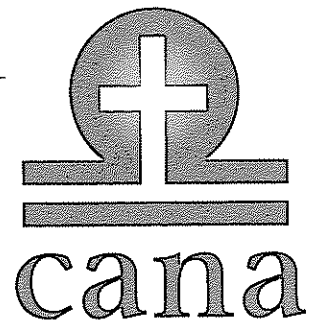


Convocation of Anglicans in North America



January 15, 2007

Congregational Registration

Sr. Warden Krzkowski,

On behalf of CANA and its Reception Committee, I am pleased to inform you that your church has been received and registered as a congregation in CANA.

Welcome to your new home in the Anglican District of Virginia as part of the Convocation of Anglicans in North America. Your congregational votes were a remarkable testimony to your desire to find a way to continue to remain true to your call as faithful Christians within the Anglican tradition. I am delighted that we will be walking together into an exciting future. A verse from Scripture that has meant a great deal to my wife Angela and me is from Paul's letter to the Christians in Corinth who were going through their own challenges — *"No eye has seen, no ear has heard, no mind has conceived what God has prepared for those who love him"* (1 Corinthians 2:9). This is a promise for all of us . . . the precise shape of the future may be uncertain but one thing we do know is that the God who has led us to this point will continue to show us the way to an even more exciting future.

A Certificate of Congregational Membership and additional materials regarding your registration as a CANA congregation will be provided to you at a later time.

It is a privilege to welcome you. May God richly bless your church's commitment to uphold and advance the historic Christian faith, doctrine, sacrament, and discipline of the one holy, catholic, and apostolic church as a CANA congregation. I pray that we will look to the future, confident that God's love will continue to sustain and guard us . . . "For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord" (Romans 8:38-39).

In Christ,

The Rt. Rev. Martyn Minns,
Missionary Bishop of CANA