

NOMINATIONS for WARDEN and VESTRY MEMBERS of ST PAUL'S CHURCH

CANDIDATE FOR WARDEN

Class of 2022



INGRID STANLIS is currently on the Vestry. She also ushers, does lay reading, and is on the Investment Committee. She chairs a new initiative, the Stewardship Council, to coordinate annual stewardship, special gifts, and legacy giving for St. Paul's. She previously chaired the Stewardship Committee and was also previously a member of the Vestry.

Before retiring in September of 2011, Ingrid was an audit partner at KPMG, one of the Big Four global accounting, tax, and consulting firms. Ingrid became a partner at KPMG in its Burlington, Vermont office, and moved from there in 1996 to Rochester. In both Burlington and Rochester, she served on many not for profit boards, including, in Burlington, the Vestry of St. Paul's Cathedral, the board of Vermont

Public Radio, and the boards of First Night Burlington and the Vermont Chapter of the American Cancer Society. She was the treasurer of most of these organizations.

In Rochester, Ingrid has served on a number of boards as well, including the Rochester Business Alliance, the Country Club of Rochester, and the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra, as well as the Vestry at St. Paul's. She twice served as board chair, as well as filling many other leadership positions, at the RPO. Currently, she is on the board of the Society for Chamber Music Rochester, and is a co-chair of the Gifts Committee for the 50th reunion of her college class. Ingrid lives in Rochester, and is divorced. She graduated from Middlebury College in Vermont, many years ago.

CANDIDATES FOR VESTRY

Class of 2023



NAN BROWN (incumbent) and her husband, Peter, joined St. Paul's when Gus Kuehl was the rector and are still sitting in the same pew! Their 3 children were baptized and confirmed here, and their daughter had her wedding at St. Paul's. My husband was in the choir for years as well as being the Chancellor for Bishop Spears. Our oldest son was in the first bell choir and I have been in the current bell choir since its re-start quite a few years ago. I have served on the Altar Guild, several committees including the one for the Antique Show, and am on the Vestry. I am a retired goldsmith, and once refurbished and repaired the

Sibley Cross in my kitchen sink. It seemed like an irreverent venue for the Cross but I was not struck by lightning! St. Paul's is like home for us, and we look forward to a full and healthy return when God wills it.



ERIN GLANTON found her spiritual home at St. Paul's and was received here thirty-four years ago. Erin finds the inclusiveness of the Episcopal Church and specifically of St. Paul's to be central to her faith journey. Erin currently serves on the Human Resources Committee for St. Paul's. She has coordinated the 10:00 lectors and has sung in the Senior Choir at St. Paul's for the last 32 years. Erin is in the fourth year of Education for Ministry (EFM). Erin and Al, her husband, live in Brighton. She retired two years ago as the Human Resources Director at Coordinated Care Services, Inc. (CCSI), a not-for-profit organization providing services to the behavioral health and human services community. Erin holds a Masters degree in Human Resource Development from St. John Fisher College. Erin serves on the Board of St. Paul's Child Care Center and on the Human Resources Committee for RAIHN.



CHARI KRENIS has belonged to St. Paul's Church since 2007. Prior to that I had belonged to St. Stephen's Church for many years. I sang in the choir there and served on the Vestry. From 2002-2007, I lived in Washington, DC where I attend St. Margaret's Church on Connecticut Avenue. When my husband and I returned to Rochester, I joined St. Paul's, as it was in my neighborhood. The Outreach programs at St. Paul's are very important attractions for me. I believe that these programs are among the defining reasons I support St. Paul's. Of course, I am very happy to worship in a magnificent building with a spectacular music program in a parish led by outstanding clergy. I believe a church is really its people and programs. I continue to meet wonderful parishioners, doing fine work for our church. I call myself a "genetic Episcopalian," as both sides of my family have been Episcopalians for generations. I am honored to be nominated to serve on our Vestry.



ERIN WRIGHT (incumbent) has been attending St. Paul's since early 2009, with her husband, Daniel. They were married here in September of 2010 and welcomed their three daughters, Anika, Emily, and Grace, into the church through baptism. Over the time of her membership, Erin has served as a LEM, lector (which she coordinated for several years), Sunday school teacher, and as co-chair of the Annual Chili Cook-Off. Over the course of her 17 years as an English teacher at Rush-Henrietta Senior High School, Erin has taught all grade levels, 10-12, and several electives - she especially enjoys working with the special education population in her co-taught courses. Over the past three years, Erin has been trained in restorative practices to enhance learning and community building in her classroom. Erin serves as advisor to National Honor Society and Spotlight Theatre. She has enjoyed working on several plays and musicals at the high school; most recently, she served as the producer and dramatic coach for Spotlight's spring 2020 production of *Bye Bye Birdie*. It is an honor for Erin to be asked to continue to serve on the Vestry at St. Paul's.

CANDIDATE FOR VESTRY

Class of 2022 – unexpired term



ANDREW WELKER and his wife, Amy, started regularly attending St. Paul's soon after their engagement and became members a few months before their son Thomas was born. Like many, we managed to fly under the radar for a few years. As Thomas was about to grow out of the Nursery and our daughter Sonya was about to begin in the Nursery, I inquired about St. Paul's Sunday School and its offerings. (Both of my parents worked in the youth ministries at Webster Bible Church for many year, in fact my father continues to teach Sunday School and run a midweek youth program at WBC to this day). After a number of conversations with Barbara Warner, I agreed to work with Anne Refermat and Bonnie Martin to start *Joyful Noise*. Anne, Bonnie and I taught the children many of our favorite Sunday School Songs and even learned a few news ones along the way. For the past ten years, I have served the children and youth in a variety of different ways: I have taught the Middle School and High School Sunday School students and, most recently, I have been teaching the primary age Sunday School students. I have also served on the St. Paul's Stewardship Committee, serving as chairperson during the final year of my term. Outside of the walls of St. Paul's, I have taught math in Webster for 20 years and I coach Varsity Girls and Boys Tennis teams at Schroeder and the JV Boys Basketball team at Brighton High School. I received my Bachelors Degree from SUNY Potsdam and my Masters Degree from SUNY Brockport. Amy and I celebrated our 17th wedding anniversary this past August; Thomas is now 14 years old and Sonya will soon be 12. As a member of the Vestry, I plan to be an advocate for our children and their families. I truly believe that "If you build it they will come."