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The Church of the Ascension

Special Notice: Priest in Charge

Dear Fellow Parishioners and Friends of the Parish,

On behalf of your vestry, I am pleased to report that our curate Fr. Shane Gormley has graciously accepted the vestry's invitation to assume a new role as temporary priest-in-charge, starting next Monday, October 19. This position is expected to continue into early next year, as we await the arrival of a longer-term priest-in-charge.

The vestry continues to be in touch with Bishop Lee and members of his staff for a short list of suggested candidates for the longer-term role, and we expect an update from them in the next week or so. We continue to be hopeful that a priest-in charge can be called by December 1, with a start date by February 1.

Meanwhile, please join me in welcoming Fr. Gormley in his new responsibilities. With the support and prayers of the parish, he is expected to perform marvelously, balancing the spiritual and temporal affairs of our beloved parish with his commitment to pursuing his doctoral degree in New Testament studies. Both roles are of considerable current and future importance to the Church.

Please contact me with any questions or conversation at rodluery@yahoo.com.

Thank you for your support.

Best Regards,

Rod Luery
Senior Warden

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