

2023 Vestry Nominations

The Nominating Committee is seeking nominations from you and the other members of the Parish to fill five positions on the vestry for 2023. Set forth below is a list of the qualities and expectations for members of our Vestry. If you are aware of members of our Parish who you believe meet those qualities and can live up to those expectations, please confirm their willingness to serve on the Vestry prior to submitting their names. Set forth below is the Nominating Form that must be completed to submit a name for consideration. **To make a nomination, a Nomination Form must be received by the Nominating Committee no later than Monday, December 12th.**

Qualities and Expectations for Vestry Members

- A nominee to the Vestry must be an existing member of our Parish: to be faithful and steadily present in Sunday worship; to reflect a deep commitment to the Christian faith and to the church's ministry; to be a proportional, pledging member of the Parish; and to manifest leadership abilities and commitment within the Parish.
- Each member of the Vestry is expected to attend all monthly Vestry meetings and go on weekend conferences with the Vestry for occasions of planning and spiritual reflection; to meet the demands of being a Christ-focused leader in the Parish: to be steadily present at gatherings of the congregation; to understand that much of Vestry "business" is long range planning to achieve the Parish vision and mission, finance, and facilities; to serve on other lay committees that support Parish programs and ministries; to reflect seriously with the Vestry on the Christian call to stewardship of our resources of wealth and talent and serve as a leader of the congregation in that regard; and to take seriously a course of personal growth in the traditions of the Christian faith to include Bible reading and reflection.
- In addition to those qualities, the Nominating Committee will be looking for nominees who offer distinctive and valuable skills and abilities for the work of the Vestry; are committed to a discipline of careful listening and open dialogue; and are prayerful and discerning.

Parish members may submit their own names for consideration by the nominating committee. If you nominate another person, be certain to first obtain that person's consent. Please use the form below to submit names. If you nominate more than one person, use a separate form for each name.

This year's Nominating Committee is made up of the five members of the Vestry whose terms conclude at the next Annual Parish Meeting:

- ◇ Bob Vice—rvice@vctfirm.com
- ◇ Melissa Calabrese—Melissa.Calabrese@gmail.com
- ◇ Calvin Rasey—calvin@pfs-2.com
- ◇ Kennedy Simpson—ksimpson@tmslawplc.com
- ◇ Delia Walker—Deliacwalker@gmail.com

To the Vestry Nominating Committee

I nominate _____ to serve on the Vestry. I have received this person's consent to my nomination: yes no

I would be willing to serve and nominate myself: _____

My reasons for nomination are: _____

Signature of submitter: _____

Names must be received by **December 12**. Please submit your nominations to:

Please submit your nominations to: St. Francis in the Fields, P.O. Box 225, Harrods Creek, KY 40027, Attention: Mr. Bob Vice. Or you may email directly to: Bob at rvice@vctfirm.com