

NOMINATION FORM FOR BISHOP AND COUNCIL:

ONE LAY MEMBER

Term Ending 2025

The 40th Convention will elect one lay member of Bishop and Council for a term ending at Convention in 2025. Requirements for nomination are: (1) The nominee must be at least 18 years old, (2) a Confirmed Communicant in Good Standing in this Diocese, (3) as lay members from Holy Communion, St. James Union City, St. John’s Memphis, Emmanuel Memphis and Immanuel LaGrange are currently elected members of Bishop and Council, nominees may not be from any of these Faith Communities.

Canon 9, Sec. 5 (c)

Dates for Bishop and Council Meetings:

B&C will meet at 9 am on the following dates in 2022: January 27, March 24, May 26, August 25, September 22 and October 27.

Description of Bishop and Council Duties:

- (1) B&C establishes policies and oversees the budgetary and programmatic business of this Diocese, similar to the role of a vestry/mission council of a Faith Community.
- (2) B&C establishes the policies and procedures of this Diocese.
- (3) B&C ensures that the programs and priorities of prior General Conventions of The Episcopal Church are implemented in this Diocese.
- (4) No property of the Diocese or any Faith Community may be alienated, conveyed, transferred, encumbered, mortgaged, assigned, or leased without the prior consent of the Convention or of B&C.
- (5) B&C exercises powers of the Convention between meetings of the Convention.

The nominator shall obtain the nominee’s consent to nomination and certify their intent to serve, if elected, as indicated by the Nominee’s signature at the bottom of this form. Nominations are to be submitted on separate forms along with bios of no more than 150 words, typed on a separate page, saved in Microsoft Word format and submitted by e-mail to diocese@episwtn.org. Nominations received by **October 5, 2021** will be included in the Convention Book. Additional nominations must be submitted prior to Noon the day of Convention.

PLEASE PROVIDE ALL INFORMATION REQUESTED.

NOMINATOR’S PARISH/MISSION _____ CITY _____

NOMINATOR _____

NOMINEE _____

NOMINEE’S PARISH/MISSION _____ CITY _____

NOMINEE’S ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

NOMINEE’S CELL PHONE NUMBER _____

NOMINEE’S EMAIL _____

NOMINEE’S SIGNATURE _____

CERTIFICATION

I, _____, hereby certify that the nominee is a Confirmed Communicant in Good Standing on the rolls of _____ (name of Faith Community.)

Signature: _____ Circle one: Rector/Clergy in Charge/Senior Warden