

2022 Constitution & Canons Committee Nominees

I. Vote to affirm the Diocesan Council's appointment for the remainder of a term

Rev. Jared Wensyel (fill out the remaining one year of a clergy seat)

My name is Jared Wensyel, and I am currently serving as the Assistant Rector at Church of the Redeemer in Greensboro, NC. I oversee Community and Worship for the church and am excited to serve on this committee to do my part to serve the diocese. I married my high school sweetheart Abbi, and we have a daughter, Thea, who is 18 months old.

II. Vote for 2 open lay seats

Ashley Gray (Incumbent)

My name is Ashley Gray, and I attend Church of the Cross in Boston, where I currently serve on the Parish Council and assist with Table and Children's ministries. I work professionally as a college archivist and occasionally moonlight as a copy editor.

Allison Beattie (New Nominee)

My name is Allison Beattie, and I attend the Church of the Resurrection in Washington, DC. I live in the Capitol Hill neighborhood with my dog, and I enjoy being on the hospitality/greeting team at my church and hosting events to help build our community of believers. I am a healthcare regulatory lawyer, and I am interested in using my legal skills to serve the Constitutions & Canons Committee.

Thomas DiStanislao (New Nominee)

My name is Thomas DiStanislao, and I attend Church of the Incarnation in Richmond, Virginia. Our family (including my wife, two sons, and a baby on the way) just moved from Roanoke, where we attended Church of the Holy Spirit for the last three years. I work as Senior Counsel for Butler Snow LLP, and would love the opportunity to put my high attention to detail and passion for engaging with complex texts to use in service to our diocese on this Committee.

Jared Walczak (New Nominee)

My name is Jared Walczak, and I am a member of Church of the Resurrection in Washington, DC. My day job is overseeing a policy team at a tax-focused think tank, before which I worked in state legislature. At a prior church (before becoming Anglican), I served on the personnel committee, where I was charged with drafting a new personnel policy, and I would be honored to have the opportunity to serve on the diocese's Constitution and Canons Committee.