

# 2026 Bishop's Annual Appeal

Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts



*“I am the good shepherd.  
The good shepherd lays  
down his life for the sheep.”  
John 10:11*



## Our New Shepherds

Our newly ordained: Revs. Jocelyn Collen, Mary Curlew, Eva Dalzell, Julia Matallana-Freedman, and Aidan Stoddart!



## Our Retiring Shepherds

Father Edgar from St. Lucas Chelsea.



## Our Future Shepherds

In the Diocese of Massachusetts, we are building the church of the future – and maybe even some bishops of the future!



## Our Lay Shepherds



## Our Regional Shepherds

The Rev. Canon Kelly A. O'Connell  
*Regional Canon for the Southern Region*

The Rev. Canon Gregory G. Perez  
*Regional Canon for the Northern & Western Region*

The Rev. Canon Marissa S. Rohrbach  
*Regional Canon for the Central Region*

## Our Shepherds of Hope

Voices of Hope, at the Bishop Alan Gates African Episcopal Mission Center, was a day full of music, strong community spirit, and meaningful connections.



## Our Prophetic Shepherds

In March, our cathedral partnered with Episcopal City Mission to host a morning of prayer and preparation before demonstrations on the Boston Common.



## Our Sainly Shepherds

People from across our diocese joined the John Burgess Chapter of the Union of Black Episcopalians to celebrate the Feast of Absalom Jones and Barbara C. Harris at our cathedral.



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