EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF MAINE

Maine Episcopal Missionary Society

COMMITTEES OF CONVENTION
Dispatch of Business
Committee on Canons
Convention Finance Committee
Resolutions Committee

(Appointed from Convention Delegate lists)

DIOCESAN CONVENTION
(Our Congregations and Clergy)

presides
elects
elects
presides

BISHOP
(& Bishop Coadjutor)

DIOCESAN STAFF
Hired by the Bishop

STANDING COMMITTEE
(3 Clergy & 3 Lay members)

COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL
Finance Committee
(includes both Council and non-Council members)

DIOCESAN COUNCIL
("Convention Between Conventions")
Elected by Areas;
at-large members appointed by the Bishop

COMMISSION ON CONGREGATIONAL LIFE
Alcohol/Substance Abuse Committee
Diocesan Altar Guild
Clergy Deployment Interims & Consultants
Clergy & Lay Compensation Committee
Committee Against Racism
Committee on the Environment
Congregational Consultants Network
Cursillo*
Episcopal Church Women (ECW)*
Episcopal Marriage Encounter*
Fresh Start
Grants Review Committee (Aided Congregations)
Liturgy Consultants
Mutual Study of Ministry (MSM)
Stewardship Committee
Young Adult Committee
Youth Council

Co-Chairs: The Rev. Leslie Nesin (2006-2009)
Mr. James Smith (2006-2009)
Staff Liaison: Canon Vicki Wiederkehr

COMMISSION ON DIOCESAN OPERATIONS
Archives Committee
Cathedral, Support of
Church Periodical Club*
Communications Consultants
Diocesan Facilities Consultants*
Diocesan Insurance Consultants
Diocesan Resource Center (DRC)
Safe Church Training

Co-Chairs: Mr. Jack Swanton (2005-2008)
The Rev. Cn. Richard Hall (2005-2008)
Staff Liaison: Mr. Terry Reimer

COMMISSION ON MINISTRY
Anglican Studies Program @ Bangor Theological Seminary*
Chaplain to Retired Clergy
College Chaplaincy
Committee for Family of Clergy Wellness*
Committee on Baptismal Ministry (COBM)
Committee on Holy Orders (COHO)
Deacons
Deacon Formation Program (DFP)
Education for Ministry (EFM)
Loring Fund
Ministry Discernment Process
Ministry Fair
F.B. Wolf Fund

Co-Chairs: The Rev. Stephen White (2005-2008)
The Rev. Elizabeth Miller (2006-2009)
Staff Liaisons: The Rt. Rev. Chilton R. Knudsen
Canon Vicki Wiederkehr

COMMISSION ON OUTREACH & SERVICES
Bishopswood
Committee on the Spitituality of Aging
Committee on Indian Relations
Ecumenical Relations
Episcopal Peace Fellowship*
Episcopal Relief & Development (ERD)
Haiti-Maine Companion Diocese Committee
Hospital Chaplaincy
Long Creek Youth Development Center
Prison Chaplains*
Prison Ministry (KAIROS)
St. Elizabeth's Essentials Pantry
St. Martin's Literacy Program (VITAL)
Trinity Jubilee Center
United Thank Offering (UTO)
International Development Committee
Mission Development Committee

Co-Chairs: The Rev. Margaret Day (2004-2007)
The Rev. Tom Gilbert (2007-2010)
Staff Liaison: Ms. Melinda DeWolfe

Living Our Baptismal Covenant

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