

CANDIDATES FOR FOUR VESTRY POSITIONS

Adrian Moore

My life as an Episcopalian (as I recall) started as a child attending St. Anselm's Episcopal Church in Nashville, TN. I went to St. Anselm's through high school but stopped attending when I started college at Washington University. I came back to the church after I had my 1st son, Jason. I appreciated the foundation I received from the Episcopal Church, and I wanted my son to have that same foundation. After looking around for an Episcopal Church, I found St. Timothy's to be very welcoming.



In church, I am completing my 1st year as the Chair of the Grant's Committee. I am also a lay reader, a member of the Wedding Committee, and I've participated in Habitat for Humanity in the past.

In my professional life I am the Baking Category Manager for Schnuck Markets, Inc. I have worked at Schnucks for 6 years, following a long career as a clothing buyer at Macy's and Famous Barr.

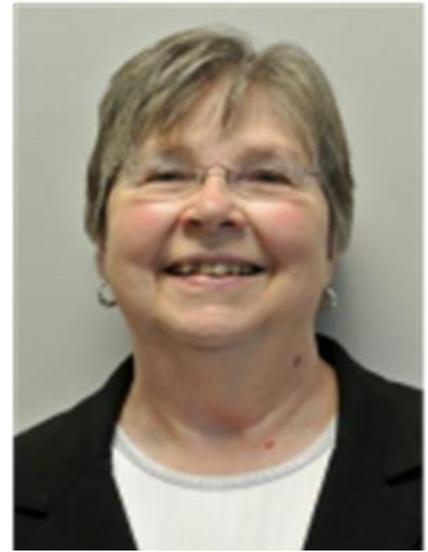
My work in the community is mostly as our division's "unofficial" organizer for our "100 Neediest Cases" adoptions at Christmas. I have done this for the past 3-4 years and participated in this program at my former job as well. I choose the families and coordinate the purchasing teams and wrapping as well as gift delivery. Even though I rarely meet the families I find it to be a very rewarding experience.

I have two handsome sons (who used to join me for lay-reading when they were younger), and my husband Thomas and I just celebrated our 6-year wedding anniversary in November.

Agnes Bolwell

I have been a member of St. Timothy's for seven years. I was drawn to St. Timothy's because the Episcopal Church theology is consistent with my own beliefs. I stay because of the warmth and generosity of the congregation, our dedication to outreach, and our willingness to share and learn from each other.

I was born in St. Louis and was fortunate to spend my formative years in the Wells-Goodfellow neighborhood, where I first learned to appreciate diversity in culture, religion and economics. In 1968 I moved to California and raised a family. My daughter Kelly continues to live in California with her husband, Pat and my grandson, Jimmy.



My experience in serving God and God's people includes:

- Conducting Diocesan-wide workshops and seminars on discernment, prayer, biblical studies and iconography
- Producing the "Many Voices" CD. 100% of the proceeds go to supporting local area food banks.
- Participating in the launch of Magdalene House
- Participating in the Diocese's new "Congregational Vitality" program at Eden Seminary

Currently,

- I am serving as head of the Spirituality Program, Co-Chair of St. Timothy's Congregational Vitality Team. I am a Eucharistic Minister and Lector. I participated in choir for many years.
- I have just completed a three-year term as delegate to the Missouri Convention, and served as
- President of Metro IV for the 2013-2014 term.

I hold a Masters of Management from Fontbonne University, St. Louis, MO. Graduate of the Spirituality and Worship Program at the Franciscan School of Theology – GTU Berkeley, CA and graduated from the Episcopal School for Ministry, Theology Program, St. Louis, MO

My work at Monsanto includes research analysis, strategic planning and project management. I believe these skills, along with my experience in many ministries and missions will be an asset as we plan St Timothy's future goals and policies.

Cathie Horrell

I am a writer, artist, educator, and biblical scholar dedicated to exploring the Christian faith-life as it comes to us in the sacred writings of Judaism and Christianity. I have three grown children who are also educators in one way or another, and five lively grandchildren. I have a Masters in Biblical Studies and a Master of Pastoral Studies in Spirituality from Aquinas Institute. I taught as adjunct professor of Arts and Humanities and Religious Studies at both Maryville and St. Louis universities. In addition to painting portraits I am currently engaged in a writing ministry (articles, a book and a blog) aimed at a broad audience. I have been involved in a variety of ministries including Spiritual Direction, facilitated prayer groups and have given women's retreats at the St. Louis Cenacle. Currently I serve here at St. Timothy's on the Spirituality Committee. I have conducted workshops, led seminars and lectured on art, spirituality, biblical studies, and creativity. I also work as a Paralegal in the corporate arena. I will be facilitating discussions on Acts of the Apostles the 2nd Wednesday of month through April.



I am blessed to be part of this church community. It is welcoming and vibrant; this is an exciting time for St. Timothy's and it is a privilege and honor to serve in whatever capacity I can. At the center of my faith-life is this community and the people of St. Timothy's. I am committed to serving in any way to assist and uphold its members, clergy and staff in order to advance St. Tim's mission statement and the Christ-life in all believers.



Cindy Perkins

I was born baptized and confirmed Episcopalian. I married my husband Dennis, also Episcopalian, 35 years ago. I have taught Sunday school and was youth leader. I was a Eucharistic Minister and Lay Reader for 10 years at St Barnabas in Florissant.

I am a full-time family nurse practitioner in Florissant and St Peters. My job is demanding and I work about 50 hours a week. I have a married 29 year old son with two step granddaughters and I have a 26 year old son at NIU working on his PhD in chemistry.

I love animals and love Jesus Christ our savior. I believe in prayer reflection, and there is nothing better than love. My 83-year-old father lives with us since my mother's death and is very dear to our family. We all feel a strong connection at St Tim's and have from day one.

Willard Moseley

I am a cradle Episcopalian. I was baptized at St Michael and St George in Clayton, confirmed at St Luke in Hot Spring, Arkansas. I have spent most of my adult life in three parishes, Emmanuel in Webster Groves, St Mark Berkeley, CA, and St.

Timothy's, serving as a delegate to the Diocesan convention at the first two. My beautiful wife LaVerne and I were married here. My parish activities have included teaching Sunday school (all ages from five-year-olds through middle schoolers), leading inter-generational parish events, preaching to children and singing in the choir.

Professionally, I am retired (and yes, it is wonderful) having worked as civil engineer and IT consultant. Academically, I have an undergraduate degree in Physics and graduate degree in Business.

If I am called to serve on your vestry, I will listen carefully to your ideas about our ministry. Focusing on how we as a church can more fully witness our faith to each other and Christ's presence to the community around us.



Mitzi Uyemura (pronounced: “Wemura”)

I grew up as an Episcopalian in the very small Trinity Episcopal Church in Carroll, Iowa. I was baptized and confirmed there, and have many happy memories of my years there.

I got my degree in Journalism and Communication Studies at the U. of Iowa, Iowa City and met my husband, Rob, when we worked together at a restaurant in Iowa City. We married several years later (at that very same Trinity Episcopal Church in Iowa City!) and finally landed in St. Louis in 1998. We tried quite a few churches in the area, but nothing “clicked” until we found St. Timothy’s, and we knew we’d found our church home. We started attending regularly in 2004, when our older son, Owen, was about two. Ethan came along in 2005, and it became a priority that we provide them with the same strong foundation of faith we had been given by our parents.

My work life has been an odd patchwork of different jobs, as I discovered after graduation that jobs in journalism did not pay well! I have worked as a restaurant manager, a department manager at Marshall Field’s, a media department employee in a health care consulting group, and as a bookkeeper. I have done freelance graphic design, writing, and editing work for much of that time, also. After we had children, I stayed at home with the boys, now 12 and 9, and over the last several years I have increasingly helped Rob with our small business, Local Chef STL.

I have been very active as a volunteer in both boys’ schools. Four years ago, Peggy Huesemann asked me to teach Sunday School, and I have been teaching the youngest group—age 4 through 1st graders—at St. Tim’s ever since. I really enjoy being with the kids, and a big bonus has been how much I’ve learned about scripture, religion, and the Episcopal Church as I prepare my weekly lessons. I also help with some of St. Timothy’s special events, various dinners and children’s events, and am on the Sunday Snack committee.

Being a Christian (and being an Episcopalian, since that’s all I’ve known) has been the “connective tissue” of my life. It has supported me, strengthened me, enlightened me and lifted me up in all the stages of my life. And now, St. Timothy’s is part of that connective tissue, too. I have always felt welcomed and valued by everyone at St. Tim’s, and being part of this church family helps complete my life. I feel very blessed to have found such a wonderful church home and to be a part of this amazing congregation. I am honored to be a candidate for the St. Timothy’s Vestry, and if elected, I would do my very best to continue to lead our church in a loving, wise direction, remembering always to love God and love our neighbors.



Kate Buckley

My name is Kate Buckley. I grew up in Central Illinois, but have lived in Saint Louis since 1995. My family, which includes my husband Eric, and our daughter Olivia, have been members of St. Timothy's for seven years. Since Olivia's birth in 2003, I have mainly focused on being a stay-at-home mom. I've dabbled

in bookkeeping and currently keep the books for our consulting firm, CT Consulting. I serve on the Executive Board of the Ross Elementary parent-teacher organization, as well as being room mother, yearbook photographer, and weekly library volunteer. At St. Timothy's, I serve in the liturgy as a lector and member of the altar guild. My volunteer service includes one day a week helping in the office, composing the Upcoming Events flyer, updating the website, and any other clerical tasks as needed. I also served on the search committee to find our new Music Director.

If elected to the Vestry, I would do my best to serve the congregation of St. Timothy's by being a conscientious and faithful member. I want to be a part of the organization process that will keep us financially solvent, while still addressing the most pressing needs of our Clergy, staff, and building.



Hopey Gardner

I became an Episcopalian more than a decade ago after being born a Mormon and raised in the Presbyterian church. I fell in love with the liturgy and ritual, coupled with the intellectualism and freedom of thought that is part and parcel of our faith tradition, and was received into the church at Christ Church Cathedral. With regard to St. Tim's, my family and I visited on Rally Sunday in 2013, and have never needed to look



anywhere else. In St. Tim's, we have found a family-friendly and welcoming community that I am proud to call my church home. My service in the diocese includes routine participation in the egg ministry for our Cathedral, and service to St. Tim's as the coordinator for the United Thank Offering and a substitute Sunday school teacher.

Professionally, I am a licensed attorney who works at a mid-sized downtown law firm. I have been a licensed guardian ad litem with the courts for St. Louis County and City of St. Louis since 2008, and have been on the volunteer list to serve on the domestic violence docket for several years. I also volunteer annually with Motion for Kids (formerly Project Angel Tree), a program that provides Christmas gifts and holiday cheer to children in foster care and/or with parents in prison. I have also volunteered my legal services with the Legal Services of Eastern Missouri on pro bono civil matters for indigent clients in the metropolitan area since I received my license in 2007.

My husband and I recently celebrated our fifth wedding anniversary, and we have a charming three-and-a-half-year-old boy (with baby sister expected at the end of April). As to community service, I have been a literacy tutor with the YMCA for more than a year, teaching adults how to read. I have also participated in several fundraising events for the Alzheimer's Association.

CANDIDATES FOR DIOCESAN CONVENTION DELEGATE

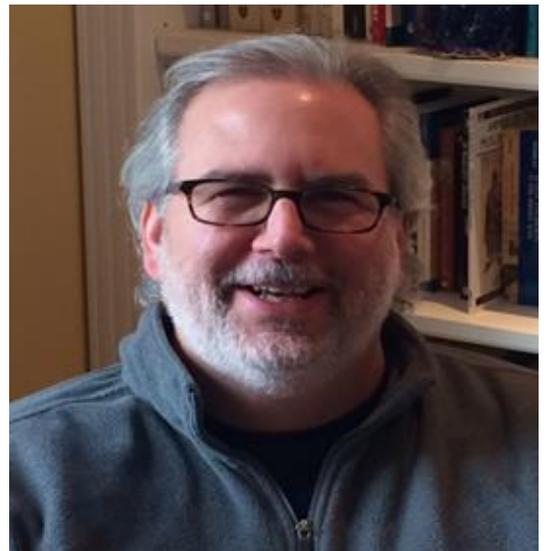
Rita Podolsky

I have been a member of this wonderful St. Tim's community since 2004. During that time I have served on the vestry, been a member and chair of the Pastoral Care Ministry, the knitting ministry, a lector, Eucharistic minister, and a Diocesan convention delegate. The past three years I have been secretary to Metro IV. I also volunteer in the church office. For the last two years I have been the office assistant at our Diocesan camp, Camp Phoenix. I feel that it is very important to be connected with our Diocese and I am grateful for this opportunity to be one of our delegates again.



Robert Phillips

I have been member of St. Timothy's since 2008, with my wife Angela Mitchell-Phillips and our two sons, Duncan and Aidan. I was born and raised in Ft. Smith, Arkansas, and have lived in the St. Louis area since 1998. While I was baptized and confirmed a Methodist, I became an Episcopalian by reception in 2001 while attending Holy Communion, University City. I just recently retired from being a partner with the Simmons Hanly Conroy law firm, and intend to pursue a second career in teaching. A former Boy Scout myself, I have been an active Cub Scout and Boy Scout leader and also coach youth basketball for the West County YMCA. I assumed the role of interim Christian formation coordinator for St. Timothy's last month, and hope to increase my involvement in this area with the new year.



CANDIDATES FOR CONVENTION DELEGATE ALTERNATE

Nancy Setzer

I have been a member of St. Timothy's since 2001 and came here with my family after 18 years at Holy Communion in University City. I am a retired elementary school teacher, and my daughter is a nurse at Cardinal Glennon Hospital, but she is moving to Denver this month.



I think St. Tim's is wonderful because of the exceptionally friendly members and all the outreach activities that are available.

This past year I have been involved with the choir and the bells, am co-chair of the Daytimers and Women's Dinners, chair of the Food Pantry Garden, which now has a permanent site on the church grounds, and I tutor at Sigel School. I volunteer in the church office one day a week, which has given me some insight into the daily business of running a church.

Outside of church activities I teach IMACS enrichment math classes and volunteer at KIDSMART, which is a store offering free supplies to teachers in qualified schools. I enjoy hiking, reading, traveling, and gardening.

Kim Dressel

My name is Kim Dressel, and I have been a member of St. Timothy's for over 14 years. I attend the 8:00 am or Family Service weekly. I am a cradle Episcopalian and have a strong sense of spirituality. I have taught Sunday school since joining St. Tim's. I am married and we have one daughter Lexi and a bonus child (Bobby). I was married at St. Michael and St. George and was confirmed last year.

My profession is that of a school counselor and I currently work at an Elementary school in Parkway. I have worked in Parkway for the past 8 years. Prior to that, I worked as a mental health and substance abuse counselor for the past 20 plus years. I am an Equity Representative for our district and an advocate for social justice within our district and community.

I have a passion for working with young people and am blessed to have taught both the J2A and YAC curriculum at St. Tim's. I am currently co-teaching with Keith Boyd the J2A cycle. I also am a member of the Congregation Vitality Team and hope to be selected as an Alternate Delegate for St. Tim's.



Judy Demarco

I was born and raised in upstate New York. Graduated from Franklin Delano Roosevelt High School in Hyde Park (yes, that Hyde Park) and received an Associate Degree from Dutchess Community College in Poughkeepsie, NY.



I came to St. Louis in the late '60's and joined St. Timothy's in 1969. My three daughters and son were all baptized and confirmed at St. Timothy's. My youngest daughter and her family live here in St. Louis as does my son. I have a daughter in Los Angeles and one in Boulder, CO. I have two granddaughters (Los Angeles) and two grandsons (one in Boulder and one here in Creve Coeur). I regularly travel to Los Angeles and to Boulder to spend time with family.

I spent a number of years working as a finance manager in various automobile dealerships in the St. Louis area. Also spent several years as a physician recruiter. Currently, I provide non-nursing care to seniors on a part time basis. I have been a volunteer at Stray Rescue of St. Louis for a number of years and am passionate about animal welfare and rescue. I currently am the guardian of two rescued dogs and am always in danger of bringing another home.

My activities at St. Timothy's in the past few years have been as a member of the choir, work on the new member welcoming committee, planning and putting on Women's Dinners with Nancy Setzer, a retreat with Suzy Skinner and participation in a recent leadership group seminar.

I look forward to serving as an alternate delegate.

APPOINTED TO THE ENDOWMENT COMMITTEE

Larry Thomas

Lawrence E. Thomas began working with Edward Jones in early 1977 as an intern.

After completing his bachelor's degree in business administration in 1977 from Washington University, Thomas joined the Corporate Bond Trading department. He became a partner in 1983.

In 1985, Thomas established the Government Bond department. He oversaw mortgage-backed trading through 1995 and then joined Financial Advisor Development. He later became the area leader for the Northeast, where he was responsible for the growth and performance of the financial advisors in 13 states. From 2009 through 2011, he oversaw the firm's minority recruiting efforts. Today, he leads the university channel for Financial Advisor Talent Acquisition.

Thomas has served on the Executive Committee of Washington University's Board of Trustees and is a member of the Alumni Board of Governors. He sits on the National Advisory Council of the John M. Olin School of Business at Washington University and is a member of its Steering Committee.

In addition to his undergraduate degree, Thomas earned MBAs from Lindenwood University in St. Charles, Mo., and Northwestern University's J.L. Kellogg School of Management. He also is a graduate of the Securities Industry Institute at the University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School of Business.

Larry has served a previous term on St. Timothy's Endowment Committee

