



**NOMINATIONS  
REPORT  
FOR  
CONVENTION 2018**

## **ECCLESIASTICAL COURT, CLERGY CLASS OF 2022:**

*FR. PHILIP BERGHUIS – SAINT COLUMBA, FRESNO*



Fr. Phil Berghuis grew up in Manteca where he attended the Roman Catholic Church. He received his bachelor's degree in religious studies from the University of California at Davis, and shortly after this left the Roman Catholic Church for Anglicanism. Returning back to Manteca, he attended Saint Francis Stockton while he studied for his associate degree in nursing at San Joaquin Delta College. He discerned a call to the priesthood around this time and went to Nashotah House, earning his M.Div. in 2015. While at Nashotah House he served as both the head sacristan in charge of worship and chapel maintenance as well as one of the student representatives to the Nashotah House Board of Trustees. During seminary he also attended GAFCON in 2013 in Kenya. For the last three years Fr. Phil has served as the curate at Saint Columba Church in Fresno. He likes church history, reading, travel, and Star Trek.

## **ECCLESIASTICAL COURT, LAITY CLASS OF 2021:**

*MRS. KIM ROBINSON – ST. PAUL'S, VISALIA*



Kim is a lifelong Anglican who grew up in an Anglican church in Oakland, CA. In 1976, she began attending St. Paul's Church in Visalia, and has consistently remained active there; serving many times on the Vestry and as Vestry secretary, as well as being a member of the Altar Guild, a lector, delegate to diocesan convention, and the chairman of the Christian Education Committee. She served on the Diocese of San Joaquin Standing Committee from 2004-2008, on Diocesan Council for the following 3 years, and on the Ecclesiastical Court. In June, 2017, Kim retired from 22 years of teaching secondary school English, and would look forward to once again devoting more time to our church.

## **PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY, CLERGY CLASS OF 2019:**

*DCN. LINDA CAREY MONREAL – CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY, CORCORAN*



Linda Carey Monreal and I has lived in California for 27 years. She has been married to Fr. Anthony (Tony) Monreal for 26 years. They have a little piece of property in Fresno County where they live with their two little dogs. Tony's parents also have a house on their property and Tony provides care for his parents. She has completed undergraduate degrees in Elementary Education and Theology and a Master's degree in Administration and Supervision. She began her ministry as a Youth Minister in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati and served two parishes in 5 years. Then she moved to California and began her teaching career. She

taught 3 years in private schools, 2 of those years at Saint James Episcopal School, which is now closed. She has served in public education for 25 years as a teacher, reading specialist, academic coach, vice principal, principal and currently serve as Chief Academic Officer for Madera Unified School District. In 2005, she completed her seminary training and was ordained a Deacon. She has served at St. Andrew's in Taft, St. Mary's in Fresno, and currently serves at The Church of the Epiphany in Corcoran. Before beginning her responsibilities as a Deacon, she was involved with many Church activities including leading & participating in Bible Studies, working with Youth Groups, participating in and leading retreats and days of reflections, singing in choir, and teaching Sunday School. She would be honored to serve as a delegate at the Provincial Assembly.

## **PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY, CLERGY CLASS OF 2019:**

*FR. ANTHONY (TONY) MONREAL – CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY, CORCORAN*



Fr. Tony Monreal has been ordained a priest since 1988. He was received into service in the Diocese of San Joaquin, by Bishop John David Schofield, in 1995. During his career as a priest in the Diocese, he has served in many parish sites as an assistant, long term interim, or as a vicar. He served in the parish and mission communities of St. James Cathedral, Fresno; St. Mary's, Fresno; St. Andrew's, Taft; Santa Margarita, Fresno; St. Luke's, Merced; All Saints, Bakersfield; and Epiphany, Corcoran. I also was blessed to serve as Canon to the Ordinary for period of time; time cut short in order to attend to the health needs of my parents. He has served in these capacities as a bi-vocational priest, as his primary ministry was serving as a "missionary" in the public education system here in California. He served as a teacher, counselor, coach, principal and superintendent in various districts across the state. He also served as a Deputy Superintendent for the California Department of Education, overseeing curriculum and instruction. He served in this position under the State Superintendent of Schools, Jack O'Connell.

Tony has been blessed to have retired from the public school system to focus on assisting as a caregiver for his parents full time, while continuing to serve his wonderful church family in Corcoran. His prayer is that his unique experiences as an educator and administrator, combined with his 30+ years as a priest, will allow him to serve the people of this Diocese well as a Clergy Delegate for Provincial Assembly 2019. Tony is blessed to be married to Linda, who also serves the people of God as a Deacon, for 26 years. They have been very blessed by God over these years and feel called to continue to give back through their service.

## **PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY, CLERGY CLASS OF 2019:**

*FR. JONATHAN KANARY – PH.D. STUDENT AT BAYLOR UNIVERSITY, WACO, TX*



Father Jonathan Kanary was ordained as a deacon by Bishop John-David Schofield in 2011, and as a priest by Bishop Eric Menees in 2012. After serving as curate at Saint Columba in Fresno for four years, he moved to Waco, Texas to pursue a PhD at Baylor University. He is licensed in the Diocese of Fort Worth and serves as

Assisting Priest for Spiritual Direction at Christ Church in Waco. However, he remains canonically resident in San Joaquin, and continues to serve as a member of the Board of Examining Chaplains. He has also been a member of the ACNA's Liturgy and Common Worship Task Force since 2015. In this capacity, he will attend the 2019 Assembly for the official presentation of the Book of Common Prayer 2019 to the province. If elected, he would be happy to serve as a diocesan delegate to Provincial Assembly.

## **PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY, CLERGY CLASS OF 2019:**

*FR. DAVID MILLER – ST. JOHN'S, PETALUMA*



David was born in Quantico, VA, the son of a USMC father and Navy nurse mother. A cradle Episcopalian, he grew up primarily in Oceanside, CA near Camp Pendleton where his father served. He has his B.A. from UC Santa Barbara and his M.Div. from General Theological Seminary in New York City. He has served as Assistant Rector in

Longmeadow, MA and Hilton Head Island, SC; Supply Priest in Honolulu, HI; Vicar in Orland, CA and for 20 years as the Rector of St. John's Anglican Church in Petaluma, CA He led St. John's Petaluma out of the Episcopal Diocese of Northern CA in 2006 and led them into the Anglican Diocese of San Joaquin in 2011. He and his wife Betty

served as diocesan delegates to the 2017 Provincial Assembly. David was also a delegate to GAFCON 2018 in Jerusalem. With this convention he completes 5 years of service on Diocesan Council. He and Betty have just celebrated their 42nd wedding anniversary and are the blessed parents of 10 children and 9 grandchildren.

**PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY, LAITY CLASS OF 2019:**

*MRS. ELIZABETH (BETTY) MILLER – ST. JOHN’S, PETALUMA*



Betty was born in Alpine, TX and spent most of her childhood living in cities along the Rio Grande River in Texas. She grew up in the non-instrumental Church of Christ where her father was a preacher and pastor. She has a B.A. from Pepperdine University and an M. Div. from Union Theological Seminary in New York City. She met her husband David in her Greek class at Union. As a clergy wife she has served alongside her husband in parishes in Longmeadow, MA; Hilton Head Island, SC; Honolulu, HI; Orland, CA; and Petaluma, CA. She served the diocese as a Lay Delegate to Provincial Assembly in 2017. David and Betty have ten children and nine grandchildren.

**PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY, LAITY CLASS OF 2019:**

*MR. ANDY EHRHART – ST. JAMES, FRESNO*



Andy was baptized as an infant in the Lutheran Church, and he went through catechism and was confirmed as a child. After a long time away from Church, he surrendered his life to Christ in 2007. Andy married Deacon Melinda Barrow in 2011. He was confirmed Anglican at St James in 2010 by Bishop John David Schofield. Andy has served in “The Least of These” homeless ministry, and has served on vestry at both St James Cathedral (2 years Senior Warden) and Good Shepherd Reedley. Andy has served in ministry as an usher, lector, greeter, check

signer, making bank deposits, delegate to Diocesan Convention, and other custodial duties. Andy recently attended Anglican 4th Day and continues to attend a small group bible study at his home on Wednesday nights. Andy is employed at Steel Structures in Madera, CA as an estimator; he has been there since August of 2011.

### **PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY, LAITY CLASS OF 2019:**

*MRS. KAREN GILES – JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD, HENDERSON, NV*



Karen Giles accepted the Lord at nine years old in her family Baptist Church and was confirmed as an adult at St. Timothy's Episcopal Church in Henderson, NV. Karen was married to Howard Giles II for forty-seven years until his passing in 2015. She practiced as a Marriage and Family Therapist in Henderson for twenty-two years, retiring in 2016. Karen was a founding member of Jesus the Good Shepherd Anglican Church in 2009 and serves as Altar Guild Directress. She hopes to attend the Provincial Assembly to observe and partake of the practices and purposes of the Anglican Church and to know how to better pray for the Anglican Church in North America.

### **PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY, LAITY CLASS OF 2019:**

*SANDRA SIMON – JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD, HENDERSON, NV*



Sandra Simon currently attends Jesus the Good Shepherd Anglican Church in Henderson, NV, of which she is a founding member, and which will celebrate its 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2019. Sandra prays for people during Holy Communion, has taught classes using Dennis Bennet's book *How to Pray for the Release of the Holy Spirit*, and is eager to do more. She is also currently through the ACTS program (Anglican Catechist Training School), where she is learning a lot – especially about Church Theology, which she finds very interesting. Sandra has been married to her husband for nearly 24

years. She was born and raised in Henderson, NV, and while she has left the area a couple of times, she has always come back.