

We are so very pleased to inform you that N. DeLiza Spangler has agreed to serve as our Interim Rector beginning November 1. Below you will find her resume. Please make her feel welcome.

## **Education**

Willamette University College of Law, Salem, OR 1985 Juris Doctor

The General Theological Seminary, New York, NY 1978 Master of Divinity

Lindenwood College for Women, St. Charles, MO 1975 Bachelor of Arts (Philosophy and Religion)

## **Ordinations**

Diaconal: May 21, 1978, Christ Church Cathedral, St. Louis, MO

Priestly: May 18, 1979, Trinity Episcopal Church, St. Louis, MO

## **Experience**

- Thirty-nine years of experience in ordained ministry, from serving a small parish in Alaska, to a larger parish (eventually 350 members) in southwestern Michigan to the cathedral in Buffalo, NY.
- Oversaw substantial growth in two parishes. The first, a small island parish in Alaska, grew from an average attendance of two to 40; the other, in southwest Michigan, grew from a parish unsure it could afford a full-time priest to a parish of approximately 350, and supporting two full-time priests.
- Began a Saturday evening service at the Cathedral in Buffalo, *Mysterium*, which used the arts to try to reach the un-churched or those who had fallen away from the Church.

## **Positions Held**

*Dean and Rector, St. Paul's Cathedral, Buffalo, NY 2006-2014*

*Rector, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, St. Joseph, MI 1995-2005*

*Rector, St. Philip's Episcopal Church, Wrangell, Alaska 1979-1995*

*Curate, Grace Episcopal Church, Jamaica, Queens, NY 1978-1979*