

ANiC Council – Synod 2011

We acknowledge, with thanks, the outgoing Board of Directors:

We are grateful for the many talents and resources brought to us by these individuals. Considerable time and effort has been contributed by them over the past year. The workload has been very demanding and we were so blessed to have such a willing and gifted group “at the helm”.

We would especially like to thank and acknowledge Bill Stewart, Jonathan Patrick and Elaine Pountney who will be stepping down from council at the end of this Synod. Their Leadership and commitment of time and resources has been of great assistance in helping with the development of ANiC as it continues to evolve.

God bless you all.

“Well done, good and faithful servants.”

Our Moderator



The Right Reverend Donald Harvey

Moderator, Diocesan Bishop and Director, Anglican Network in Canada

Dean, Anglican Church in North America

In November 2007, Bishop Don relinquished his license in the Anglican Church of Canada and was received into the Anglican Province of the Southern Cone under Primate Gregory Venables. In becoming a bishop of the Southern Cone, he came out of retirement, resumed full-time episcopal ministry on a volunteer basis, and began to offer episcopal oversight to biblically faithful Canadian Anglican parishes. Bishop Donald is not only the diocesan Bishop and Moderator of ANiC (A diocese of ACNA) but also the Dean of ACNA serving under primate Archbishop Robert Duncan.

Bishop Don retired from the Anglican Church of Canada in 2004 after 12 years as the Third Bishop of Eastern Newfoundland and Labrador. Prior to this, he served for 30 years in various parishes in Newfoundland and Labrador including a six year appointment as University Chaplain. He has lectured in English Literature at Memorial University of Newfoundland and taught Pastoral Theology at Queen's Theological College in St. John's. In October 2009, Bishop Don was awarded an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree by Nashotah House Seminary.

Bishop Don and his wife, Trudy, make their home in St. John's, Newfoundland.

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The Venerable Darrell Critch

Director, Anglican Network in Canada

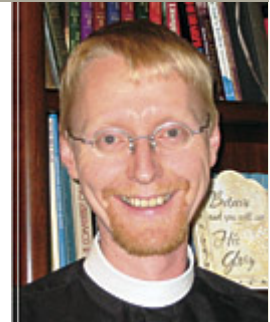
After studying music and music education at Memorial University of Newfoundland and theology at Nashotah House Episcopal Seminary, Father Darrell was ordained both deacon and priest by Bishop Donald Harvey.

Father Darrell has a passion for teaching the Word of God and helping Christians grow deeper as disciples of Christ - so they may, in turn, be equipped to serve God in their church and their community.

A convert to Anglicanism, Father Darrell has a heart for mission and outreach work outside the walls of the church.

Apart from his duties as rector of the parish, Father Darrell serves as Territorial Archdeacon for the ANiC parishes in Eastern Canada, and is currently a member of the ANiC Council - the national governing body between synods.

Father Darrell and his wife Sarah are the very proud foster-parents of Chase - a very special 18 month old.



The Rev Ray David Glenn

Director, Anglican Network in Canada

Rector, St George's Burlington, Ontario

Ray David provides leadership to ANiC's church planting initiatives across Canada and is a director of the Anglican 1000 movement. Ray David is passionate about seeing people come to faith in Christ and grow to be more like Jesus and less like the world around them, so his personal mission statement is the great commission found in Matthew 28:16-20.

Developing biblically formed leaders is another of Ray David's passions. The identification and training of faithful, young preachers is vital to the on-going ministry of the church.

Ray David has one son named Matthew.

The Rev Sharon Hayton

Director, Anglican Network in Canada

The Rev Sharon Hayton is recently retired from her position as rector of 'The Open Gate Church' in Victoria, on Vancouver Island (BC) and serves as the chair of CMJ Canada

Sharon was called to train for ordained ministry in her mid-forties, following a career in business and banking, and studied at Regent College where she received her MDiv. Returning to Vancouver Island, she served at the Church of the Holy Spirit in Victoria for three years. In 1997, she was chosen as rector at St Mary of the Incarnation in Metchosin. She served as territorial Archdeacon in the Diocese of BC for five years, resigning from that position in April of 2007.

Sharon has a passion for the renewal of Christ's Church as a sign of the Kingdom – that the Glory of God would be seen in and through His people. That it would be said of us, "they perceived that they had been with Jesus." She loves to encourage and mentor young people - especially those called to leadership.

She has three daughters and six grandchildren.



Stepping down from ANiC council

Mr. Bill Stewart

Director, Anglican Network in Canada

Bill is a software executive with a Vancouver firm that serves global financial markets. His background includes roles in engineering design, finance, mergers and acquisitions and not-for-profit. He holds a BSc in Applied Science and Master's degrees in both Systematic Theology and Business Administration.

Bill, his wife and three children live in beautiful Tsawwassen, BC. He loves church-planting and is very excited about re-building Canada's historic protestant traditions. Bill believes "We should all rejoice in the work at hand of restoring Christian nerve to the witness of Anglican teaching and fellowship in Canada."

Mr. Claus Lenk

Treasurer for Anglican Network in Canada

also a Member, Provincial Council of ACNA

Member, Executive Committee of ACNA

Board Member of ARDF and Treasurer of ARDFC

President of ReSource Group Canada and Warden at Christ the King, Toronto.

Claus has been involved in the movement to bring Canadian Anglicans back to biblically-faithful, historically-authentic Anglicanism since the Anglican Essentials Conference in 1994.

Claus and his wife Heather pioneered in planting Christ The King Anglican Church, Toronto in 2009.

"My passion is to serve God by bringing the message to Christ to the urban community in Toronto. He says we need to stand up and be counted for the gospel (Isaiah 44:5)

Claus and his wife, Heather, have 2 grown children and 2 grandchildren



The Rev. George Sinclair

Director, Anglican Network in Canada

George was ordained in 1985 in Ottawa. He served three years as an Assistant in a suburban parish and then 7+ years as the Rector of a rural 4 point parish. He has been the Rector of Church of the Messiah (formerly St. Alban's) in Ottawa since 1995. He was the long time chair of Anglican Essentials.

"The mission and vision statement of Church of the Messiah well expresses my heart. The church's mission, "Helping ordinary people be confident, joyful disciples of Jesus Christ." The church's vision, "Building a prayerful, Bible-teaching evangelical church in the heart of the city with a heart for the city (and the world!).""

George is married to Louise and they have 9 children and 4 grandchildren.

The Rev Mike Stewart

Director, Anglican Network in Canada

The Rev Mike Stewart is rector of ANiC's St Matthew's Anglican Church in Abbotsford, BC.

Mike was ordained Priest in London, England in 1990 and served in two parishes in the Diocese of London before coming to Canada in 2002. He was the Associate Priest at St. Matthew's Abbotsford for 7 years before being made Rector in 2009.

Mike's passion is communicating the story of Jesus through preaching, teaching, celebrating the Sacraments, spiritual direction and the general ebb and flow of Parish life. He is a contemplative priest at heart and believes that prayerfulness lies at the heart of our Christian life and witness.

Mike's life message is the call of Jesus to abide in Him and to pursue His divine friendship in all things. (John 15). He speaks regularly on hearing God's voice, aspects of prayer, contemplation, silence, solitude, the renewing work of the Holy Spirit and the transforming love of God. Mike has written a book entitled, 'No Crowds Present' which can be found on his website, www.revmikestewart.com.

Mike is married to Marianne and they have five wonderful children and love living in British Columbia.



*Stepping down from
ANiC council*

Professor Jonathan Patrick

Director Anglican Network in Canada

Jonathan has been a member of St. George's Anglican Church (Ottawa) since moving from Vancouver in July 2007. He has taken on a number of responsibilities in the church, including being part of the preaching team, serving on the Mission's committee for a short time, as a member of the nomination committee for the hiring of the associate minister for discipleship and recently as the chair of the sub-committee that has organized the visit of Bishop Michael Nazir-Ali to Ottawa.

Before moving to Ottawa, Jonathan was a member of St. John's Shaughnessy (Vancouver) for a number of years including two years in which he was a member of the first cohort of Artizo Ministry Trainees. Following those two years, Jonathan returned to the university to complete a PhD in Operations Research and Logistics. He currently works as a professor in the Telfer School of Management at the University of Ottawa. He is keenly interested in how we might speak coherently and winsomely into the public square and how we can best equip our children to live a genuine faith in an increasingly secular culture.

Jonathan is also on the board for St. Timothy's Classical Christian Academy. He and his wife, Jennifer, are the proud parents of four young boys.

Mr. Michael Bentley

Director, Anglican Network in Canada

Michael is President of SierraSil® Health Inc (2003-). SierraSil Health is an award winning, branded health supplement company founded in 2003. Mr. Bentley also serves as a Director of Canadian Forces Liaison Council (2009-), Trustee of the University of BC Foundation (2010-) and Trustee of the BC Sports Hall of Fame (2010-). Mr. Bentley is also President of M64 Management, a consultancy, and prior to that Mr. Bentley held a variety of management positions at Canfor Corp (1985-1999). He has served as a Director of two public companies, International Absorbents Inc. (2003-2010) and Wittke Inc. (1999-2002) Past volunteer positions have included: Trustee St. John's (Shaughnessy) Anglican Church (1999-2011); Advisory Board of the Business Family Centre at the Sauder School of Business (2001-2009); Director of Family Services Of Great Vancouver (1993-1996); and has coached soccer at various times. Mr. Bentley has a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of British Columbia and a Master of Science in Management from the Graduate School of Business at Stanford University in Palo Alto, CA. Mr. Bentley is married and lives in Vancouver, BC



Stepping down from ANiC council

Mrs. Elaine Pountney

Director Anglican Network in Canada

Elaine, a counseling psychologist by profession, divides her time delivering 'Sexuality and Gender' workshops internationally, speaking and teaching at conferences and retreats, contributing to Day by Day with God Bible study notes (Bible Reading Fellowship) and being a personal Spiritual Formation Coach. Her extensive ministry includes five years in the former Soviet Union working with the International Fellowship of Evangelical Students, four years working in six African countries with World Vision, and most recently in our own Iqaluit, Nunavut. Elaine lives in Victoria with her husband, Rev Dr Michael Pountney, where they are helping plant a new ANiC church in Saanich. And in between, Elaine is an enthusiastic grandmother. Elaine believes that the church of Jesus Christ must grow enough muscle (or courage?) to establish a firm grasp of our world as it is today and exude enough love so that our world today will take a firm grasp of Gospel truth - not an easy positioning for any of us, but a worthy ambition.

Nominees to ANiC Council –2011 –2012

The 3 nominees below have been recommended by the nominating committee and have been accepted by the ANiC council. *Synod voted to approve these new council members.*

David Gibbs

David has worked for the BC Ministry of children and Family Development since 1989. Raised in Anglican home in the United States, David moved to Canada to gain his Bachelor of Arts in Social Science from Trinity Western University (1985). David return to Anglican membership in 1991 when he and his wife settle in Fort St. John, BC in 1991. He served as Warden in the parish of St. Martin's, Fort St. John. David and his wife have been members of The Open Gate Church in Victoria since 2008. He currently manages a mixed team of child welfare workers and youth probation officers on two worksites on southern Vancouver Island. David¹ nomination offers to Council David's interest and experience in governance and his hope that ANiC will experience both careful growth and new relationships with Christians in other denominations.

Ed Lewis

Originally from Saskatchewan, Ed studied and took Electrical Engineering at the University of Saskatchewan graduating in 1970. He immediately joined the Federal Department of Fisheries and Oceans and spent 33 years in various capacities retiring from a senior executive position. He has travelled extensively internationally both professionally and recreationally including a short mission program in Haiti. He completed a Masters in Engineering program at McMaster University in 1986 and subsequently published his research results in two books. He retired from paid employment in 2003.

Ed has attended St George's Lowville for more than 28 years serving in many capacities including co-leading the youth program for 11 years teaching Sunday school, serving as warden and currently chairing Parish Council. He accepted Jesus as his personal saviour in 1984. He has managed the ANiC insurance program for the last three years.

Joel Reinhardt

Joel is a second year law student at the University of Ottawa. He previously completed post-secondary studies at Augustine College in Ottawa and Trinity Western University in Langley, BC. Prior to that Joel grew up as a Pastor's kid in Alberta.

Joel's growing involvement in the life of St. Peter & St. Paul's culminated in his confirmation in May 2011. Joel is grateful for the decisions that led to the formation of ANiC even while he did not share the long history of some that led to that formation. He is eager to bring a youthful and forward looking perspective to the work of the Council.