


2009 Nominee Biography

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Deanery	Southwark
Office for which to be considered	Ecclesiastical Trial Court
Occupation or Employer	Camden County College
Are you willing to stand for election? *	Yes
1. What motivated you to seek nomination for this committee?	When I first sought nomination I was looking for a way to be active at the diocesan level of the church and I saw that the slate for this committee was not full. That bothered me. Historically, the Trial Court has seldom been called into action. Nevertheless, it is clear to me that, in the event that our it is called into action, the Committee must always be fully constituted with people who are at once willing to serve and committed to rendering fair and impartial decisions. I am standing for nomination again because I continue to feel called to ministry at the diocesan level.
2. If nominated, what added value would you bring to the Diocese in moving the committee forward with God's work?	If nominated I would bring an important perspective to the work of the Trial Court, that of a theologically trained layman who has worked on both sides of the pulpit and collaborated in various ministries of our church in five of it's major expressions: parish, seminary, missionary, diocese, and national.
3. Please list relevant experience.	M.Div., Episcopal Divinity School, 1995. The Panama Project, 1993 NEAC, Seminary representative PBFWR (now ERD), Seminary representative Episcopal Chaplaincy at Harvard & Radcliffe, Seminarian Parish Administrator, Church of St. John the Evangelist, Bowdoin Street, Boston, MA Interim Pastor, 1st Congregational Church of Waverly, Belmont, MA Assistant to the Bishop for Special Projects and Pastoral Associate for Youth Ministry, Diocese of Pennsylvania Lay Pastoral Associate, The Church of the Holy Trinity, Rittenhouse Square Adjunct Instructor, Department of Religion, St. Peter's College, Jersey City, NJ Chaplain, Temple University Hospital, Episcopal Hospital Chaplain, Jefferson Hospice
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Disclosure statement (if applicable)

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