

Update to Our Community

The search committee for our new rector appointed by the Vestry is itself a reflection of the contemporary diversity of our 150-year-old parish.

Its members are Frances Bruton, Alix Elverson, Nwabugo Asikaogu (“Kenny King”), Rafael Gutiérrez, Anne Meyer, parish treasurer Michael Putter, together with Senior Warden Jennifer Holden and Junior Warden Carolina Rivera. Former Junior Warden Lewis Adams, a professional “headhunter,” is helping as a consultant.

As previously reported to you, the committee is studying how to go ahead with the search, given the continuing coronavirus pandemic.

Rev. Matthew Seddon, Ph.D., our rector since September 2018, told the Wardens on August 6 that he had accepted a call to an Indiana parish. He informed us that his last Sunday as our rector would be August 16.

During his time with us, Matt did good things. He brought a lot of energy to our services and events, and increased our attendance. He helped us work on how we live our spiritual lives and put our faith into action in the world. He put technology in place for online services we can use even after the pandemic.

Matt and Heather, his wife, were planning to depart Mexico this Sunday, August 30. We wish them well.

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