

Profile & Search Committee

For the election of the Tenth Bishop of Albany



Episcopal Diocese of Albany

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July 24, 2023

To: All Canonically Resident Clergy and Lay Deputies

Subject: Special Convention for Election of Bishop Diocesan

In accordance with Article II of the Constitution of the Diocese of Albany and in accordance with a meeting of the Standing Committee of the Diocese, the Reverend Marian M. Sive, Secretary of the Diocese, issued a Call to a special meeting of the Convention of the Diocese of Albany to be held on September 9, 2023, at the Cathedral of All Saints, Albany, New York, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

The purpose of the special meeting of Convention will be to elect a Bishop Diocesan for the Diocese of Albany.

Following are the nominees:

The Rev. Scott A. Garno, Rector, St. Stephen's Church, Delmar, New York

The Very Rev. Neal Patrick Longe, Rector, St. Ann's Church, Amsterdam, New York

The Rev. Geoffrey F. Ward, Rector, St. Christopher's Church, River Hills, Wisconsin

The Rev. Jeremiah D. Williamson, Rector, Grace and St. Stephen's Church, Colorado Springs, Colorado

A Convention Agenda and copy of Rule 1A governing the process of this election are enclosed.

Biographies and resumes for each of the nominees and responses to specific questions asked by the Profile and Search Committee are also enclosed for your review.

Please plan to attend this important diocesan Convention event.

Faithfully,

Sue Ellen Ruetsch, Chair
Profile and Search Committee
Diocese of Albany