

Tim Beaty

Greetings, my name is Tim Beaty; my wife Sherry and I have been members of Christ Episcopal Church since 1972. Our two grown daughters were raised in Christ Episcopal Church – from toddler, until their weddings in 1991. I have been on the Vestry and served Christ Episcopal Church in other roles in the past, and I am currently on the Vestry. In every role I have undertaken, I have been enriched by the opportunity to serve at Christ Episcopal Church.

At my age, I was honored when I was asked to run for Vestry three years ago, and I am more honored that the Vestry Selection Committee is allowing me to run for reelection this year. I have no doubt but that this is the last time I will run for Vestry (or any other active role in the life

of Christ Episcopal Church), but if elected I will welcome the opportunity to serve one more term.

The Vestry Selection Committee asked that I comment on what I value most about Christ Episcopal Church; and I would have to say that it is the people who make up our congregation. Sherry and I have always savored the diversity in "our" Church, but it goes much deeper in that Christ Episcopal Church's diversity is represented in the broad spectrum of views that our members hold dear. I believe we are stronger for it.

The Committee also asked that I comment on what skills and experience I might bring to the position of Vestry Member. As we all know, the last year and a half has be trying, and with the COVID Pandemic still front and center in all our lives, I believe that with good leadership, and the good will of the congregation, that we will come back stronger in the near future.

Christ Church is a place where Sherry and I find the face of God and His love in abundance, and where the love of God's people for God and for each other is always present.