The Episcopal Diocese of Pittsburgh of The Episcopal Church

June 27, 2012



To: Senior Wardens and Parochial Clergy

I am writing to give you official notification that the 147th Annual Convention of the Diocese will be held:

Friday and Saturday, November 9 and 10, 2012 at Trinity Cathedral, 328 Sixth Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Please note the following information relating to this year's convention:

- The enclosed **Call for Resolutions** applies to any parish or individual who wishes to propose a resolution for the convention. Please share this information with anyone who may be interested. The deadline to submit resolutions is **September 1, 2012**.
- A form to submit **Recommendations to the Nominating Committee** is also enclosed. The reverse side of this form provides information about positions to be elected at convention. The deadline to submit recommendations is **August 1, 2012**. I hope that you will encourage people to come forward as nominees.
- Senior Wardens will also find enclosed the Lay Deputy Certification Form. The deadline for certification of lay deputies is July 31, 2012.
- Please also be reminded that your lay deputies risk losing their vote at convention if your **parish audit** has not been filed. It is due thirty days after its completion and in every case not later than **September 1**. (See Canon XVII Sec. 5)

All of the enclosed documents will also be made available on the diocesan website at www.episcopalpgh.org.

In Faith,

The Rev. Canon James Shoucair Secretary of Convention

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