

CANON 29
DESIGNATED MINISTRIES

1. Designation

The Synod Council may with the approval of the Bishop designate and authorize Designated Ministries, subject to the provisions of this Canon, and other such terms and conditions as Council may specify from time to time.

2. Corporation

A Designated Ministry designated and authorized pursuant to this Canon:

- a) shall be carried out by a corporation incorporated for that purpose as is authorized by the Synod Council and approved by the Bishop;
- b) shall be deemed to be a missionary charge for the purposes of s. 2 of The Constitution only;
- c) may be performed, in part or in full, by a cleric appointed by the Bishop whose duties shall include, so far as applicable, the duties required of an Incumbent in Canon 9 and who shall be subject to the provisions, so far as applicable, of Canon 10; and
- d) may elect Lay Members of Synod pursuant to s. 3 of The Constitution, if permitted by Synod Council as one of the terms referred to in s. 1.

3. Conflict with Other Canons

In any conflict between this and any other Canon, the provisions of this Canon shall apply.

4. Reports

A Designated Ministry shall report to the Bishop, as the Bishop requires. Reports of a Designated Ministry to the Bishop shall be communicated to the Synod Council and to Synod members before each Regular Session of the Synod.

5. Employees

The corporation carrying out the Designated Ministry, unless otherwise directed by the Synod Council and the Bishop, shall employ all employees of a Designated Ministry.

6. Revocation

With the approval of the Bishop, the Synod Council may revoke the designation and authorization referred to in Section 1 of this Canon.