

It is very exciting to be back in North Carolina as the rector of St. James the Fisherman, Shallotte. I was born in High Point, but left the state after I graduated from college. It has been a long journey. Along the way, I completed a doctorate in Japanese ethics before being ordained in 2010. Though canonically resident in the Diocese of Los Angeles, I worked in the Diocese of Long Island, where I was the vicar of a church, sometimes university and hospital chaplain, and did spiritual direction. Over the years, I developed a desire to come home and the need to be closer to my aging parents provided the last impetus. I hope to ride my bike, write, and garden in my free time.