

2023 Diocesan Convention is a Wrap!



Top left: Bishop Megan was presented with an American Girl Doll created to look like her, complete with custom made vestments. Top right, Bottom Left and Right: Anne Seed, Russian River Deanery Rep to the Board of Trustees; Steven Well from St. James, Yuba City; and Matt McMillen and Amanda Jackson of St. Luke's Galt all posing with a likeness of Presiding Bishop Michael Curry – who is scheduled to be here April 26–27, 2024 for the Fearless Faith Revival.

Last Friday and Saturday, Clergy and Delegates from around the diocese gathered at Faith Church, Cameron Park for the 113th Annual convention.

We'll feature a full wrap up report of convention next week - but here's a quick recap:

Governance Elections:

Standing Committee

Clergy: The Rev. Anne Pierson

Lay: Bismarck Maddy

Board of Trustees

At-Large: **Fernando Dizon**

Capitol Deanery Representative: **Don Taylor**

Central Deanery Representative: **Peggy Doyle**

Russian River Deanery Representative: **Daphne Vernon**

Resolutions

R1-2023 | Petition to the 81st General Convention to Add Howard W. Thurman to the Episcopal Church Calendar | ***Passed***

R2-2023 | Migration with Dignity | ***Passed***

R3-2023 | Canonical Amendment on the Qualification of Regional Deans | ***Passed***

R4-2023 | Canonical Amendment on Appointments to The Disciplinary Board | ***Passed***

R5-2023 | All Are Welcome to Receive Holy Communion | ***Did not Pass***

Petitions

P-1-2023 | Petition to Change the Status of St. Nicholas Episcopal Church From Special Focus Parish to Organized Mission | ***Passed***

Bishops Cross Recipients:

The Very Rev. Ed Howell

Jo Ann Williams

Donations to Bishop's Disaster Fund: \$3,249.00

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