

Deanery Assembly Annual Meeting – Thursday, May 28, 2026

The Church of the Holy Spirit welcomes you to arrive early to look around our campus, and to join us for a soup and sandwich supper.

From 4:30 pm, the following will be open:

- * the sanctuary, with tours of the History and Art of the Church
- * the Galley West Art Gallery (a community gallery on our campus)
- * the Craft House, demonstrating hammered aluminum products (an artform continued from the early days of the parish)

From 5:45 pm, join us for supper and fellowship in the Parish Hall (RSVP deadline has passed, but please join us for fellowship. Please bring your brown-bag supper if you didn't let Holy Spirit know you planned to join for supper.)

6:30 pm Deanery Assembly Annual Meeting

Agenda:

- Welcome and opening prayer by The Rev. Patrick Ward, Rector, Church of the Holy Spirit (Orleans)
- Call to order by Co-Conveners: The Rev. Max Wolf and Celia Calhoun
- Minutes of meeting on March 26th, 2026: Jean Taft (*to come*)
- Reports
 - Dean: The Rev. Dan Bernier
 - Regional Canon: The Rev. Canon Kelly O'Connell
 - Diocesan Council: The Rev. Andi Taylor, Connie Melahoures
 - Conveners: The Rev. Max Wolf, Celia Calhoun
 - Proposal to change By-laws
 - Treasurer
 - Report of Nominating Committee: Kate Paradise
- Election
- Approval of Grants:
 - House of Mercy Grant application by Amazing Grace from St. Mary's, Barnstable
 - Sending and Serving Grant application by Food4Kids

Proposed Calendar for Assemblies 2026-27:

- Thursday 9/24/26 (hybrid)
- Thursday 1/28/27 (online)
- Thursday 3/18/27 (online)
- Thursday 5/20/27 (hybrid)

Program

- Presentation by Julie Lytle about the Amazing Grace Program.
- Presentation by Spencer Hatcher, the Executive Director of the Barbara C. Harris Camp and Conference Center

8:00 pm Closing Prayer