

Hello everyone and peace be with you,

As we begin to chart a course forward during this time of transition, the Search Committee has begun the search for the next Rector. We have had our first planning meeting. In the spirit of faith and prayer, one of our first decisions is to ensure that this process be both transparent and engaging. With this in mind, we ask that you join us at the 11:00 a.m. Solemn High Mass on April 24th where we will be officially commissioned to begin our service to you.

Those of us on the committee reflect the breadth of our community, from those who have joined us recently to others who have known Ascension as home for multiple decades. We are blessed to have the guidance of Father Kevin Caruso, the diocesan representative.

As the Search Committee begins its work, we ask you to keep us and the Church of the Ascension in your prayers. We will begin the process with a church assessment tool (CAT) to evaluate our past experiences, our present spirit and our needs as we look to the future. There will be multiple opportunities for you to offer your input, your prayers, and your voice. Please watch for these as they arise. Following the will of the Holy Spirit, we look to make this endeavor a joyful and positive path for our parish body.

Ascension Search Committee