

Province IV Nomination Form 2012

Office Seeking: Executive Council – lay

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Parish Activities: Former vestry member and Lay Eucharistic Minister; Education for Ministry alumnus; Choir member; and Racial Reconciliation facilitator.

Diocesan Activities: I have been elected a deputy to five General Conventions, 2000-2012, serving on legislative committees Ministry and Education. For a 3rd consecutive term, I will serve as vice-chair of the Education Committee. Also during this triennium I am a member of the State of the Church Committee.

National Activities: This year I will complete a term (unexpired PIV, 2010-2012) on Executive Council. While on Executive Council, I am a part of a three-member team that provides anti-racism activities for members of Executive Council. In addition to this work, I also serve on the Executive Council Standing Committee on Lay Mission and Ministry. Previously, I served as chair of the Executive Council Anti-Racism Committee for two triennia.

Personal: I am a life-long Episcopalian and a 25-year communicant of the Church of the Resurrection, Starkville, MS. I have three much-loved adult daughters, Andrea Rose, Lori Helen, and Elizabeth Anita. My undergraduate education includes studies at Arkansas A.M.&N. College and a bachelor's degree from Alcorn A&M College, Mississippi. I completed graduate studies at the University of Florida, Gainesville and Mississippi State University, Starkville. Professionally, I retired from a 40-year career in education, having taught in primary, secondary, baccalaureate, and graduate schools. My most recent appointment was at Mississippi State University where I served 1987-2002 as professor of education and director of The Teaching/Learning Center. Previous appointments include a 13-year term as professor and department head at Grambling State University, Louisiana. My career also included public school appointments in Illinois and Mississippi. Since retirement from academics, I devote much of my time to the work of the Episcopal Church.

Nominated by: The Rev. Canon David Johnson, Canon to the Ordinary, Diocese of Mississippi

