

# The Joint Standing Committee On Nominations

## MEMBERSHIP

	Diocese	Province	Meetings Attended	
			84	85
<b>Bishops</b>				
The Rt. Rev. Donald J. Parsons, <i>Chairman</i>	Quincy	5	X	X
The Rt. Rev. John Ashby	Western Kansas	7		X
The Rt. Rev. Emerson Paul Haynes	Southwest Florida	4		X
<b>Presbyters</b>				
The Rev. Christian A. Hovde	Chicago	5	X	X
The Rev. Jesse F. Anderson	Washington	3	X	X
The Very Rev. Donald S. McPhail	Colorado	6	X	X
<b>Lay Persons</b>				
Mr. George Browne	New York	2	X	X
Mrs. Marlene Evans	Virgin Islands	2	X	X
Mr. Harry C. Griffin	Central Florida	4	X	X
Mr. George Lockwood	El Camino Real	8		X
Mr. Ralph Spence, <i>Vice Chairman</i>	Texas	7	X	X
Dr. Charity Waymouth, <i>Secretary</i>	Maine	1	X	X

## REPORT

The first meeting of the Committee was held in Chicago, Illinois on May 16 and 17, 1984, at which time the Committee organized itself and elected officers.

The Committee made plans to circularize the Church for suggested nominees, with particular stress on using the provincial structure. A contact person was designated for each province, and subcommittee responsibilities were assigned for recruiting additional nominees in areas in which nominations were insufficient.

The Committee met again January 15-16, 1985 in Orlando, Florida, to nominate at least two persons for each position for which the Committee was to present candidates for election by General Convention. Special efforts were made to produce slates of nominations which were representative of all the many elements sharing in the life of the Church.

Nominations for **Executive Council** were, among the bishops, *the Rt. Rev. Herbert A. Donovan, the Rt. Rev. Leopoldo Frade, the Rt. Rev. Harold A. Hopkins, Jr., the Rt. Rev. William E. Swing, and the Rt. Rev. Don A. Wimberley.* There are two vacancies, and the term is six years.

For two vacancies with a six-year term, those nominated were: *The Rev. George E. Bates, the Ven. Lincoln Eng, the Rev. Edgar D. Romig and the Rev. Sandra A. Wilson.* For a three-year term, there is one vacancy and those nominated are: *The Rev. Charles H. Eddy, the Rev. Canon Jack C. Knight and the Rev. Wallace A. Frey.* For lay persons there are six vacancies for a six-year term. Those nominated are: *Mrs. Jack Adams, Dr. Howard R. Anderson, Ms. Betty T. Baker, Mrs. Bettye J. Harris, Capt. Janet L. Maguire,*

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*Ms. Anne Carter Mahaffey, Ms. Diana B. Pollard, Ms. Millard E. Pugh, Mrs. Lee Ross, Mr. Ralph Spence, Mrs. Bessie C. Titus, and Mr. Thomas M. Van Culin.*

Nominations for **Trustees of the General Theological Seminary** are required for three vacancies in each order for a term of six years. The Committee nominates among the bishops the following: *The Rt. Rev. C. Judson Child, the Rt. Rev. J. M. Mark Dyer, the Rt. Rev. Robert W. Estill, the Rt. Rev. Armando R. Guerra-Soria, the Rt. Rev. Christoph Keller, Jr., the Rt. Rev. Bernardo Merino-Botero, the Rt. Rev. C. Charles Vaché, the Rt. Rev. Andrew F. Wisseman, and the Rt. Rev. Robert C. Witcher.*

Nominees for vacancies in the clerical order are: *The Rev. Richard J. Bowman, the Rev. Sergio Carranza-Gomez, the Ven. Carlson Gerda, the Ven. Denise G. Haines, the Rev. John H. Smith, and the Ven. Arthur B. Williams.*

Lay persons nominated for vacancies are: *Dr. Richard Arellano, Mrs. Joyce P. Austin, Mr. Ronald Barlow, Mr. George E. Browne, Dr. James S. Coles, Mrs. Vivian E. Norton and Mr. David E. Summer.*

The Committee was charged to nominate candidates to serve as **Trustees of The Church Pension Fund**. Twelve persons are to be elected for six-year terms and those nominated are: *Mr. Robert A. Addison, the Rev. Martin L. Agnew, Mr. Theodore H. Ashford, the Rt. Rev. William A. Beckham, the Rev. Donald E. Bitsberger, the Rev. Canon Yung Hsuan Chou, the Very Rev. R. Richard Coombs, Mr. Vincent Currie, Jr., Mr. Daniel P. Davison, Mr. John Miles Evans, Mr. Robert M. Gordon, the Rev. Joseph Nathaniel Green, the Rev. Barbara C. Harris, Mr. James B. Knowles, the Rev. Canon Russel Matthews, the Hon. Joseph E. Michael, Jr., Mr. Samuel F. Pryor III, Dr. Prezell R. Robinson, the Rev. Roy W. Strasburger, Mr. Jon Stufflebeem, Mrs. Frances K. Swinford, Mr. Carroll L. Wainwright, Jr., and the Rt. Rev. Robert C. Witcher.*

Nominees for a single vacancy for a one-year term are: *Mrs. Virginia Norman and Mr. Charles H. Tindal.*

Nominations for **The General Board of Examining Chaplains** are divided into four categories, required by the Canons. Three lay persons need to be elected, and the nominees are: *Dr. Thomas A. Bartlett, Dr. Harold Conlon, Dr. Deborah Hines, Mr. Nicholas T. Molnar, Dr. Warren Ramshaw, Mrs. Evelyn Shipman, Mr. Joseph Smith, and Dr. Malcolm Webb.*

Three members of seminary or college faculties are to be elected, and those nominated are: *The Rev. Charles H. Clark, the Rev. L. William Countryman, the Very Rev. Dr. William H. Peterson, Dr. Timothy F. Sedgwick, the Rev. Philip W. Turner III, and the Rev. Patricia Wilson-Kastner.*

Three priests with pastoral cure are to be elected, and the nominees are: *The Rev. Dr. Malcolm C. Burson, the Rev. Richard R. Cook, the Rev. David K. Fly, the Very Rev. Robert Giannini, the Rev. Dr. L. Jerome Taylor, Jr., the Rev. Jose E. Vilar, and the Rev. Douglas G. Warren.*

Two bishops should be elected, and the Committee nominates: *The Rt. Rev. C. Fitzsimmons Allison, the Rt. Rev. John F. Ashby, the Rt. Rev. Gordon T. Charlton, the Rt. Rev. Charles F. Duvall and the Rt. Rev. J. M. Mark Dyer.*

Nominee for **Treasurer of the General Convention** is *Mr. Matthew Costigan.*

Nominee for **Secretary of the House of Deputies** is *the Rev. Canon James R. Gundrum.*

**FINANCIAL REPORT, 1983-1985**

	1983	1984	1985
<b>Expenses</b>			
Budget	\$2,500.00	\$2,007.00	\$8,500.00
Expended	3,857.09	1,848.41	

**BUDGET REQUEST FOR TRIENNIUM, 1985-1988**

Travel—two meetings (organizational meeting and final nominating meeting) for 12 members at \$500 per person	\$12,000.00
Office Expenses	1,000.00
Meals and lodging—12 members; two meetings, 2½ days each; meals \$35 per day; lodging \$80 per day	6,600.00
<b>Total</b>	<u><u>\$19,600.00</u></u>

**Resolution #A—120**

**Funding**

*Resolved*, the House of \_\_\_\_\_ concurring, That there be appropriated from the Assessment Budget of the General Convention the sum of \$19,600 for the triennium of 1985-88, for the expenses of the Joint Standing Committee on Nominations.

**BIOGRAPHIES OF NOMINEES**

**The Executive Council**

**BISHOPS**

**The Rt. Rev. Don Adger Wimberly**

He served as a deputy to General Convention in 1976, 1979, 1982, and was elected for 1985. He was elected the Bishop of Lexington on June 2, 1984 and was consecrated on September 22, 1984. He has served as the dean of St. John's Cathedral, Jacksonville, Florida from 1978 to 1984, and chairman of the board, Cathedral Foundation, 1978-1984. He was a member of the House of Deputies Commission on The Church Pension Fund in 1982. In his diocese, he has served as chairman of the board, Jacksonville Episcopal High School; president of the Standing Committee, 1980-1981; Executive Council, 1978-1984; and Episcopal Radio and TV Foundation. He is a member of the Regional Association for National Church Office of Evangelism and Renewal. He is a member of the Downtown Rectors of the New South, former member of the Florida Junior College Advisory Council, and serves on the board of trustees of Virginia Theological Seminary.

**The Rt. Rev. Harold A. Hopkins, Jr.**

Bishop Hopkins was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and educated at the University of Pennsylvania and General Seminary. After ministry in congregations in New York and Maine, he served for ten years on the diocesan staff with chief responsibility for communication, planning, oversight of mission congregations, and ministry development.

Elected Diocesan in North Dakota in 1979, he has held several provincial, national, and ecumenical positions. His present diocesan priorities include American Indian ministry and related issues, strengthening "total ministry," and developing outreach appropriate to small congregations and dioceses. He also serves as assisting bishop in Minnesota.

Bishop Hopkins is presently chairman of Coalition 14, a national union of 16 dioceses deeply involved in ministry development, imaginative planning for mission, and moving where possible toward financial independence. In accepting nomination for the Executive Council, Bishop Harris said: "I am deeply committed to furthering our Church's historic ministry with Native American people, and to building a spirit of interdependence within and among the various entities and units of the whole Church, especially those related to small congregations and dioceses."

His wife, Nancy, is a professional in family relations and refugee resettlement. They have six children.

### **The Rt. Rev. Herbert A. Donovan, Jr.**

He was born on July 14, 1931, and married Mary Gertrude Sudman on July 7, 1959. He was ordained deacon in June 1957, priest in December 1957, and bishop in September 1980. He has three children. Employment experience; Bishop of Arkansas from 1981; Rector, St. Luke's, Montclair, New Jersey, 1970-1980; executive officer, Diocese of Kentucky, 1964-1970; Vicar, then Rector, St. Andrew's, Basin-Greybull, Wyoming, 1959-1964; Rector, St. John's, Green River, Wyoming, 1957-1959. Education: Episcopal High School, 1949; University of Virginia, 1954, B.A.; Virginia Seminary, 1957, M. Div. and 1981, DD. Continuing education: College of Preachers Fellow, 1976; General Seminary, 1972-1974. Appointments and elections: House of Deputies, 1967-1979; Council on Development of Ministry, 1977-1980; Executive Council, 1979-1980; Standing Commission on Constitution and Canons, 1982-; vice president, Province VII, 1984-; Council of Advice to Presiding Bishop, 1984-; chaplain, USNR, 1957-.

### **The Rt. Rev. William E. Swing**

Bishop of California from 1980 and Bishop Coadjutor of California, 1979. Education: Kenyon College, A.B. 1958, D.D. 1981; Virginia Theological Seminary, M.Div. 1961, D.D. 1980. He was Curate of St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling, West Virginia, 1961-1963; Vicar of St. Thomas, Weirton, and St. Matthew's, Chester, West Virginia, 1963-1969; Rector of St. Columba's, Washington, D.C. 1969-1979; president of Standing Committee, Diocese of Washington, 1976-1979; consultant in Rector Vacancies; chairman of Program for Preparation for Ministry, Diocese of Washington; co-chairman, Task Force of Women, Diocese of Washington; member of Commission on Camps and Conferences, Diocese of Washington; Field Work Department, Virginia Theological Seminary, 1970-1979; chairman of the board of Church Divinity School of the Pacific, 1983-1984; Faith & Witness chairman of the Northern California Ecumenical Council; president of the Episcopal Foundation for Drama; teacher at St. George's College, Jerusalem, 1985; occasional tournament golfer; Kanuga Conference Center leader; Middle Atlantic Training Committee trainer; keynote speaker in Christian education; Presiding Bishop's Advisory Commission on Evangelism and Renewal; Presiding Bishop's TV Satellite Committee; House of Bishop's Committee on Evangelism, Committee on the New Hymnal and Committee on Ministry; San Francisco Mayor's Holocaust Committee; co-chairman of the Dream of California Campaign.

### **The Rt. Rev. Leopold Frade**

He has served congregations in Miami, New Orleans, and Orlando. He is a graduate of Sewanee and belongs to their Alumni Council, and he also holds an honorary D.D.

from the General Theological Seminary. He is well known for his work with refugees and his involvement to bring peace to his region. At present he is a member of the national Hunger Commission and is a founding member of SPCK-USA.

He was elected to Executive Council as a presbyter and served for one year and three months until his consecration as diocesan Bishop of Honduras. There he was part of the national Mission Committee.

His significant involvements in the past are: Coalition for Human Needs, 1978-1979; chairperson and member, national Hispanic Commission 1977-1980; regional associate for Evangelism and Renewal, 1981-1983; International Committee for Translation of BCP, 1978-1979; Commission on Leadership and Development, 1978-1979; Church in Society Commission, 1983; Minority Ministry Development Commission, 1983.

Bishop Frade is known for his involvement for peace in time of crisis and also as a positive negotiator to achieve consensus.

He is currently a member of the Ministry Commission of the House of Bishops.

### **PRIESTS (Three-year term)**

#### **The Rev. Charles H. Eddy**

Rector, St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Anchorage, Alaska since 1969. Charles served on the Standing Commission on World Mission, 1973-1982, through appointment by the Presiding Bishop and President of the House of Deputies, serving with distinction as chairman of the Joint Commission on World Mission at General Convention, 1976. He served on the Commission on World Mission for General Convention of 1979 and 1982. Active in the Diocese of Alaska, he has been a member of the Standing Committee, and its president, 1977-1978. During the transition from missionary Diocese to Diocese of Alaska, he served on the Canons Committee for the Diocese. Elected a borough assemblyman in 1974-1975, he worked on a task force on drunk driving, the Anchorage Council on Alcoholism, and the Anchorage Council of Churches. He serves as chairman of the Social Services Task Force, City of Anchorage, to distribute support to social services agencies. At St. Mary's, he has begun ministries for Sacramentalist Priests training, a Creative Playschool and Creative Institute for adults together with Centerpoint, a counseling center. Charles is a graduate of Hanover College, B.S., and Virginia Theological Seminary, B.D., J.Div, 1966. He is married and has two children.

#### **The Rev. Canon Jack Churchill Knight**

Served as parish Priest and Canon Missioner in Diocese of Colorado for 13 years prior to becoming the Canon for Mission for the Diocese of Louisiana. In Colorado, served on the Bishop's Administrative Cabinet and chaired the Commission on Mission Strategy. Served two terms on provincial Executive Council of Province VI and was provincial representative to national Executive Council for one year prior to moving from the province. Served on ecumenical social service agency boards and on Medical Ethics Committee of a general hospital. Active in Venture in Mission as diocesan chairman, member of Committee of 200, and on diocesan visitation team. Deputy to General Convention in 1973, 1976, 1982, and 1985 serving on: Church Pension Fund Committee, World Mission as secretary, and co-chaired Joint Committee on Future Sites of General Convention. Initiated design which produced speaker recognition device used at General Convention, 1982. Active in Companion Diocese Committee in Colorado and chairman of same committee for Louisiana. Participated in Partners in Mission Consultations. Presently serving as a stewardship area representative for the national Stewardship Office.

He and his wife, Rosanne, are a presenting couple for the Episcopal Engaged Encounter and have been involved in Cursillo.

### **The Rev. Wallace A. Frey**

An active parish Priest, Rector of Saint David's Church, DeWitt, New York, he is presently a member of Executive Council, having served one three-year term. Mr. Frey is also the chair of the Board for Theological Education of the Episcopal Church. He is a deputy to the General Convention and vice-chair of the legislative Committee on Ministry.

In the Diocese of Central New York, he serves on the Commission on Ordained Ministry, the Venture in Mission Committee, and the Program and Budget Commission.

In the metropolitan Syracuse community, Mr. Frey has recently served as co-chair of the Central New York Biomedical Ethics Conference and is a member of the Arts Council of Onondaga County.

## **PRIESTS (Six-year term)**

### **The Rev. Edgar D. Romig**

A native of New York City, he is an alumnus of Princeton and E.T.S., with a D.D. from Virginia. He received a Bronze Star and a Purple Heart (World War II).

Beginning his ministry as assistant to Theodore Ferris, Trinity, Boston, he has served as Rector of Grace, North Attleboro, St. Stephen's, Lynn; Epiphany, Washington.

Elected to Washington's Standing Committee four times (president for five years), and deputy to five successive General Conventions, he has served regularly on the Ministry Committee, supported marriage canon liberalization, ordination of women, the 1979 Prayer Book, and the Lutheran Concordat.

He has been active in Province III, on the national World Hunger Committee, on the Church Foundation's Clergy Compensation Committee, in the Louisville Partners in Mission Consultation, and as president of area Councils of Churches.

Instructor in Homiletics and tutor at E.T.S., he was an original member of the national Church and City Conference, and of the ecumenical Downtown Cluster of Congregations, serving urban poor in Washington.

His international experience includes ministry at St. Alban's, Tokyo; study of the Diocese of Iran for our national Church; sabbatical at St. George's, Jerusalem; preaching in Asia, Africa, Britain, and on the European continent.

### **The Venerable Lincoln Eng**

Archdeacon of the Diocese of Oregon since 1979. Education includes: University of Washington, Seattle, Washington, 1949, B.S. in Microbiology; Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, California, 1952, M.Div. in Theology. Service includes: Vicar, Church of the Advent, Seattle, 1952-1955; Vicar, St. Peter's, Seattle, 1955-1963; Vicar, St. George's, Seattle, 1963-1968; assistant manager, 1967 General Convention, 1965-1968; Bishop's Staff, Diocese of Olympia, 1968-1971, responsible for camps, conferences and retreats; youth work; Huston Center Development; Vicar, St. John's, Tacoma, 1970-1971; Rector, St. Bartholomew's, Beaverton, Oregon, 1971-1979. Deputy to General Convention in 1961, 1964, 1967, 1969, and 1970. Member of organizing team for Asian Ministry, General Convention of 1973. Member and chairman of Episcopal Asiamerican Ministry, 1973-1977. Member of Provincial Commission for Asian and Pacific Island Ministry, 1983-. Member of Executive Council, 1984-.

Community involvement: Respiratory Disease Association, 1958-1970; City of Seattle Human Rights Commission, 1963-1965; American Red Cross, 1969-1971; Hospice of Oregon, initial planning and work, 1977-1983. Born on October 18, 1921 in Seattle, Washington. He married Mabel Luke on August 27, 1949. His five children are Margaret, Cecilia, Stephanie, Arthur, and Dorothy.

**The Rev. Sandra A. Wilson**

Rector, St. Mark's Church, Bridgeport, Connecticut since 1982. She is an active parish Priest who works to identify gifts and enable others to live into their ministries. In an urban, economically disadvantaged area, she is committed to standing with and for the forgotten and oppressed. She continues to build bridges between all people. She was ordained in 1980. Her experience includes: Executive Council (filling unexpired term), 1983-1985; Education for Mission and Ministry Standing Committee; Personnel Committee and Affirmative Action Monitor Committee to Study the Relocation of the Church Center; Joint Commission on Peace, 1982-; Commission on Black Ministries, 1984-; Ad Hoc Group, Task Force on Women, 1981-; board of advisors, Princeton University Chapel, 1985-; lecturer, Pastoral Theology, Yale Divinity School, 1982-; Commission on Ministry, Screening Committee, 1984-; diocesan examining chaplain, History and Liturgics, 1983-; Anglican/Roman Catholic Dialogue Group, 1983; deputy, General Convention, 1985; Urban Caucus, 1979-; Union of Black Episcopalians; University chaplain, Vassar College, 1981-1982; Curate, Grace Church, White Plains, New York, 1979-1981; chaplain, St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, 1980; part-time, Cathedral of St. John, New York, 1982. Trained in economics, finance and ethics, she has held positions at Chase Manhattan Bank, Trans World Airlines, and Time magazine.

**The Rev. George E. Bates**

His service includes: member, Council of Advice to the President of the House of Deputies, 1979-1985; chairman of the House Committee on the Church in Small Communities, 1985; chairman of the House Committee on the Structure of the Church, 1973 and 1982; Standing Commission on the Church in Small Communities, 1979-1985; representative of the Church in Small Communities to The Church Pension Fund; Standing Commission on the Structure of the Church, 1973-1979; seven times deputy to the General Convention representing Central New York, Eastern Oregon and Rio Grande; member of the executive committee of Coalition 14 and representative from Eastern Oregon and Rio Grande; New Directions consultant, 1985-; Province VII representative to the National Episcopal Coalition on Alcohol, 1982-1983; consultant to the Diocese of Idaho, 1973-1977; member, Episcopal Church Foundation's Ad Hoc Committee on Accountability, Stewardship and Compensation, 1972-1975; diocesan councils and committees, 1959-1985; Rotarian for 15 years. After graduating from the (then) Episcopal Theological School (1958), continuing education events include: The College of Preachers, three times; The Institute of Advanced Pastoral Studies; Conflict Management, Speed Leas; The Menninger Clinic, three years; The Art of Spiritual Direction, Alan Jones; The Johnson Institute.

**LAY PERSONS**

**Mrs. Carole Ross**

A communicant in the Diocese of Central Florida, she has served as a member of the Standing Committee, Planning and Program Commissions, and chair of Education

and Evangelism Commissions. She currently serves on the Liturgical and Ecumenical Commissions, and has been a representative to the Florida Council of Churches since 1978 and served on the executive committee. She has been a deputy to General Convention in 1976, 1979, 1982 and 1985 and a member of the House of Deputies Committees on Education and Evangelism. She is presently the regional coordinator for Evangelism Ministries in Province IV and has served on steering committees for education and evangelism in the province. An active member of St. David's in Lakeland, she serves in the areas of education and liturgy. She has served as a Red Cross volunteer and supports Wheelhouse, a group living facility for developmentally disabled young adults, and Talbot House, an interfaith program of services for persons and families needing food, shelter or emergency help.

**Mrs. Marylyn Adams**

Presiding officer of the 1985 Triennial Meeting of the Women of the Episcopal Church, member of General Convention Planning and Arrangements Committee, and founding member of Council for Women's Ministries. Active at national level since 1977: Action Committee of Triennial Committee; editor of Action Newsletter (1978-1982); communications coordinator, 1979 Triennial Meeting; delegate to Triennial meetings since 1973; elected member-at-large to 1982-1985 Triennial Committee. Member of Society of the Companions of the Holy Cross. Oklahoma delegate to four Province VII Synods and member of ECW Executive Board since 1973. Currently serving on diocesan Council (second term), Convention Planning Committee (chair, 1984; Dispatch of Business, 1982-1984), and ECW Executive Board (past president). Served on Standing Committee, Bishop's Search Committee, Christian Education Department and Commission on Program. Organized Youth Division for diocese and served six years as chair. Active in home parish, All Saints', Miami, Oklahoma: lay reader; chalice bearer; Altar Guild; choir member; delegate to several Conventions; vestry, as clerk and parish treasurer; and Venture in Mission chair. She organized Meals-on-Wheels, Inc. and serves as president of the board. She has held all offices in ECW (several times) and served on the Board of Church Women United.

**Ms. Betty Thomas Baker**

Betty is concluding a three-year term as president of the Church Periodical Club and was presiding officer of the 1982 Triennial Meeting of the Women. She is a delegate to the 1985 Triennial. Other national work: member of Council for Women's Ministries (1983-); board, SPCK/USA (1983-); Council of Advice to President, House of Deputies (1982); Planning and Arrangements Committee for General Convention (1982); Triennial Committee (1979-1983); Triennial delegate (1970, 1979, 1985). She has given speeches and conducted workshops on leadership, spiritual growth, Triennial and CPC in all nine provinces and 35 dioceses. In Province VII, she has been a delegate or alternate to Synods since 1969; CPC chairman (1973-1976); member, ECW board (1970-1981). A resident of Lake Quivira, Kansas, she is in her second term on the trustees of the Diocese of Kansas, and previously served as a member and secretary of the Standing Committee (1972-1976). Other diocesan work: Commission on Alcoholism; Commission on Servant Ministries; ECW president; member of founding board, Turner House. Community work includes hospital guilds and Children's Theatre. A native of Michigan, Betty has a B.S. in business from Colorado. She has completed EFM, is a Cursillista, and is an associate member of Pewsaction.



**Mr. Ralph Spence**

Elected a deputy to General Convention in 1976, Ralph served on the Prayer Book Committee and was the principal presenter of the 1979 Prayer Book. In recognition of his efforts for joy in Prayer Book transition, Ralph was named chairman of the Prayer Book Committee (General Convention, 1979), chairman (General Convention, 1982), and will serve again as chairman in 1985. He has served on the President of the House of Deputies State of the Church Committee and also the Council of Advice, 1985. Diocese of Texas service includes: deputy or alternate to every General Convention since 1961, Standing Committee, three terms on the Executive Board, trustee of the Seminary of the Southwest, trustee of St. Stephen's School, trustee of Quin Foundation, chairman of the Department of Promotion, editor of the *Texas Churchman*, associate general chairman for the \$7 million VIM successful campaign. A chalice bearer and lay reader at Christ Church, Tyler, Ralph has served as junior and senior wardens and diocesan Council delegate. He recently completed a \$250,000 Happy Face Campaign to refurbish the church. He is chairman and CEO of his own production company, and is married with three children.

**Mrs. Betty Jo Harris**

A graduate of the University of Hawaii, she has received her Masters Degree in Public Health Education and is the executive director of the Kalihi Palama Immigrant Service center, Honolulu, which serves the immigrant and refugee population of the state of Hawaii. A member of the national Church's Coalition for Human Needs and the Church World Mission Commission, she also is vice-president of the Hawaii Council of Churches and a member of the diocesan Council, Diocese of Hawaii. She is a former member of the Standing Committee, Diocese of Hawaii, and past senior warden of her local parish. She was first elected a deputy to General Convention in 1982 and is a member of the Union of Black Episcopalians.

**Ms. Diane B. Pollard**

Personnel manager at the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the U.S. She is a member of the vestry of the Church of the Crucifixion in Harlem. Diane currently serves as a member of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of New York, is chairperson of the Diocesan Urban Mission Committee, and serves on the board of numerous organizations within the diocese. Diane has been a deputy to two previous General Conventions (1979 and 1982) and has served on the Urban and Social Committee and the Joint Committee on Nominations. She is currently a member of the board of directors of the Episcopal Urban Caucus.

**Ms. Bessie Charlotte Titus**

She was born April 8, 1955. Employment: diocesan staff member in developing indigenous ministry, Diocese of Alaska, Fairbanks, Alaska, 9/79-5/80; manager, Seth-De-Ya-Ah Corporation Store and Fuel Station, Minto, Alaska, 7/82-12/84. Training: Cook Christian Training School, Tempe, Arizona, 1974-1976; "Crisis Line" Crisis Intervention Counseling workshop, Fairbanks, Alaska, 1978; Black Hills' workshops in "Alcoholism" and "Indian Law", sponsored by Native American Theological Association (NATA), Black Hills, South Dakota, 1980; United Theological Seminary, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 1980-1981; "Seminar Leaders" workshop, Cass Lake, Minnesota, 1983; "Writers Workshop", Cook Christian Training School, Tempe, Arizona, 1982. Service, Diocese of Alaska: St. Barnabas Episcopal Church Committee, Minto, Alaska; Standing Committee; Commission on Ministry; Venture in Mission Planning Committee; Nominating

and Screening Committee for the election of the bishop; The Interior Deanery; national committee on Indian Work. Other service: lay delegate to General Convention, New Orleans, 1982; Women's Aglow. Under a Lilly Foundation Grant, she participated in planning and leading traveling theological education Gospel Missions and workshops for developing guidelines for ministry. Project participation: Development of Church Committee training workshops, Sunday school teacher training workshops, Bible study workshops (*God's Living Word*) and the writing of a shorter version of it (GLW); development of Native American Sunday school curriculum.

### **Dr. Howard Anderson**

A lay employee of the Diocese of Minnesota and North Dakota, he coordinated the shared Interdiocesan Cooperative ministry along with serving as executive director of the Minnesota Committee on Indian Work. He is a member of the Cathedral Church of St. Mark in Minneapolis, Minnesota and serves on the Commission on the Ministry and Commission on Liturgy and Music of the Diocese of Minnesota. He lived for six years in Hawaii, where he earned his Ph.D. in Cross Cultural Education from the University of Hawaii. He put that knowledge and his experience in legal advocacy and group home programs in the urban Indian community to work to become the founding director of the Native American Theological Association (NATA), a groundbreaking program to provide quality and culturally sensitive theological education for native people. The author of several monographs on Native American and Christian dialogues on spirituality, he now lives in Grand Forks, North Dakota, a border town from which he coordinates an innovative attempt to minister to the needs of Episcopalians and others across diocesan and denominational lines. The 37-year-old is active in many community and political efforts.

### **Mrs. Anne Carter Mahaffey**

Long involved in total ministry development, she has just completed three years on the national Task Force on Total Ministry. She leads workshops across the Diocese of Kentucky on the Identification of Gifts for Ministry, and chairs the diocesan Committee on Ministry of the Church. Now on the staff of St. Matthew's, Louisville, as Program and Education Coordinator (with responsibility for adult education and program development), she has served the parish as vestry member, junior warden, and Social Concerns chairman. In the diocese, she has been vice-president and member (five years) of Trustees and Council, chairman and long-time member of the Program Budget Committee, ECW president, ECW secretary, UTO custodian. She has been trustee and Woman's Board president of the Episcopal Church Home, and is now secretary of the Administrative Committee of the Appalachian Regional School for Church leaders. She is a volunteer at the Street Ministry of Christ Church Cathedral. She was a delegate to Triennial in 1976 and 1979 (Resolutions chairman, 1979), General Convention deputy in 1982, delegate to diocesan Conventions and Province IV Synods. She is a graduate of Smith College, and has three daughters and one son.

### **Mr. Millard E. Pugh**

Mr. Pugh has been an active member of the Episcopal Church for 27 years and has served at parish, diocesan, and national levels. He is currently a member of the diocesan Commission for Lay Ministry and is an associate board member of Pewsaction.

Mr. Pugh's nomination for a position on the Executive Council is sponsored by the National Episcopal Cursillo Committee (NECC). He has been active in the Cursillo Movement for over ten years, serving two years as the Convenor of the Minnesota Cursillo Council, three years on the NECC during which time he served two years as president.

Besides his national and diocesan work, Mr. Pugh has found time to be active in parish work. He has served as junior warden and has been involved in both children's and adult Christian education. He has also been a licensed lay reader and chalice bearer for 20 years.

In addition, Mr. Pugh is graduate of the Education for Ministry course by extension from Sewanee, Tennessee, and has been active in interdenominational Prison Ministry for the past six years.

Married, Mr. Pugh has four children and is the warehouse manager of the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company of Minneapolis/St. Paul.

**Captain Janet L. Maguire, USN (Retired)**

Following retirement from the Navy after 32 years of service, she earned M.Div. at VTS (1980) in preparation for lay ministry. Employment: counselor at Goodwin House, Diocesan Retirement Home, and coordinator, Elderhostel at VTS since 1980. She has been a member of Trinity Church, Arlington, Virginia since 1957. Service: twice senior warden; three times junior warden; vestry member four terms; twice president, Women of Trinity; Altar Guild; Church School and chairman of various committees; lay reader; chalice bearer; licensed to preach her own sermons. She has been a delegate or alternate to diocesan Council five times.

Diocesan responsibilities: twice president of Standing Committee, Diocese of Virginia and member three terms; chairman and member of Commission on Lay Ministry; deputy to General Convention 1976, 1979, 1982 and 1985; member of House of Deputies Committee on Ministry, 1979; member of Joint Standing Committee on Program, Budget and Finance since 1979; currently chairman of Program Development Section, PB&F; member, President of House of Deputies; Council of Advice, 1985; member of Bishop for the Armed Forces' Advisory Committee for ten years; chairman in 1980 and member of Washington Theological Consortium board of trustees for six years.

**Mr. Thomas M. Van Culin**

He served on the Standing Commission on Structure of the Church (1982-1988) from Province VIII where he is a member of Provincial Council and the Synod Program Committee. A member of the Diocese of El Camino Real, he has held positions on the diocesan Council, secretary of the Standing Committee, and has served on various other committees such as Real Estate, Finance Department, Clergy Compensation, and Investment. He was co-chairman of the Planning Committee for Camp Mokuleia (1982-1984) and VIM Executive Committee. While serving on the board of trustees of Seabury Hall School, he was a member or chairman of its Long-range Planning and Development Committee. In his parish, he has served as junior and senior warden and lay delegate to diocesan Conventions, as well as Renovation Committee co-chairman and Fund-raising Committee. He is a member of various trade, professional and community organizations through his employment as vice-president of marketing, Profitability of Hawaii, Inc., and serves on the Hawaii Visitors Bureau Research Committee. He is married and has two children.

### General Theological Seminary

#### BISHOPS

##### **The Rt. Rev. Charles Judson Child, Jr.**

Bishop of Atlanta. He is a graduate of the University of the South and St. Luke's School of Theology, and did graduate work at St. Augustine's College, Canterbury, England. He was ordained to the diaconate in 1947. While in the Diocese of Newark, he served as chairman of the Budget Committee, Department of Christian Education, 1959-60; delegate, Anglican Congress, 1963; chairman, Mutual Responsibility and Interdependence Commission, 1963-67; Board of Examining Chaplains, 1954-67; chairman, Department of College Work, 1962-67; Missionary Work, Diocese of Liberia, 1965. In the Diocese of Atlanta, he has served as Examining Chaplain and on the Commission on Ministry, 1968-78; College Work, 1969-72; board of trustees, University of the South, 1973-76; Standing Commission on Church Music, 1976—.

##### **The Rt. Rev. Mark Dyer**

Bishop of Bethlehem. He is a graduate of St. Anselm College, Manchester, and did graduate work at the University of Louvain, Belgium, and at the University of Ottawa and at St. Paul's University, Ottawa. He taught Patristic and Medieval Theology at St. Anselm Abbey Seminary and Gordon Conwell Theological Seminary. He served on the first advisory board leading to the establishment of the Center for Christian Spirituality at the General Theological Seminary. He served as a priest in the Diocese of Massachusetts where he was Canon Missioner to the clergy for seven years.

##### **The Rt. Rev. Robert W. Estill**

Bishop of North Carolina. He is a graduate of the University of Kentucky and the Episcopal Theological Seminary, and earned graduate degrees from Sewanee and Vanderbilt University. He was awarded honorary degrees by the Virginia Theological Seminary and by the University of the South. He was on the faculty of the Virginia Theological Seminary, 1971-76, and directed the Continuing Education Center at the Seminary, 1973-76. He was a member of the Board of Examining Chaplains, 1976-80. He presently chairs the Prayer Book and Worship Committee of the House of Bishops.

##### **The Rt. Rev. Christoph Keller, Jr.**

Bishop of Arkansas (retired). He is a graduate of Washington and Lee University, and served in the U.S. Marine Corps. Following a business career, he entered the General Theological Seminary of which he is a graduate. He is presently a trustee of the Seminary and of Washington and Lee University. He also chairs the board of the Episcopal Church Building Fund.

##### **The Rt. Rev. C. Charles Vaché**

Bishop of Southern Virginia. He is a graduate of Seabury-Western Theological Seminary and has been bishop since 1978. He is chairman of the Church Deployment Board; a member of the Committee on Pastoral Development, heading an update on the Study of the Ministry of Bishops as viewed by Bishops, Clergy and Laity of Diocesan Councils; a member of the Standing Commission on Ecumenical Relations; board member of the Episcopal High School in Alexandria, Virginia, Chatham Hall, Virginia Theological Seminary and Seabury-Western Theological Seminary. He is also chairman of St. George's "Comes-of-Age" Campaign for North America.

**The Rt. Rev. Andrew F. Wissemann**

Bishop of Western Massachusetts. He is a graduate of Wesleyan University and General Theological Seminary. He is an active alumnus of the Seminary and has served as the Province I chairman of the Seminary's Annual Fund. Between 1965 and 1982, he supervised parish training programs for seminarians under the auspices of Western Massachusetts and the Province of New England. In the Diocese of Western Massachusetts, he has served on the Diocesan Council, the Standing Committee, the Commission on Ministry, and has been a Deputy to General Convention in 1976, 1979 and 1982.

**The Rt. Rev. Robert Campbell Witcher**

Bishop of Long Island. He is a graduate of Tulane University and Seabury-Western Theological Seminary. He received a Ph.D. degree from Louisiana State University. He has served as trustee of the University of the South, Seabury-Western Theological Seminary, and is currently a trustee of the General Theological Seminary. He is chairman of the Standing Commission on Structure and the Committee on Pastoral Development. He is a member of the House of Bishops' Committee on Ministry. He is president of the Mercer School of Theology and professor of Ecclesiastical History.

**PRIESTS**

**The Very Rev. Richard Bowman**

Rector of the Church of the Holy Spirit, Apopka, Florida. He is a graduate of Columbia University and the General Theological Seminary. He served as fellow and tutor at the Seminary, 1964-66; dean of the Institute for Christian Studies, Orlando, 1978-83, where he developed the academic program for the renewal of the permanent diaconate in the Diocese. He served three terms as national vice-president of Educators and Trainers for Ministry.

**The Rev. Sergio Carranza-Gomez**

Founder and Rector of St. Andrew's Parish, Mexico City, D.F. He is a graduate of the National University of Mexico and Virginia Theological Seminary. Dean of St. Andrew's Seminary, Mexico City, 1970-74, and currently on the Seminary's faculty. Delegate to the Anglican Consultative Council, 1970-73; chancellor of Province IX, 1970-82; Episcopal Church representative to General Assembly of World Council of Churches, Vancouver, 1983; member of Executive Council, 1978-84; currently president of the Standing Committee of the Diocese; and executive secretary of Province IX.

**The Venerable Carlson Gerdau**

Staff officer, Commission on Ministry, Diocese of Missouri. He is a graduate of Harvard University and the General Theological Seminary. He has special responsibilities for pastoral care of the clergy (selection, training and continuing development) and has functioned as the Clergy Deployment officer. He has been a deputy to eight General Conventions, and is a member of the Standing Commission on the Church in Small Communities.

**The Venerable Denise G. Haines**

Archdeacon of Missions and Ministry for the Diocese of Newark. She is a graduate of the University of Delaware and the General Theological Seminary. She is the Diocesan Deployment officer and is responsible for mission churches. She is a certified supervisor of Clinical Pastoral Education. She has chaired the Pre-ordination Committee of the

Commission on Ministry, directed the Deacon's training program, chaired the committee to study the Perpetual Diaconate and the Urban Strategy Commission.

### **The Rev. John H. Smith**

Rector, Trinity Church, Rutland, Vermont. He is a graduate of Cornell University and the General Theological Seminary. He subsequently received a D.Min. degree from Hartford Seminary. In Vermont he chairs the Commission on Ministry. As a member of the Commission, he helped establish a clergy continuing education program. He has been a member of the Standing Committee and the Diocesan Council. He is an instructor in the Diocesan School of Theology. He is a member of the Diversion Program Review Board, an agency of the Vermont legal system which provides alternative programs for young offenders. He is the author of a four-year-cycle Christian education program for Church school children.

### **The Venerable Arthur B. Williams, Jr.**

Director of the Department of Congregational Life, Diocese of Ohio. He is a graduate of Brown University, the University of Michigan, and the General Theological Seminary. He oversees missions, urban churches, college work, and the deaf. He is a member of the Diocesan Council, the Commission on Evangelism, the Commission on Racial Justice, the Committee on the Ordination Process, and the Ohio Board for United Ministries in Higher Education. He is a member of the Executive Council, a deputy to General Convention, a member of the Program, Budget, and Finance Committee and its Executive Committee, and serves on the Council of Advice to the President of the House of Deputies. He is a trustee of General Theological Seminary and the Anglican Fellowship of Prayer. He has memberships in the Union of Black Episcopalians and the NAACP of Cleveland, Ohio.

## LAY PERSONS

### **Dr. Richard Gibbs Arellano**

President, Mexican Analytical Services, Ltd., and chairman, Hispanic Scholarship Trust Fund. He is a graduate of the University of Texas, and has a Ph.D. degree in Finance and Resource Economics. He was professor of International Business and director of the International Marketing Institute at the University of New Orleans. He served as Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, 1977-78. He is currently engaged in business and economic research and consulting in Mexico.

### **Mrs. Joyce Phillips Austin**

Executive vice-president of the Federation of Protestant Welfare Agencies. She is a graduate of Hunter College and the Fordham University School of Law. She is a member of the New York Bar and in the Federation directs a planning and coordinating organization for 250 health and social welfare agencies in the metropolitan New York area. She serves on the Standing Commission on Human Affairs and Health and on the Committee on Trust Funds. In the Diocese of New York, she is a member of the Commission on Ministry and the board of directors of the Venture Fund. She also serves on a number of advisory governmental and voluntary committees.

### **Mr. Ronald C. Barlow**

President, Morehouse-Barlow Co., Inc. He is a graduate of St. Lawrence University and the Harvard Business School. In the Diocese of New York, he chaired the Budget Committee, is treasurer of the Hispanic Episcopal Center, is a member of the Editorial

Advisory Board of the Episcopal New Yorker and of the Committee on the Mission of the Diocese.

**Mr. George Browne**

Retired, formerly editor and publisher, Latin American Publications, McGraw-Hill, Inc., and publisher, Columbia University Journal of International Business. He is a graduate of New York University and Harvard University. Presently, he is a member and secretary of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of New York; trustee and secretary to the board of the Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine; chairman of the Diocesan Convention Planning Committee; member of the Diocesan Aid Commission; deputy to General Convention, 1979, 1982 and 1985; member, Committee on Dispatch of Business.

**Dr. James Stacy Coles**

Formerly, president and then chairman, Executive Committee, Research Corporation, a foundation for the advancement of science. He is a graduate of Columbia University with a Ph.D. in chemistry. He has served on the faculties of City College, Middlebury College, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution, and Brown University. He was president of Bowdoin College, 1952-67. He has also served on a number of commissions, study groups, and corporate boards. He is an author of textbooks, articles, and reports.

**Mrs. Vivian E. Norton**

Homemaker. She is a graduate of Fisk and Syracuse Universities. She is on the board of trustees of the Philadelphia YWCA, Delta Sigma Theta Public Service Sorority, and Timberlake Camp Charities, Inc. She is on the Planning Committee of the United Negro College Fund Annual Awards Reception; the board of Safety Service Trainers, American Red Cross; the Board Nominating Committee of the Girl Scouts of Greater Philadelphia; and is treasurer of the National Association of Media Women, Greater Philadelphia Chapter. She is on the Search Committee for a Bishop Coadjutor, Diocese of Pennsylvania; board of directors, Diocesan Episcopal Churchwomen; chairperson, Lea Hill Scholarship Fund; board of managers, Church Training and Deaconess House.

**Mr. David E. Sumner**

Director of Communications, Diocese of Southern Ohio, and editor of its newspaper, *Interchange*. He has an S.T.M. in Church History from the University of the South, and has had continuing education training in computer programming, educational research, and management. He covered the Sixth Meeting of the Anglican Consultative Council in Lagos, Nigeria. He is the author of numerous articles on tithing and seminary financing.

**The Church Pension Fund**

**Mr. Robert A. Addison**

A trustee of The Church Pension Fund since 1979, and currently its treasurer, Mr. Addison is the president of Kirsch Company in Sturgis, Michigan. He is a member of St. John's, Sturgis, and is the former warden, senior warden and treasurer. He is chairman of the Department of Stewardship in the Diocese of Western Michigan, and a member of the Commission on Ministry. He has been a deputy to General Convention since 1961. He is a director of Sturgis Savings and Loan, and the past president of the St. Joseph County Unit of the American Cancer Society. He is a member of the Fund's Executive, Finance, and Social and Fiduciary Responsibility in Investments Committees. He is a director of the Fund's Affiliates, Church Life Insurance Corporation, Church Insurance Company, and Church Hymnal Corporation.

### **The Rev. Martin L. Agnew**

Rector of Christ Church, Tyler, Texas, with many years of experience in the areas of clergy compensation and clergy review. Incorporator (State of Texas) of two non-profit ministries, funding chairman for Hospice of East Texas; chairman of the trustees of All Saints Episcopal Day School; and trustee of the University of the South. In his earlier years in the Diocese of Mississippi, he was chairman for the Compensation Review for Clergy. He is an alternate deputy to General Convention in 1985.

### **Mr. Theodore H. Ashford**

President of Ashford Capital Management, Inc. since 1979, and secretary of the Investment Committee of the Delaware State Pension Fund. He has filled responsible positions on the vestry of Christ Church, Christiana Hundred, Delaware, and on the board of trustees of the University of Delaware Research Foundation. He is trustee and director of several foundations and private corporations, and he has broad experience in pension fund matters.

### **The Rt. Rev. William A. Beckham, D. D.**

A trustee of The Church Pension Fund since 1984, the Rt. Rev. William Beckham is the Bishop of Upper South Carolina. He is the former Archdeacon of Upper South Carolina as well as a member and trustee of the Diocesan Executive Council, a member of the Standing Committee, and a deputy to the Province IV Synod. He has been a deputy to General Convention, 1964-1979. He is chairman of the Joint Standing Commission on the Church in Small Communities, and he is a former trustee of the University of the South.

### **The Rev. Donald E. Bitsberger**

A trustee of The Church Pension Fund since 1983, the Rev. D. E. Bitsberger is Rector of the Church of the Redeemer in Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts. He was the first chairman of the Commission on the Ministry of the Diocese of Massachusetts and is chairman of the General Board of Examining Chaplains. He has been president of the Alumni Association of the Episcopal Divinity School and chairman of the Association of Yale Alumni. He is a member of the Council on the Development of Ministry and has been a deputy to General Convention since 1976. He serves on the Fund's Committee on Ecclesiastical Offices.

### **The Rev. Canon Yung Hsuan Chou**

A trustee of The Church Pension Fund since 1979, Canon Chou is Rector of Grace Episcopal Church in Lapeer, Michigan, and an honorary Canon at the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, Detroit. He has been dean of Flint River Convocation, a member of the Department of Missions, and a member of his diocesan Executive Council and Standing Committee. He has been a deputy to General Convention since 1976, where he has served on The Church Pension Fund Committee. He is also a member of the State Health Coordinating Council, and the chairman and a director of the Economic Development Corporation. Canon Chou did graduate work in economics at Brown University, and did his theological studies at Virginia Seminary. He is the chairman of the Fund's Social and Fiduciary Responsibility in Investments Committee.

### **The Very Rev. R. Richard Coombs**

A trustee of The Church Pension Fund since 1980, Dr. Coombs is Dean of the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist in Spokane, Washington. He is a graduate of Harvard



College and Episcopal Theological Seminary, and has served churches in New York and California. He has been a deputy to General Convention since 1970. He has been a delegate to the National Council of Churches of Christ in the USA, and has been a member of the Joint Standing Committee on Program, Budget, and Finance; the House of Deputies Committee on Holy Matrimony; the national Church Bicentennial Committee. He was vice-chairman of the National Venture in Mission Committee, 1979, and is currently secretary of the Standing Commission on Constitution and Canons. Dr. Coombs is a member of the Fund's Social and Fiduciary Responsibility in Investments Committee.

**Mr. Vincent Currie, Jr.**

Administrative assistant to the Bishop of the Central Gulf Coast since 1981, Mr. Currie served previously as vice-president of Florida National Bank and executive vice-president of Colonial Insurance and Investment Company in Pensacola, Florida. He has been a deputy to the last four sessions of General Convention, with frequent service on The Church Pension Fund Committee of Convention. In addition to his background in finance and insurance, he would bring to this post a long-standing interest in clergy insurance benefits and pension needs.

**Mr. Daniel P. Davison**

A trustee of The Church Pension Fund since 1960, Mr. Davison is chairman and president of the United States Trust Company of New York. He is a member of St. John's Episcopal Church, Lattingtown, New York. He has held a number of positions over the years, including trustee of the Episcopal Theological School, director of the Pierpont Morgan Library, director of the Groton School, vice-chairman and trustee of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and trustee of the Markle Foundation. He has served on a number of the Fund's committees, including the Executive Committee, bringing both leadership and financial acumen to the board. He is a past director and treasurer of the Church Life Insurance Corporation, and a former director of the Church Insurance Company and the Church Hymnal Corporation.

**Mr. John Miles Evans**

Supervisory tax counsel for Mobil Corporation, Mr. Evans is a graduate of Yale, Cambridge University, and Yale Law School. He has served on the Standing Committee of the Diocese of New York, as a trustee of Nashotah House, as clerk of the parish of Trinity Church, New York City, and as a trustee of St. Hilda's and St. Hugh's School in New York. His diocesan activities in New York have involved not only the Committee on Canons, but a subcommittee dealing with pensions and survivor benefits for clergy and clergy families. He would bring to this post not only broad experience in the pension area, but a long-standing interest in clergy compensation.

**Mr. Robert M. Gordon**

A trustee of The Church Pension Fund since 1982, Mr. Gordon is the executive assistant to the Bishop in the Diocese of Utah. He is a member of St. Mary's Cathedral in Salt Lake City, and is president of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Utah. He was formerly a marketing analyst with Standard Oil in California, and an agent and supervisor with Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company. He has been a deputy to General Convention since 1973, as well as president of the Diocesan Council, a member of the Executive Committee of Coalition 14. He is a member of the Fund's Social and Fiduciary Responsibility in Investments Committee.

### **The Rev. Joseph Nathaniel Green**

Dr. Green is Rector of Grace Episcopal Church, Norfolk, Virginia. He has served parishes in the Diocese of Upper South Carolina and as Chaplain of St. Augustine's Chapel in Raleigh, North Carolina. He has been a deputy to General Convention since 1967, and was elected a member in 1976 of the National Executive Council. He received a Master of Sacred Theology from the University of the South, and a Doctor of Divinity from St. Paul's College. He serves as a member of the Norfolk City Council and he is vice-mayor of the City of Norfolk. He is president of the United Church Ministries at Norfolk State University. He was elected in 1982 by the House of Deputies to serve on the Committee to nominate the Presiding Bishop.

### **The Rev. Barbara C. Harris**

Assistant at the Church of the Advocate, Philadelphia, and executive director of the Episcopal Church Publishing Company. She has been a deputy to General Convention in 1979 and an alternate in 1982. On the national Church level, she has served three years on the Coalition for Human Needs and 12 years on the Task Force on Recruitment of Black Clergy. She has served also as Priest-in-Charge of St. Augustine of Hippo Church in Philadelphia, on Diocesan Council of the Diocese of Pennsylvania, and as trustee of EDS, in addition to a distinguished career in corporate public relations and as a public relations consultant.

### **Mr. James B. Knowles**

A trustee of The Church Pension Fund since 1959 and currently its vice-chairman, Mr. Knowles is an investor from Londonderry, Vermont. He has served as a vestryman of Christ Church, Greenwich, Connecticut, and is on the board of directors and treasurer of the Mountain Valley Health Council. He is a former director of Harold B. Scott, Inc.; White Eagle International; and former chairman of Robert McMichael, Inc. Mr. Knowles is a member of the Fund's Executive Committee, Finance Committee, and Social and Fiduciary Responsibility in Investments Committee. He is a director of The Fund's affiliates: The Church Insurance Company, Church Hymnal Corporation, and Church Life Insurance Company.

### **The Rev. Canon Russel Matthews**

The Canon to the Ordinary in the Diocese of West Texas, Canon Matthews was a stockbroker before he sought ordination. He serves as investment officer and development officer for the Diocese in addition to his other duties in diocesan administration. He is a trustee of the Church Corporation in West Texas, and treasurer of the Home Owner's Association Board. These unique experiences have been added to seven years of parochial experience.

### **The Hon. Joseph E. Michael, Jr.**

A District Court judge in Rochester, New Hampshire, Judge Michael is a senior partner at the law firm of Michael, Jones and Wensley. He is a member of St. George's Church, Durham, New Hampshire, and has served as a lay reader, chairman of the building fund, treasurer, and senior warden. He currently serves as secretary to the Diocese of New Hampshire, as a trustee of the Diocese, and as a member of the Commission on Ministry, Constitution and Canons. He has been a deputy to General Convention, 1967-82, and has served on the national Committee on the State of the Church and as vice-chairman of the national House of Deputies' Committee on Ministry. He is currently the moderator for the town of Durham, and a director and general counsel for several banks. He is a lecturer in law at the University of New Hampshire.

**Mrs. Virginia Norman**

Mrs. Norman has for some time been serving as treasurer of the Diocese of the Dominican Republic, and is also treasurer of the Ninth Province. She was a deputy to General Convention in 1973 and 1976, deputy to Triennial in 1961, and a member of the Planning Committee for the Triennial. Within her native diocese, she has served on the Commission for Ministry, on the Program and Planning Committee, and on the Finance Committee. She has been president of the E.C.W. in her own diocese, and she is now serving on the Autonomy Committee for the Ninth Province. She has been a teacher and school administrator before serving at the diocesan center.

**The Rt. Rev. James H. Ottley**

Consecrated Bishop of Panama early in 1984, Bishop Ottley had served previously as Rector of St. Paul's Church in Panama for seven years. His activities in the Ninth Province have been extensive, including service as executive secretary of Province IX, coordinator of the Provincial Program Committee, coordinator of Christian Education, and secretary for the Commission on Theological Education for Latin America and the Caribbean. In addition to his administrative skills, Bishop Ottley would bring a keen interest in The Church Pension Fund and its future, especially for clergy serving in Latin America.

**Mr. Samuel F. Pryor III**

A trustee of The Church Pension Fund since 1983, Mr. Pryor is a senior partner at Davis, Polk and Wardwell, counsel to the Fund. He received a B.A. from Yale University and an LL.B. from the University of Pennsylvania. He also served in the United States Marine Corps. He has been an attorney with Davis, Polk and Wardwell since 1961, and has served in both their European and New York offices. He is a member of St. Matthew's, Bedford, New York. He is a director of the United Way, the Northern Westchester Hospital, and a member of the American, New York State, and City of New York Bar Associations. He is a former trustee of the Taft School, and a current trustee of the Harvey School. Mr. Pryor is a member of the Fund's Executive Committee and Audit Committee. He is a director of the Fund's affiliates: The Church Insurance Company and Church Life Insurance Corporation.

**Dr. Prezell R. Robinson**

A trustee of The Church Pension Fund since 1983, Dr. Robinson is the president of St. Augustine's College in Raleigh, North Carolina. He has been executive dean, dean, professor of Sociology, and director of Institutional Planning at St. Augustine's. He is a member of St. Augustine's Chapel and has been variously a lay reader, vestryman, junior warden, senior warden, and a member of the diocesan Standing Committee. He brings broad experience and skills to the board of trustees as an active spokesman for the black colleges of the Episcopal Church.

**The Rev. Roy W. Strasburger**

Dr. Strasburger is Rector of St. Andrew's Church in Saratoga, California, and was elected deputy to General Convention in 1982 and 1985. A trustee of CDSP, he has been a member and then president of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of El Camino Real. He is a member of the Standing Commission on Stewardship and Development and has served on the Alumni Executive Committee of Virginia Seminary. Co-founder of the National Clergy Association, he has long been interested in the needs and opportunities of the clergy.

### **Mr. Jon Stufflebeem**

Senior vice-president of Home Life Insurance Company, Mr. Stufflebeem is a trustee of Christ Hospital in Jersey City, New Jersey, and member of the Group Committee of the American Council of Life Insurance. Before his New Jersey years, he was a vestryman of St. Matthew's Parish in Evanston, Illinois, deputy to the Synod of Province V, and president of the board of Cathedral Shelter of Chicago. He was the Province V lay representative to the national committee for VIM.

### **Mrs. Frances K. Swinford**

Mrs. Swinford is the diocesan registrar and historiographer for the Diocese of Lexington, Kentucky. She is an active force in the work of her diocese and parish. She is the associate editor of *The Church Advocate*, and is the author of the histories of the Diocese of Lexington and of Christ Church, Lexington. She has been a deputy to General Convention in 1976 and 1979, and was an alternate in 1982. She is past president of the diocesan Episcopal Churchwomen and a former member of the diocesan Executive Council. She is a delegate to Triennial, a member of the Venture in Mission Committee of 200, and a past vestryman, junior warden, senior warden at Christ Church, Lexington.

### **Mr. Charles H. Tindal**

Chairman of the Audit Committee and member of the board of directors of Landmark Bank of Orlando, Florida, Mr. Tindal has on three occasions been senior warden of the Cathedral Church of St. Luke. For many years he has been president of the Episcopal Foundation of the Diocese of Central Florida. As treasurer of Cathedral Cloisters, Inc. and chairman of the Building Committee, he recently had oversight of the erection of a \$5 million high rise.

### **Mr. Carroll L. Wainwright, Jr.**

A trustee of The Church Pension Fund since 1966, Mr. Wainwright is an attorney with Milbank, Tweed, Hadley, and McCloy in New York. He is a vestryman of St. Luke's Church, Easthampton, New York, and a former vestryman of Trinity Church, New York City. He is a trustee of the American Museum of Natural History, Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art, and the Boys Club of New York. He is a member of the University Council of Yale University, and a member of the State Commission on New York Bar Associations, and a former treasurer and vice-president of the Bar Association of the City of New York. Mr. Wainwright is a director of the Fund's affiliates: The Church Insurance Company, Church Life Insurance Corporation, and the Church Hymnal Corporation. He serves on the Fund's Executive and Finance Committees.

### **The Rt. Rev. Robert C. Witcher**

The Rt. Rev. Robert Witcher has been Bishop of Long Island since 1977, prior to which he served churches in Louisiana. He is the president of the Church Charity Foundation and president and professor of Church History at Mercer Theological Seminary. He is chairman of the House of Bishops Pastoral Committee, Committee on Ministry, Alcoholism Committee, and Pastoral Development Committee. He is chairman of the Joint Commission on Structure. He was a deputy to General Convention, 1964-73. He is a past trustee of the University of the South and of the Seminary of the Southwest. He is a director of the National Cathedral Association; chairman of the Nehemiah Housing Project in Brooklyn, New York; and a member of the Armed Forces Advisory Committee. Bishop Witcher is a Captain in the U.S. Navy Reserves, Corps of Chaplains.

**The General Board of Examining Chaplains**

**BISHOPS**

**The Rt. Rev. John F. Ashby**

Bishop of Western Kansas. Bishop Ashby was consecrated in 1981. A graduate of Oklahoma State University and the Episcopal Theological Seminary of the Southwest, priested in 1955, he served five churches in Oklahoma, and was a Chaplain in the National Guard until 1980. He was a member of the Liturgical Commission, chairman of the Commission on Ministry, a member and president of the Standing Committee, and a member of the board of trustees of the Seminary of the Southwest. He chairs the Province VII Commission on Ministry, is chairman of the House of Bishop's Committee on Ministry, and vice-chair of the Council for the Development of Ministry.

**The Rt. Rev. Gordon T. Charlton, Jr.**

Suffragan Bishop of Texas. A graduate of the University of Texas and Virginia Theological Seminary, Bishop Charlton was priested in 1950 and consecrated Bishop in 1982. He has served churches in Texas, Arkansas, Mexico City, and Delaware, and was for four years assistant secretary of the Overseas Department of ECEC. For six years he was assistant dean and professor of Field Education at Virginia Theological Seminary, and was dean of the Episcopal Theological Seminary of the Southwest from 1973 to 1982.

**The Rt. Rev. Charles F. Duvall**

Bishop of the Central Gulf Coast. Priested in 1961, he is a graduate of Virginia Theological Seminary, has served churches in various portions of South Carolina, was chairman of the Department of Christian Education and of the Standing Committee. He has been a member of the Commission on Ministry of East Carolina from 1975 to 1977, and of Upper South Carolina from 1977 through 1980.

**The Rt. Rev. James Michael Mark Dyer**

Bishop of Bethlehem. Before his consecration as Bishop, he served as a member of the staff of the Diocese of Massachusetts as pastor to the clergy, and as rector of Christ Church, Hamilton. He was adjunct professor at Gordon Conwell Theological Seminary. As a Bishop, he serves as a member of the House of Bishops' Committee on Theology, is a member of both the Episcopal/Orthodox Dialogue and the Lutheran/Episcopal Dialogue, and has served partial terms as both a Priest and as a Bishop on the General Board of Examining Chaplains.

**FACULTY**

**The Rev. Dr. Charles Halsey Clark**

With extensive experience in the Far East, both in congregations and educational institutions, he has served as dean of St. Andrew's Theological Seminary, Manila, the Philippines, from 1967 to 1977. After returning to this country, he has been dean of the Berkeley Divinity School and associate dean of Yale Divinity School, director of Field Education at both Yale and Berkeley Divinity Schools, and at present is rector of St. Paul's School, Concord, N.H.

### **The Rev. Dr. L. William Countryman**

Dr. Countryman serves as associate professor of New Testament at the Church Divinity School of the Pacific, having joined this faculty in 1983. Prior to this appointment, he was teaching at Brite Divinity School of Texas Christian University from 1979-1983. He is a member of the Lutheran/Episcopal Dialogue, Series III, and participates in the life of St. Mark's Church, Berkeley. He has published books and articles for both academic and church audiences. He has served an unexpired term on the GBEC in 1984-1985.

### **The Very Rev. Dr. William Herbert Petersen**

He is presently dean and professor of Church History at Colgate Rochester/Bexley Hall/Crozier Theological Seminary. He is also a member of the Standing Commission on Ecumenical Relations, a board member and assistant editor, *Anglican Theological Review*, a member of the editorial board of *Historical Magazine of the Protestant Episcopal Church*, and a member of the Lutheran/Episcopal Dialogue, II & III. He has been professor of Church History and an academic officer of Nashotah House, and has served churches in Iowa, California, and Wisconsin.

### **Dr. Timothy F. Sedgewick**

Professor of Moral Theology and Christian Ethics at Seabury-Western Theological Seminary since 1978, he has received the M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from Vanderbilt in his field, taught Religion in colleges in Ohio, West Virginia, and Illinois, before coming to Seabury-Western to assume his present post. From 1980 through 1984, he was a member of the Council for the Development of Ministry of the national Church, and served as vice-chair of that Committee from 1981-1984. He served as the Episcopal Church representative to the Faith and Order Commission of the National Council of Churches in 1982.

### **The Rev. Dr. Patricia Wilson-Kastner**

She serves as Trinity Church Professor of Preaching at the General Theological Seminary, and is a priest associate at Christ and St. Stephens, Manhattan. Author of several books and articles, she has been a fellow of the College of Preachers, and is an active member of the Standing Commission on Ecumenical Relations, serving as chair of the theology committee. Formerly, she was associate professor of Historical and Constructive Theology at United Theological Seminary in St. Paul, Minnesota.

## LAY PERSONS

### **Dr. Thomas A. Bartlett**

Presently chancellor of the University of Alabama System, Dr. Bartlett has taught in Egypt, been president of Colgate University, served as president of the Association of American Universities, and for a time served at the United Nations. He is presently active as a parishioner of Christ Church, Tuscaloosa, and in the affairs of the Canterbury Chapel on the campus of the University. He has served on the board of General Theological Seminary, and has completed one full term on the GBEC.

### **Dr. Malcolm Coffin Webb**

Professor of Anthropology at the University of New Orleans, he is junior warden and Church school teacher in his parish. He is a student of religion and the sacraments, and has studied in the four-year EFM program at the University of the South. He has

served as a reader for the GOE's. He has special aptitudes in teaching and in testing, as well as a facility with group tasks.

**Dr. Harold J. Conlon**

A physician specializing in Pathology in Milwaukee, Dr. Conlon received his medical degree from the University of Cincinnati in 1946. He has served on the board of trustees of Nashotah House for 26 years, and his talents have been well used by that institution. He has been on the Board of Examining Chaplains of the Diocese for two years, as well as the Standing Committee and the Commission on Ministry for Milwaukee. He has also been a deputy to General Convention in Miami.

**Dr. Deborah H. Hines**

Currently working at the Oak Ridge Research Institute on sabbatical from her position as assistant professor of Anatomy, Meharry Medical College in Nashville, Tennessee, Dr. Hines is a dedicated churchwoman who is now president of the Union of Black Episcopalians. Prior to this post, she served as the Southern representative to the Union. She has worked with the national Church's Office of Evangelism from 1979-1981, and has been a member of the Council on Women's Ministries, as well as the Episcopal Commission for Black Ministries.

**Nicholas T. Molnar**

A layman in the Diocese of Rio Grande and a self-employed businessman, he is senior warden of the Cathedral Church of St. Bede, Santa Fe, has been a member of the Commission on Ministry from 1980 to the present, has been involved in nursing home ministry through the local ministerial alliance from 1983 to the present, and is involved in a number of community outreach programs carried out in the Santa Fe area. He is regarded as a scholar and devout Christian, concerned with the ministry of the laity.

**Dr. Warren Ramshaw**

Warden of St. Thomas' Church, Hamilton, Central New York, Dr. Warren holds the position of professor of Sociology and Anthropology, Colgate University. He has been a deputy to General Convention four times, a member of the Executive Council of Province II. He has been a member of the Standing Committee, and the Commission on Ministry, CNY. He has been a GOE reader since 1976. He serves as a member of the Committee on the State of the Church of the House of Deputies, and the Council of Advice to the President of the House of Deputies.

**Evelyn Shipman**

A distinguished churchwoman from the Diocese of Olympia, she has served on the Commission on Ministry of the Diocese, with a special interest in the section on Vocations. She is the president of the Episcopal Churchwomen of St. Augustine's in the Woods, Freeland, Washington, and has participated in all of the activities concerned with the conventions of the Diocese. She has been a member of the General Board of Examining Chaplains for the last six years.

**PASTORAL CLERGY**

**The Rev. Malcolm C. Burson, Ph.D.**

Rector of St. James' Church, Old Town, he also serves as Episcopal chaplain to the University of Maine at Orono, Maine. He is an active member of the Episcopal Society

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for Ministry in Higher Education and is the diocesan executive for College Work. He is also a diocesan consultant on vacancies and small church leadership.

### **The Rev. Richard Cook**

The Rector of Good Shepherd Episcopal Church, Dallas, Texas, he has been a member of the board of trustees of Nashotah House from 1969-1973, an examining chaplain for the Diocese of Louisiana for fourteen years, has served on the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Dallas and on its Executive Council. He has been a deputy to General Convention three times and is an assistant secretary of the House of Deputies.

### **The Rev. David Kerrigan Fly**

Rector of Grace Episcopal Church, Kirkwood, Missouri, he has served as a deputy to General Convention, as a member of the board of trustees of the Diocese of Kansas, was chairman, Department of Stewardship of the Diocese of Missouri, and is a member of the Commission on Ministry, the Episcopal City Mission, and chairman of the Chaplaincy Committee of the City Mission. Presently, he is chairman of the Commission on Ministry of the Diocese. In addition, he has been actively involved as a campus minister for fourteen years.

### **The Very Rev. Dr. Robert E. Giannini**

Presently Dean of St. Peter's Cathedral, St. Petersburg, Florida, he was for six years director of the Episcopal University Center of the University of South Florida. He is in charge of diaconate training in the Diocese of Southwest Florida and taught in the deacon Training Program in Central Florida. Dr. Giannini has filled an unexpired term on the GBEC and has been nominated for a full term.

### **The Rev. Dr. L. Jerome Taylor, Jr.**

He serves as Vicar of the Church of the Messiah, Long Valley, N.J. A Ph.D. in Theology, he has served as professor of Theology in the Seminary in Manila, has served as archdeacon of the Diocese of Newark and is the founding pastor of two thriving Episcopal churches. He serves on the Commission on Ministry of the Diocese, with a special interest in continuing education among the clergy. In that regard, he has assisted in the planning of an annual lecture series on the diocesan level.

### **The Rev. Jose E. Vilar**

Vicar of the Mision de San Juan, Washington, D.C., he has served several missions and parishes in Puerto Rico between 1962 and 1979. From 1970 to 1976, he was Chaplain to the Episcopal Seminary of the Caribbean and director of Field Education. In 1975-'76, he was acting director of the Seminary, and from 1976 to '79 served as professor at the Diocesan Theological School, Puerto Rico. He is a member of the Presiding Bishop's Commission for Theological Education for Latin America and the Caribbean, and the Commission on Ministry for the Diocese of Washington.

### **The Rev. Dr. Douglas C. Warren**

Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Phoenix, Arizona, he serves as chairman of the advisory board of the Bishop's School of Lay Ministry, as chairman of the Diocesan Commission on College Work, and is a member of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Council. He serves also as chairman of the Diocesan Lay Readers, is a member of the Department of Christian Education, and the Commission on Ministry. He has been adjunct faculty to Advanced Pastoral Studies of the San Francisco Theological Seminary.