

JUNIOR WARDEN

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Wow. I can't believe you're reading this. If you are, that means you've already looked at the budget, checked out salaries, evaluated pledges, read the Rector Report, and Senior Warden Report. That definitely puts you in a highly esteemed **Minority**. Really, you must be one of those people who stays in the theater, watches the credits - to the end - and waits on the house lights to come on. **Awesome!**

Don't stop! You are exactly the type person who is, with out a doubt, doing a phenomenal job keeping All Saints' going. **THANK YOU!** Let me say it again because I am sure you have not heard it enough. **THANK YOU!** And by the way, this place would not survive without you.

As Junior Warden, this year I have learned a great deal about what I do not know or understand. I have learned that it takes a great deal of **patience** to make things happen. I have learned that we all have our own interests, which are important to us. And honestly, most of us have no idea how many other interests exist and how challenging that tug of war can be.

So with that, I want to **THANK the STAFF** for dealing with all of the personalities of our parish. Thank you for continuing to serve as we move forward. You are **GREATLY APPRECIATED**. Let us know how we can help continue the progressive and momentous changes we are making here at All Saints'.

LOOKING TO 2015

Someone made a comment, which so clearly defines, what we must focus on **Moving Forward**.

We must focus on
GROWTH and ENGAGEMENT!

That speaks to **INREACH**. Focusing on expanding and building our **PARISH**. We have a truly healthy group of amazingly dedicated parishioners. At times, with all of the progress we have made people can wear thin. Everyone has been asked to step up and stretch and volunteer and give and do. **AND YOU HAVE!** We are succeeding greatly.

SO HOW DO WE STRETCH THAT CIRCLE?

HOW DO WE SPREAD OUR LOVE OF THIS PLACE?

HOW DO WE AGREE TO DISAGREE AND MOVE FORWARD WITH HAPPY HEARTS?

HOW CAN A SMALL FEW OF US COME TOGETHER AND DO SOMETHING TO ENGAGE OTHERS?

HOW CAN WE INVEST \$\$\$\$ IN OUR PROGRAMS TO NURTURE AND ASSIST OUR VOLUNTEERS?

Let's **ENGAGE** and **GROW!**

PS. We fixed air conditioners, boilers, plumbing, dishwasher, sinks, floors, locks, thermostats, doors, refrigerators, leaks, sink holes, etcetera, etcetera.