

**Report of the Standing Committee  
Made at the Diocesan Synod  
September 24-25, 2009  
In Lynchburg, Virginia**

The Standing Committee of the Missionary Diocese of the Central States met via conference call on Saturday, September 12. [Those who participated in the meeting were: The Rt. Rev. Daniel Morse, missionary bishop; The Very Rev. Scott Houser, canon of the diocese; The Rev. Charles F. Camlin, chairman of the standing committee; Mr. Tom McConnell, committee member; and Andy Figueroa, committee member]. During this meeting, the Standing Committee approved the examination of the following six candidates for ministry:

Burlyn Rogers of St. Peter's REC in Norge, VA to be examined for the presbyterate

Tom Law of St. Andrew's REC in Signal Mountain, TN to be examined for the non-transitional diaconate

John Johnson of St. Patrick's Anglican Church in Smyrna, TN to be examined for the presbyterate

Jonathan Kell of Holy Trinity REC in Fairfax, VA to be examined for the diaconate

Mark Hanna of St. Peter's REC in Norge, VA to be examined for the diaconate

Michelle Caldwell of Trinity REC in Mason, OH to be examined to become a deaconess

During this past year, Bishop Morse has also received several clergymen and Churches into our diocese from other jurisdictions including:

All Saints' Anglican Church and the Rev. Ian MacGregor in Raleigh, NC

Trinity Anglican Church and the Rt. Rev. Wesley Nolden and the Rev. David Straw in Evansville, IN

The Anglican Church of the Resurrection and the Rev. Gregory Mashburn and the Rev. Mark Brown in Shalimar, FL

Since the beginning of our missionary diocese just a couple of years ago, we have grown from 13 to 17 parishes. We are also pleased at the number of clergymen and Churches which continue to enquire about joining us. Let us be diligent to pray for our bishop and for our diocese that we might continue to grow.

Respectfully, Submitted,  
The Rev. Charles F. Camlin  
Chairman of the Standing Committee