

Episcopal Peace Fellowship
National Executive Council (NEC)
Leadership Form

You have been nominated to serve on the National Executive Council of Episcopal Peace Fellowship. This is a three year obligation. After three years of service, you would be eligible to be re-elected to serve for another three year term. Accepting this nomination means that you would be responsible for the following, should you be elected to serve by the current members of the NEC.

+ Pray, study, act. You agree to follow and exemplify EPF's mission through living into your baptismal covenant to strive for justice and peace and to respect the dignity of every person.

+ Participation. Traditionally, the NEC meets twice each year, in person. More recently, we have been meeting every other month, for two hours, via Zoom. You would agree to attend these meetings and be available for such other virtual meetings as are needed from time to time during your term of service.

+ Committees. EPF and the NEC have four committees: membership, sustainability, programming and communications. You will agree to serve on one committee and to be in regular contact with other committee members to accomplish the purposes of the committee and EPF. (See list below)

+ Development. You will agree to promote EPF's financial, membership and organizational development, on local, regional and national level. You agree to contribute money to EPF every month at a level which is compatible with your personal financial situation.

+ Nonviolence. You agree to seek ways of resolving conflict in nonviolent ways, and to promote peace, justice and nonviolence in your personal, professional and spiritual life

+ Stewardship. You will be a good steward of EPF through careful decisions about programs, finances and policy.

Questions for Candidate Form for Nominees to the National Executive Council of Episcopal Peace Fellowship

1. Briefly state your involvement with EPF in particular or with peace and justice work in general. How long have you been a member? What are your past or current involvements or interests?
2. What are your other non-profit obligations? Do you have personal or professional obligations which might conflict with service on the NEC?
3. What is your understanding of the domestic roots of violence, including racism? Are there things you are doing to confront the problems?
4. What gifts would you bring to leadership on EPF's NEC?

EPF Committees:

Communications: Establish a communications strategy for EPF; provide ED content for [website](#) , social media, and Constant Contact communications; look at [website](#) for adequacy for our needs; manage [social media platforms](#) and "comments"; blogging; help decide how to manage mail for EPF's virtual office; volunteer

to help with virtual office details. (NEC leadership: Bruce Freeman, OH; Rob Burgess, MI; Jessica Jew, CA)

Sustainability: Develop a multi-year diversified development plan and goals for EPF; help with fundraising, budgeting, determining long range financial needs and campaigns; help consider how EPF money should be managed; determine electronic banking needs and look at bank investments to determine suitability for managing EPF's money. (NEC leadership: Rev. Will Mebane, MA; Kathy McGregor, AR)

Membership: Create the [requirements](#) and commitments for EPF membership for individuals; recruiting member initiatives; help look at donor and contact [database management](#) ; chapter and peace partner recruiting. (NEC leadership: Rev. Bob Davidson, CO; Rt. Rev. Dan Edwards, CO; Rev. Richard Wineland, TN)

Programming: help with resources for missions of EPF (curriculum, materials, speakers' bureau, etc.) and pilgrimages (Year of Action and urban pilgrimages); consult on management of EPF virtual store; plan for 2021 General Convention, review and expand partnership with other peace organizations. (NEC leadership: Rev. Cody Maynus, SD; Bob Lotz, MI; Rev. John Floberg, ND)