Your Rector Search Committee has been very active this summer. The Rector job posting was listed on two Diocesan websites, one regional and one national at the end of May. We expanded our search in late July with a notice on the national Episcopal News Service website.

Each applicant submits a letter of introduction, their resume and a lengthy OTM Ministry Profile. The committee reviews all these materials to determine if the applicant is someone who we should interview. We have interviewed a number of people, some in person and some via Zoom due to their distant location. We have set questions we ask each applicant with an emphasis on their experience and then subjects that are important for St. John’s.

If we do not feel the applicant is a good match for our church, the process ends there. If it’s someone we want to get to know more about, we can meet with them again. The people we’ve met with have all expressed their interest and admiration for our ministries and outreach projects. They especially liked our Parish Profile, which was written to show how each member at St. John’s joyfully participates in the work of our faith community.

As the search process continues, we thank you for your prayers, your support and your patience.

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