including private language schools for international students, and a private vocational college.

Kim is active in her home parish of St. George, Fort Langley: recently 'retired' from her years as People's Warden and part of the parish's council team, she is not part of the Stewardship team. Kim is also a member of the Mission and Ministry Development Committee, a trainer for the Diocesan School for Parish Development (weekend format) and a member of the Consultant's Group.

Archdeaconry Representatives to Diocesan Council (One Clergy and One Lay each)

Burrard

Kelvin Bee

Kelvin Bee and his family have attended St. James' since 1987 when the Rector baptised Kelvin and his son Hank. Kelvin, his grandparents, parents and siblings were taken to St. Michael's Indian Residential School in Alert Bay. Kevin has generously guided St. James in preparation for the Truth and Reconciliation Commission event in Vancouver in 2013. Recently, working with Brander McDonald, Kelvin led the community in The Blanket Exercise. Kelvin will be attending the TRC closing ceremonies in Ottawa as a Downtown Eastside elder and IRS survivor being recognized as a leader.

The Reverend Expedito Farinas

The Revd Expedito was ordained in the Philippines Independent Church. He was given Permission to Officiate in the Diocese of New Westminster in 1998 and ministered at St.

Michael, Vancouver. On October 11, 2012 Expedito's orders were received by Bishop Ingham and he became a priest of the Anglican Church of Canada. Expedito was appointed Rector of St. Mary the Virgin, South Hill in 2013. He is developing a Filipino outreach ministry in conjunction with the existing congregation. He is a member of the nascent Asian-Canadian Anglican ministry group.

Mark Munn

Postulant for ordination in the Diocese of New Westminster, Ombudsperson and Pastoral Minister for Covenant House Vancouver and current member of Diocesan Council. Mark has served the local and national church in a number of roles, including as the former Director of Development and Communications at Christ Church Cathedral and Development Consultant to the Anglican Church of Canada. Mark has extensive managerial and governance experience from his work for the Canadian International Development Agency, University of Victoria, Ecotrust Canada and Covenant House Vancouver. Mark is particularly interested in working with Diocesan Council to renew the church's relationship with our First Nations and immigrant communities, to develop further faith relationships with homeless youth, and to support innovative and new worship communities in the region.

Capilano

The Reverend Janice Lowell

I have served on Diocesan Council for the past three years and the last year as part of the Diocesan Council Agenda Committee. I would like to offer my service for one more two year term. I am a graduate of the Diocesan School for Parish Development and am participating in the Clergy Membership Growth Practitioners Group. I fully support the current direction of the diocese. I am Associate Priest at St. Francis-in-the-Wood, West Vancouver.

Ian Thomas

Having served as the lay delegate for this archdeaconry in the last year, Ian seeks support for two more years to complete, among a number of tasks, the work that has just commenced ensuring congregational development is given the attention it deserves across the diocese. Ian is Rector's Warden at St. Clement's and Lay Reader Coordinator, as well as serving as secretary of the North Vancouver Regional Council.

Ian has served on the board of Canterbury Hills in the Diocese of Niagara and the Executive Council of the Diocese of Edmonton as well as Synod Lay Recorder for the 2010 - 2012 Synod in Edmonton. Ian is a retired teacher, college administrator and Executive Director of a number of Premier's Advisory Councils on Science and Innovation across Canada.

Fraser

Joan Cope

The Reverend Louie Engnan

2014 – Present: Rector, St. Michael, Surrey

2012 – 2014: Interim Priest, St. Michael, Surrey

2014 – Present: Member of Diocesan Council

2014 – Present: Trainer, Diocesan School for Parish Development

Lougheed

The Reverend Paul Bowie

Ordained 1992	Diocese of Toronto
St. David/St. Paul, Powell River	2001 - 2008
St. John, Burnaby	2008 - 2010
St. Stephen and St. Margaret, Burnaby	2010 – 2012
All Saints, Mission	2013 – Present
Served on Diocesan Council	2010 - 2012

Maureen Simons

Maureen has been a member of St. John the Apostle since 2003. In her parish, Maureen has been a member of Parish Council for five years and is currently Associate Warden. Maureen is currently leading a parish property review process. Maureen has been a Synod Delegate for four years. Maureen served as the Parish leader for St. John's Ministry Assessment Process. She is a graduate of the Education for Ministry (EfM) program and has served as an EfM mentor. Maureen has attended Year A of the Diocesan School for Parish Development and will be completing Year B this summer. She is a member of the newly formed Diocesan Consulting Group. Maureen has been on the Diocesan Council as the lay representative for the Archdeaconry of Lougheed for the past year and has served on the Agenda Committee for Diocesan Council. In her professional life, Maureen has over 30 years' experience in human resources, organisational development and employee communications. Maureen has worked for three global management consulting firms in her career and currently owns her own consulting firm.

Vancouver

The Reverend Richard Leggett

Richard is Rector of Saint Faith's Vancouver and Regional Dean of Granville. He served on Diocesan Council prior to its reorganization and as a member of the Ordained Ministry Division prior to the creation of the Standing Committee on Mission and Ministry Development. As Regional Dean Richard serves as Priest in Charge of Saint Mark's Kitsilano as Saint Mark's and Saint George's explore the future shape of their ministry together. He is presently participating in the Diocesan School for Parish Development and in the diocesan Member Growth Practitioners Group. In the wider community, Richard is a member of the Board of the ASK Society, an adult day programme for seniors, and the Steering Committee of the Vancouver Jewish-Christian Dialogue.

The Reverend Karl Przywala

I have a BA Honours degree in Politics from Durham University (1985). I became a C. of E. licensed Lay Reader in 1992 (at the age of 29) and as such was able to do everything a cleric could do other than preside at Holy Communion and be in charge of a parish. This has given me a vision and a heart for authorized lay ministry. I combined this ministry with a career in marketing and market/social research.

My ordination training was in Australia where I lived for eight years. I have both British and Australian citizenship—my third Commonwealth citizenship is a work in progress! I have been Rector of Holy Trinity, Vancouver since February last year. Immediately prior to that, I was Incumbent of six rural parishes in the Church of England Diocese of Southwell and Nottingham.

I have participated in both Diocesan Clergy Conferences since my arrival, and the Diocesan School for Parish Development. I was (pleasantly) surprised to be asked to stand for Diocesan Council – it wasn't something I had sought. Apparently, it is felt that I have some useful experience and attributes to contribute! Amongst these, I would list an emphasis on evangelism and church development – keeping the main thing the main thing. If elected, I will endeavour to make a positive contribution to the Council's life and work.

Reinhard Rudersdorfer

Carol Simpson

Nancy Southam

Westminster

Maureen Thompson

The Reverend Steve Thompson

Youth Representatives to Diocesan Council (two to be elected)

Kimberly Blair

British Columbia and Yukon Anglican Youth Movement Council: 2010 – 2014

BCYAYM Chair: 2013 - 2014

St. Laurence Children's School and Junior Youth Coordinator: 2014 – 2015

Diocesan Council Youth Representative: 2014 – 2015

Provincial Synod Planning Committee: 2015.

Anglican-raised, interested potentially in lay ministry or deacon based ministry.

Christopher Sims

Christopher Sims is a member of St. Anselm's Church near UBC. During his over 17 years at the parish, he has become keenly aware of many of the issues facing young people in the church. He regularly sits on and actively participates in committees as a youth voice, including on Parish Council, the Programs and Events committee (where he helped to organize a very successful speaker series), an ordination discernment group for a member of the parish as well as the canonical committee. At St. Anselm's, he is the head of the servers' guild, a group that is entirely composed of youth and university students. He also acts as a substitute organist and pianist. In the wider church, he has also been involved in the organization of the Constellation Ecumenical Youth Ministry and is the Youth Delegate to Synod (although he cannot always attend). His other activities include being a member of student council, the president and coach of the provincial champion Reach for the Top team, and an actor in musical theatre productions.

He hopes to ensure that the issues, concerns, ideas and prayers of youth from across the Diocese are well represented at Diocesan council, as well as bring forward original strategies to better incorporate young people in the life of this dynamic and growing Diocese.

The Board of Discipline

Clergy Members of the Board of Discipline (three priests to be elected)

The Reverend David Price

Rev. David has been ordained for 45 years, serving in parish and specialized ministries – youth and corrections. He has a background in Industrial Psychology and Personnel. He currently is Priest-in-Charge of All Saints, Agassiz.

The Reverend Sharon Salomons

The Reverend Sharon Salomons was ordained in the Diocese of New Westminster in 2002. She served as Assistant Curate at St Philips Dunbar from 2002 - 2005. She then served as Rector of All Saints Anglican Church in Mission from 2005 - 2012. She was also Regional Dean for Yale Deanery from 2008 - 2012.

Sharon is currently working as a Spiritual Care Practitioner in community palliative care with Vancouver Coastal Health and as a pastoral counsellor in private practice. She is licensed as Assistant to the Rector (non-stipendiary) at St Margaret's Cedar Cottage.

Other active involvement in the diocese includes Chair of the Murrin Fund Committee and participation in the Ministry Discernment Conference for Deacons.

The Reverend Philippa Segrave-Pride

Ordained in the Church of England: Deacon 1999, Priest 2000

I have served in four different parishes in the UK. 1 curacy, 2 term ministries and as an incumbent in a single church benefice. They were a mixture of rural and suburban parishes.

I served on several; Diocesan Committees and School Governing Bodies. I have served at Christ Church Cathedral since 2014.

The Venerable John Stephens

Ordained in 1991 in London, Ontario, John spent five years in a three-point parish in the Diocese of Huron. In 1995 he was Rector of St. John the Divine, Squamish (during this time the church grew substantially and built a new church). In 2001 John became Rector of St. Philip's Dunbar and has served there since. John has also been involved in a variety of ways outside the parish as: Archdeacon, Regional Dean, Chair of the Reconnect Task Force, Co-Chair of Task Force on Ministry and Outreach, formerly on Diocesan Council, Delegate to General Synod 2013, Member of Diocesan Management, Finance and Property Committee, etc. He also is an on-call chaplain for BC Women's and Children's hospitals one weekend per month. He is married and has two teen-aged children.

Lay Members of the Board of Discipline (three to be elected)

Margaret Briscall

Margaret Briscall is a lifelong Anglican who is currently a member of St. Mary's, Kerrisdale where she has served in a number of positions over the years, including four years as a Warden. In the Diocese she has most recently served as Lay Secretary of Synod, Deanery representative on Diocesan Council and as a member of the Ordained Ministry Division, the Grants and Loans Committee and the Bishop's Advisory Committee on Appointments. She is a member of the Cathedral Chapter. At last year's Synod she was elected as a Lay Administrator of the Anglican Initiatives Fund and a member of the Board of Discipline. Margaret received the Order of the Diocese of New Westminster in 2010.

Janet Hill

Janet Hill is a member of St. Margaret's Cedar Cottage parish and has served on Church Committee as well as two terms as a Warden. She contributes further as a member of the Altar Guild and as a Christian Educator for children and youth. Actively involved in the MAP process, she implements MAP goals by facilitating the renovation of the rectory and helping to found *Hineni*, our project for young adults sharing a year of intentional community living and participating in parish life while seeking vocational and spiritual discernment.

Initially educated as a physiotherapist and occupational therapist, she received her Master's degree in Clinical Psychology in 2000 and is in private practice as co-owner of Westcoast Stress and Trauma clinic in Burnaby.

She is passionately interested in fostering healthy connection among church members and between clergy and parishioners and has experience in expediting difficult conversations about such issues.

Andrew Stephens-Rennie

Andrew is a layperson who has served the Anglican Church of Canada in a variety of roles for seven years. He has served at parish, diocesan and national levels, especially in ministries focused on families, children and youth. While in Ottawa, Andrew served as a member of Diocesan Council and its Baptismal Ministry Formation committee. He is currently a member of Christ Church Cathedral, where he is a founding member of the Cathedral's Sunday 5.30pm St. Brigids Eucharistic community (congregation)

The Bishop's Advisory Committee on Appointments clergy Member (two to be elected)

The Reverend Daebin Im

1988-1993 Graduated Sung-Kong Hoe University in Korea
1993-1997 Graduated Central theology seminary in Japan
1998 Nov. Ordained as a Deacon in the Diocese of Osaka, Anglican Church of Japan
2000 Nov. Ordained as a Priest
1998–2005 Assistant Priest and Vicar, Osaka St. Paul's Church, Japan
2005-2008 Vicar at Osaka Grace Church
2009-2011 Assistant Priest at Seongbook Anglican Church, Diocese of Seoul, Korea
2012-present Priest in Charge at Holy Cross Anglican Church

The Reverend Neil Gray

The Reverend Michael McGee

I was ordained in 1990 and as a priest of this diocese since December 2000 I have had the privilege of sharing ministry with the people of St. Mary's Kerrisdale, St. Helen's Surrey and currently I am the rector of St. Christopher's, West Vancouver. My diocesan committee experience has included serving on the Ministry and Congregational Development Committee, Grants & Loans, Diocesan Council and currently I am a member of the Management, Finance and Property Committee and I chair the Diocesan Refugee Unit. This committee and parish experience has given me a good sense of the diversity of this diocese and I value how the work of BACA seeks to build the parishes and diocese as a whole through its part in discerning the calls of clergy to our parishes. I would welcome the opportunity to serve this diocese once again in this ministry.

Lay Member (two to be elected)

Dana Bowman

A lifelong Anglican. I have served as a Sunday School teacher, reader, counter, sidesperson, greeter and trustee. I was the coordinator of the World Day of Prayer in 2008 for all denominations in the City and District of North Vancouver. I have served on a canonical committee, Parish Council church committees, North Vancouver Deanery Council, Diocesan Council and the Bishop's Advisory Committee on Appointments. I have been a delegate to the Synod on several occasions and an alternate lay delegate to General Synod. In 2011 I was inducted into the Order of the Diocese of New Westminster. It has been an honour for me to serve the church. I hope you will find me deserving of a position on the Bishop's Advisory Committee on Appointments.

Eric Harris

Eric is a member of St. Mary's Kerrisdale and has served as Rector's Warden and Chair of a Canonical Committee.
In his work, Eric is a labour and employment lawyer practicing in Vancouver, and works extensively on employment arrangements and agreements.

Additionally, Eric has served as a Director of the Justice Institute of BC and currently sits on the Board of Directors for the Dalai Lama Centre and St. Paul's Hospital Foundation, and serves as a Vice Chair for the Business Council of British Columbia.

Susan McGee

I had the pleasure of serving on BACA for the last two years, and would very much like to serve for another term. I enjoy working with parish representatives to discern the gifts and skills that applicants present and helping them to see how these individuals could complement their parish and help them to grow and develop. In my work life, I am a manager for the Chartered Professional Accounts (CPA). I work with a team to provide multimedia expertise for online learning. In our diocese, I was a delegate to General Synod in 2013, the Chair of the Synod Planning Committee for 2 diocesan synods (2012 and 2013) and the electoral synod of 2013. I have also served on the Ministry and Congregational Development Committee, taught Sunday School, been a parish synod delegate and served several million cups of tea.

Bonnie Paetkau

Bonnie has been a member of St. Hilda's for about fifty years and been active in a variety of ministries and leadership roles for much of that time. That includes several terms as a warden (about sixteen years total) and involves working on three Canonical Committees. She has also served as Bishop's Warden at St. Andrew's, Pender Harbour and as a member of the Diocesan Council.

Anglican Initiatives Fund

Clerical Administrator (one to be elected)

The Reverend Harold Munn

The Reverend Stephanie Shepard

The Reverend Craig Tanksley

Craig Tanksley has been in full-time parish ministry for 38 years. He has served as clergy in ten churches including one year in South East Asia. He has experience in nearly every area of parish life and ministry. Craig has been an active member of our Diocese since 1993 when he first served at Holy Trinity, Vancouver for seven years as they made the transition into the Chalmers property. He now serves as the Rector of St. Mark's, Ocean Park. He has served as the Regional Dean of the Burnaby Deanery and is currently Regional Dean of the Peace Arch Deanery.

Lay Administrator (one to be elected)

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Patricia McSherry

Monte Worthington

Blessed to be a member of the parish of St. George, Fort Langley for 35 years. Parish involvement – past People’s Warden, Synod Delegate and Parish Trustee. Diocesan involvement – 17 years on Diocesan Council, 6 years Bishop’s Advisory Committee on Appointments. 6 years on Provincial Council. 6 years on Provincial Synod. Chair of Stewards in Action for 3 years. Ministry and Congregational Development Committee for 3 years. Member of the Cathedral Chapter for 3 years. Elected member of General Synod 3 times.

Provincial Synod

Clerical Delegates (two to be elected)

The Reverend Allen Doerksen

The Reverend Janice Lowell

I am a graduate of the Vancouver School of Theology, 2008. I did curacies at St. Andrew’s, Langley and Holy Trinity, White Rock. I am currently Associate Priest, St. Francis-in-the-Wood, West Vancouver. I served on the Stewardship Committee for five years, am a graduate of the Diocesan School for Parish Development and am one of the “consultants” in training for the Diocese.

The Reverend Ruth Monette

The Rev. Ruth Monette currently serves as the Director for Mission and Ministry Development for the Diocese. She was among the clerical delegates to the Provincial Synod in 2012 and is the Diocese of New Westminster’s representative to the Council of the Provincial Synod.

The Reverend David Price

The Reverend Karen Saunders

I’ve been serving as a deacon at St. George’s, Fort Langley for almost three years. I’ve been part of the parish for nearly 20 years. Served as a Parish Treasurer, Warden and Synod Delegate. Ran my own business for 15 years. A good communicator who enjoys working with others.

The Reverend Jessica Schaap

Seven years ago, Jessica was ordained to the priesthood and served as curate and assistant priest at St. James’ Anglican Church in Vancouver until May 2013. In August of 2013, she began as rector of St. Paul’s Anglican Church in Vancouver. She is a member of the Diocesan Membership Growth Practitioner’s Group, the planning committee for the “Clergy under 40” national conference, and recently sat on the Search Committee of the Vancouver School of Theology for the inaugural appointment of the Butler Chair in Homiletics and Biblical Interpretation. Prior to ordination, Jessica worked in university chaplaincy for the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada and as a communications consultant for the Vancouver International Digital Festival and New Media BC. She lives in East Vancouver with her husband, Harry, daughter, Madeline, and a very grumpy cat named Harlo.

Lay Delegates (three to be elected)

Caitlin Reilley Beck

Caitlin is Treasurer at St Augustine's, Marpole and works as the Diocesan Children and Youth Ministries Coordinator. Caitlin has worked in parish children's and youth ministry for the past seven years, and has also contributed to Diocesan youth events in New Westminster and the Diocese of Ottawa. She is also involved in the wider Anglican world, having served as a delegate to the Edinburgh 2010 World Mission Conference and the UN Commission on the Status of Women on behalf of the Anglican Communion. She is presently the BC and Yukon representative on the National Church's Youth Secretariat.

Cameron Gutjahr

Youth Director at St. Mary's, Kerrisdale. Worked at Sorrento Centre for 6 years. Served on Diocesan Council and on the Diocesan Reconnect Task Force. Recently became co-chair of the Diocesan Youth Movement, and chaired the British Columbia and Yukon Anglican Youth Movement for two years. Biology Major at UBC. Likes skulls and reading fantasy and science fiction.

Mary McIntyre

Mary Louise (Dunbar) McIntyre, Born in 1954, Baptised, Confirmed (12), Married and actively involved in the life of St. George's parish, Maple Ridge during the first 19 years of her life. Married in 1973 to Brian McIntyre, began a family and a back and forth relationship with the Diocese of Caledonia for 13 years, as they moved between parishes in Haney, Fort St. John, Maple Ridge, Burns Lake, Prince Rupert and Mission. In each parish, as she has been called to, she was involved in the local WA / ACW, Altar Guild, Sunday School and Parish Council, including Treasurer or Diocesan Synod Delegate positions. Since becoming a member of All Saints, Mission in 1986, in addition to the aforementioned local positions, the Diocese of New Westminster Diocesan positions held were, as Yale Deanery representative on Diocesan Council for two terms and 3 year terms as Vice President, President and Newsletter Editor on the Diocesan Board of the Anglican Church Women. Mary represented the Diocese of New Westminster ACW, from 2007 to 2010, at the annual National ACW Presidents conferences. They are hosted by a different Diocese each year. Mary is a Certified Professional Account and holds the positions of Treasurer and Synod Delegate at the parish of All Saints in Mission.

Anne Shreck

General synod

clerical Delegates (five to be elected)

The Reverend Patrick Blaney

The Reverend Heidi Brear

Heidi has been ordained for 9 years and is currently the Rector of St. Margaret Cedar Cottage and the Regional Dean of Kingsway. She is a member of the Cathedral Chapter and the Murrin Fund Committee. She has never had the opportunity to attend General Synod and would love to have the chance to gather with Anglicans from across the country to be involved in the important work of the national church.

The Very Reverend Peter Elliott

Dean of the Diocese and Rector of Christ Church Cathedral since 1994, Peter has served the national and international church in a wide variety of roles. Currently the priest

member of the Anglican Consultative Council, Peter also chairs the Anglican Communion Council of the General Synod. A former Prolocutor of the General Synod, Peter first proposed changes to the marriage canon in 2007 at Winnipeg's General Synod. He seconded the motion at General Synod 2010 calling for the creation of the Commission on the Marriage Canon, and would be privileged to be part of the delegation to the 2016 General Synod to continue advocacy for equal sacramental marriage within the Anglican Church of Canada.

The Venerable Douglas Fenton

Douglas is Métis, raised in Northwestern Ontario. Douglas was made Deacon 1980, and ordained as a Priest in 1981. In the Diocese of Keewatin he was made Parish Priest, Diocesan Youth Chaplain, Diocesan Council member and General Synod Delegate. In the Diocese of Rupert's Land, he served as Chaplain & Dean of Residence, member of Diocesan Council, General Synod Delegate. In the Diocese of New Westminster, he has served as Parish Priest, Regional Dean and on Diocesan Council. At the Episcopal Church Centre in New York, he was National Young Adult and Campus Ministry Staff Officer. In the Diocese of New York: Assistant Priest, Diocesan Board of Campus Ministry. Back in the Diocese of New Westminster: Director of Mission and Ministry Development, Executive Archdeacon, Archdeacon of Burrard and Interim Parish Priest (St. James).

The Reverend Richard Leggett

Richard is Rector of Saint Faith's Vancouver and Regional Dean of Granville. He served on the national Faith, Worship and Ministry Committee and the Joint Anglican-Lutheran Commission. During his time on Faith, Worship and Ministry, Richard was a member of an earlier working group on the implications of same-sex marriage for the Marriage Canon. Currently, Richard is a member of the national Liturgy Task Force which is charged with revising the contemporary-language texts of the Anglican Church of Canada. He represented the Diocese of New Westminster at General Synod 2007.

The Venerable Lynne McNaughton

Lynne is parish priest at St. Clement's in North Vancouver, and archdeacon of Capilano. Lynne was a member of General Synod 2010 and Joint Assembly in 2013. She was a member of the national Faith, Worship and Ministry committee for the 2010-2013 term. She is one of the Anglican delegates to the national Anglican -United Church dialogue. She has been an elected and active member of Council of General Synod (CoGS) for the past two terms, serving on the Resolutions Committee and the Nominating Committee for CoGS, and relations with Partners in Mission.

Although it is of course valuable to have new members attend General Synod, it is also important to have continuity with some of our representatives bringing the experience of work with Council of General Synod. CoGS has been working on preparing the work and resolutions with which the national Church will grapple in 2016. On CoGS, Lynne has been involved in several matters that affect our diocese, such as anti-racism training and parish development. Lynne is familiar with the preparation, process and issues on the work of, for example, the Marriage Commission, the restructuring of General Synod, and the proposal for the Anglican Church of Canada walking alongside the Anglican Council of Indigenous People.

Lynne brings enthusiasm and experience to the work of the National Church; her parish is supportive of her work in this area, as it energizes her parish and diocesan work. She would be pleased to once again serve this Diocese at General Synod 2016.

The Reverend Stephen Muir

Born in Toronto, raised in North Vancouver, and ordained in 1997, I have served as a parish priest in the Diocese of Cariboo and the Diocese of New Westminster. I am currently the Rector of St. Agnes Church, and Regional Dean of North Vancouver. For the past four years I have been actively involved in planning and sometimes leading diocesan stewardship events. I have also served as a member of Diocesan Council. I am currently

completing work on my Doctor of Ministry degree through the Toronto School of Theology, with my thesis focussing on how we can support lay leaders in the church during times of change. In 2001, I had the privilege of attending General Synod as a delegate for Cariboo and was elected to a 3-year term on the Communications Committee of General Synod. These experiences helped broaden my appreciation for the depth and breadth of our Anglican Church family in Canada and around the world. I would be honoured to be a delegate from our diocese in 2016.

The Reverend Paula Porter Leggett

The Reverend Alisdair Smith

Alisdair has nearly 20 years of experience on boards and teaching and consulting in governance. He has extensive knowledge in strategic thinking and planning. One of Alisdair's key competencies is as a facilitator, creating space for dialogue and group decision making in the midst of difficult and painful change and transition. Alisdair has been on the clergy team at Christ Church Cathedral for almost 11 years, working with business people from all sectors, and supporting people in the vital work of changing their minds. He has served on committees at the cathedral and in this diocese exploring strategic options and currently serves on a committee for the Metropolitan looking at Safe Church policies and education. He would be honored to serve as a Clerical Delegate to General Synod.

The Reverend Brian Vickers

Brian was ordained in 1987 in the Diocese of Montreal. After a curacy in Montreal and then serving a rural three-point parish north of the city, he moved to the Diocese of New Westminster in 1992 to be the Rector at the Church of the Holy Trinity, White Rock. Following ten years in White Rock, he served as Rector of St. Helen's Point Grey, and then at St. Anne's, Steveston, where he has been Rector since 2009.

Brian has also served the Diocese as a member of the Administration & Finance Committee, Chair of the Ordained Ministry Division, as a member of Diocesan Council and most recently serving on the Search & Nominations Committee for the election of a new Bishop for our Diocese. Brian has served as Regional Dean in three different deaneries in the Diocese and is currently Regional Dean in the Deanery of Richmond & Delta.

Lay Delegates (five to be elected)

Melanie Delva

Melanie has served as Diocesan and Provincial Archivist and is a parishioner at St. Mary's, Kerrisdale. She has served at the parish level on Parish Council and the MAP Task Force, at the Diocesan level as Lay Secretary, and at the National level as a delegate to General Synod. Melanie was heavily involved in the Residential Schools Truth & Reconciliation Commission and has a particular interest in Indigenous justice. As Archivist, she has a passion for the intersection of past and present and the ways this can support the vitality of the life of the church.

Robert Dickson

Many years in management in industry – was President of Van Tan Industries Ltd and Vice President and General Manager of Dominion Tanners Ltd;
Active Volunteer: Past President and Board member of Mountain Equipment Co-Op; Active Volunteer Ski Patrol Member and Life Member – 1975 to present; past vice-chair of Gastown BIA.
Currently employed as Business Administrator of the Diocese;
Past Treasurer of St. George's Anglican Church, Winnipeg; past warden, trustee and treasurer of Christ Church Cathedral, Vancouver; initiating treasurer of St. George's Place Society

Treasurer of the Diocese of New Westminster: 1987-2000; past member of the Board of Camp Artaban Society. Previous member of General Synod including 2013; Current Chair of Financial Management Committee of General Synod; current liaison member of Resources for Mission Committee of General Synod.

I have particular interest in the Mission of the Church throughout Canada and in the Anglican Communion.

Alecia Greenfield

Alecia Greenfield, MBA, has over 15 years' experience in project development with a focus on financial modelling. She is a skilled facilitator who digs for core issues. An award winning artist she brings creative process to all her projects – yes, even budgets. Alecia is currently working to licence an invention.

At St. Clement, North Vancouver, Alecia is the chair of the stewardship committee and actively engaged in considerations of how mainline churches and making neighbourhood connections.

Cameron Gutjahr

Youth Director at St. Mary's, Kerrisdale. Worked at Sorrento Centre for 6 years. Served on Diocesan Council and on the Diocesan Reconnect Task Force. Recently became co-chair of the Diocesan Youth Movement, and chaired the British Columbia and Yukon Anglican Youth Movement for two years. Biology Major at UBC. Really likes mangoes and likes listening to Walk off the Earth.

Simon Johnston

- Currently retired and Chair of the Synod Planning Committee 2014 & 2015
- Executive Director, Gateway Theatre 2000 – 2013
- Other:
 - Artistic Director, Lighthouse Festival, Ont
 - Artistic Director, Press Theatre, Ont
- Novelist / Writer - "House of Wives", Penguin, 2016
- CBC TV & CBC Radio Drama, Stratford Festival Writer in Residence
- Banff Centre Resident Director / Writer

Pamela McElheran

Pamela McElheran is a lifelong Anglican whose parents were founding members of the parish of St. Laurence, Coquitlam. Paula has held many leadership positions at St. Laurence over the years – most recently as the Bishop's Warden and as a Synod Delegate. She has served as a lay representative on the diocesan Clergy Compensation Committee and is currently a member of the diocesan Spiritual Renewal Committee. In her professional life, Pamela is a Registered Nurse who has held many leadership positions over her career including clinical consultant and hospital administrator. She has graduate education in nursing from UBC and also holds project management and lean healthcare certifications. Pamela is enrolled in the first year of the Diocesan School for Parish Development and would be honoured to represent the Diocese as a delegate at the 2016 General Synod.

Mary McIntyre

Mary Louise (Dunbar) McIntyre, Born in 1954, Baptised, Confirmed (12), Married and actively involved in the life of St. George's parish, Maple Ridge during the first 19 years of her life. Married in 1973 to Brian McIntyre, began a family and a back and forth relationship with the Diocese of Caledonia for 13 years, as they moved between parishes in Haney, Fort St. John, Maple Ridge, Burns Lake, Prince Rupert and Mission. In each parish, as she has been called to, she was involved in the local WA / ACW, Altar Guild, Sunday School and Parish Council, including Treasurer or Diocesan Synod Delegate positions. Since becoming a member of All Saints, Mission in 1986, in addition to the aforementioned local positions, the Diocese of New Westminster Diocesan positions held were, as Yale Deanery representative on Diocesan Council for two terms and 3 year terms as Vice President, President and Newsletter Editor on the Diocesan Board of the Anglican Church

Women. Mary represented the Diocese of New Westminster ACW, from 2007 to 2010, at the annual National ACW Presidents conferences. They are hosted by a different Diocese each year. Mary is a Certified Professional Accountant and holds the positions of Treasurer and Synod Delegate at the parish of All Saints in Mission.

Glen Mitchell

Glen Mitchell is the Director of Stewardship and Gift Planning at the Diocese of New Westminster. He was a General Synod delegate in 2010 (Halifax) and 2013 (Ottawa) He continues as a member of the Resources for Mission Coordinating Committee of General Synod. A member of St. Mary's Kerrisdale, Glen is a board member of Fundación Cristosal, an American episcopal foundation working with refugees, human rights issues and community development in El Salvador where Glen has worked on three occasions as an election observer. He served on the board of directors of the Camp Artaban Society for six years and was chairperson of its Fundraising Committee. He also served as chairperson and Vice-president of the Mission to Seafarers Society for three years and as a member of the board for nine years. As a diocesan volunteer he chaired the Communications Committee and the Stewards in Action Ministry Committee for several years. He holds a Master of Arts in Theological Studies (2010) from the Vancouver School of Theology. Previously, Glen worked as a self-employed resource development consultant to the non-profit sector for nine years. Prior to that, he spent sixteen years in a leadership role with BC's educational broadcaster, the Knowledge Network. His responsibilities included communications, and community and resource development.

Glen enjoys sailing, cycling, studying Spanish, yoga, reading, playing the piano, jazz and classical music, photography and model railroading. He is married to Christine and they have two adult children.

Jane Osler

In 2010 and 2013 it was my privilege to be a lay delegate from New Westminster to General Synod. Those roles resulted in appointments in 2011 to the Anglican Church of Canada's Vision 2019 Implementation Team, in 2012 as a participant in the Primate's consultation "*Embodying God's Call - Aligning General Synod Structures for God's Mission Today*", and most recently, as co-chair of the Planning & Agenda Team for the Council of General Synod (CoGS).

I have been involved as a volunteer with the Anglican Church since my youth, and with this Diocese shortly after moving here in the mid-90's. In my parish, I have been a member of Parish Council, Rector's Warden, and chair of the Cathedral Endowment Fund, and continue to contribute as a volunteer. In 2000 I became involved with the Diocese on a variety of committees, including: Stewards In Action, Communications, Diocesan Council, Grants & Loans, and Ministry Resources; I also co-chaired Plan 2018.

These roles have given me a wonderful opportunity to see how all areas of the Anglican Church are connected. How work in a parish integrates with the Diocese and the Church nationally, as well as how the work of the Church nationally is brought to life in our diocese and parishes.

As a delegate to General Synod, I understand I do not "represent" a constituency when gathered at General Synod; and I believe my involvement with the church has provided me with a good understanding of the issues to be addressed, and as such can make a contribution.

In my spare time I work as a management consultant with a focus on marketing and customer experience.

Chris Richards

Chris has been worshipping at St. Helen's in Surrey since 2005 and was the communications co-ordinator for over 8 years. He is a graduate of the Diocesan School for Parish Development and would be honoured to represent our diocese at General Synod. He is currently a member of the Diocesan Consulting Group.

Alex Starr

I am currently the provincial representative for Council of General Synod, having been elected at the last General Synod in Ottawa. I hope to attend the next General Synod in Toronto, in order to see my effort Ottawa and over the past few years on national committees come full circle in Toronto. I am passionate about upcoming issues for Toronto 2016, including new pathways for indigenous ministry with the Anglican Church. I am especially passionate about the upcoming report of the marriage commission and changes to the marriage canon. As a gay man, raised in and committed to the Anglican Church, I seek to attend General Synod to offer my personal voice and uniquely connected story to these discussions. Peace with you always.

Priscilla Turner

D.O.B 14th February 1938, Confirmed 1947. MA (Oxon), MA (Cantab), DPhil (Oxon). Served on BC Area committee of Scripture Union, Executive Committee of Council of Christian Churches of Greater Vancouver, Executive of Vancouver Chapter of Prayer Book Society of Canada. Member of Holy Trinity, Vancouver since 1986. Member of Diocesan Synod for several years. Alpha Course leader. Choir member. Pastoral counsellor. Published biblical scholar. Canonical Committee member. Parish Adult Education leader and librarian.

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