



## **43<sup>rd</sup> ANNUAL CONVENTION EXECUTIVE COUNCIL POSITIONS OPEN BY DEANERY Revised Sept. 4, 2025**

NOTE: Please use the appropriate form to nominate someone from your Deanery as a representative to the Executive Council. Refer to Canon 35 for an explanation of the Deanery system.

As a representative of your parish, it is important that you attend your pre-Convention Deanery Meeting in October. This will be your opportunity to review the proposed 2026 budget and assessments, discuss proposed changes to the Constitution and Canons, and elect representatives to the Executive Council.

Elected delegates have seat, voice, and vote in Deanery Meetings. Those elected as alternates should make every effort to attend as well, since they may be called upon to serve at Convention. Visitors do not have voice or vote. As you prepare, it may be helpful to review [Canon 35](#).

You are encouraged to participate in the process of nominating qualified persons to represent your Deanery on the Executive Council. The Council meets approximately four times each year, on weekday afternoons. Terms of office are three years; two consecutive terms may be served. You may nominate any qualified person, including yourself.

A list of openings by Deanery is below. To nominate someone to fill a position in your Deanery, use the Executive Council Nomination Form and submit it to your Dean at least one week prior to your Deanery's October meeting date.

### **FORT WORTH EAST DEANERY**

DEAN - Canon Sergio Diaz

Elect one (1) lay person for a three (3) year term.

Matthew Clemons (2025) 1<sup>st</sup> Term Expires so he may be elected for a 2<sup>nd</sup> term

Representatives still in office:

Paul Prater (2026 – 2<sup>nd</sup> term)

Sam Wilgus + (2027 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term)

### **FORT WORTH WEST DEANERY**

DEAN – Fr. Chris Culpepper

Elect one (1) lay person for a three (3) year term.

Hans Luthi (2025 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term) 1<sup>st</sup> Term Expires so he may be elected for a 2<sup>nd</sup> term

Representatives still in office:

Charles Humphrey + (2026 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term)  
Donna Stubblefield (2027 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term)

#### EASTERN DEANERY

DEAN- Fr. Alan Horton

Elect one (1) Lay person for a three (3) year term.

Ijeoma Oda (2025 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term) 1<sup>st</sup> Term Expires so she may be elected for a 2<sup>nd</sup> term

Representatives still in office:

Fr. Andrew Thebeau (2026 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Term)

Guy Huggins (2027 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term)

#### NORTHEASTERN DEANERY

DEAN – Fr. John Jordan

Elect one (1) clerical person for a three (3) year term

Robert Tomlinson + (2025 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term) 1<sup>st</sup> Term Expires so he may be elected for a 2<sup>nd</sup> term

Representative still in office:

Joe Hodges (2026 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term)

Gus Hernandez (2027 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term)

#### WESTERN DEANERY

DEAN – Fr. Donald Sackett

Elect one (1) lay person for a three (3) year term.

Tom Sikes (2025 -1<sup>st</sup> Term) 1<sup>st</sup> Term Expires so he may be elected for a 2<sup>nd</sup> term

Representatives still in office:

Paulette Sackett (2026 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Term)

Fr. Bill Estes+ (2027 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Term)

#### NORTHERN DEANERY

DEAN – Fr. Keith Roberson

Elect one (1) clerical person for a three (3) year term:

.Elmer Miguel+ 2025 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term) Filling unexpired term so this would be 1<sup>st</sup> trm

Representative still in office:

Gayle Slaughenhop (2026 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term)

Mary Howard, (2027 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term)

## SOUTHERN DEANERY

DEAN – Fr. Michael Heidt

Elect one (1) clerical person for a three (3) year term.

Fr. Greg Crosthwait+ (2025 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term) ) 1<sup>st</sup> Term Expires so he may be elected for a 2<sup>nd</sup> term  
Representatives still in office:

Craig Robinson (2026 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term)

Jeff Wallace (2027 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Term)

## SOUTHWESTERN DEANERY

DEAN – Fr. Cooper Morelock

Elect one (1) lay person for a three (3) year term.

Jimmy Henry, (2025 – 1<sup>st</sup> Term)

Representatives still in office:

Michael Mobley +(2026 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Term)

Barbara Kinney (2027 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Term)