Incumbent Search Update June 24

June 24: The All Saints Incumbent position was posted on the National Website with the following links: Incumbent Search and Parish Profile

Sept. 30: Applications Close (if no suitable candidates apply the ad will be rerun from October-December)

The Archbishop of our Diocese is responsible for about 60% of the choice and ultimately is the one who will make election decision. After reviewing resumes and background information, the search committee will be offered suitable candidates to consider for an initial interview. The committee can then decide which candidates they would like to interview. After interviewing the candidates they will advise the Archbishop to offer suitable candidates a second interview which may include an invitation to visit to the parish. The parish would cover the costs associated with the candidate's travel and visit. Should the second interview prove positive, the committee will inform the Archbishop that they are interested in electing the candidate. The candidate would go through an interview with the Archbishop and then could be provided an offer for the position.

The Canonical Search Committee

The guidance to the corporation prior to Fr. Greg's retirement was to select individuals for the committee who are faithful and who will use prayer and discernment in the process. The selection of an incumbent is one of discerning a calling and varies significantly from placement for a secular position. Several names were gathered by the corporation and calls were made to all. As of May 24, 6 individuals agreed to serve as members of the search committee. This includes one alternate in case a member needs to withdraw during the process. The committee has met several times to pray and prepare the information for submission to the Diocese. Under advisement from Ven. Pilar Gateman and with Anglican protocol, the search committee names will not be made public. All updates of the search will be posted in the Parish Newsletter.

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