

**NOMINATIONS**  
**Due March 6, 2009**

**Check Election Category:** (Lay nominees will be adult communicants in good standing.)

**Ecclesiastical Court (IV.2.5 & 6)** 1 clergy and 1 lay for 3-year terms.

(No person may simultaneously serve on Ecclesiastical Court and Standing Committee.)

**Standing Committee (I.3.10)** -2 clergy and 1 lay for 3-year terms.

I nominate Charleen Crean

Address 579 Roundtree Lane, NE Ada, MI 49301

\_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip  
\_\_\_\_\_ currently on sabbatical until August 1, 2009 \_\_\_\_\_ Grand Valley \_\_\_\_\_  
Parish \_\_\_\_\_ Deanery

Signatures: Nominated by \_\_\_\_\_ Nominating Committee \_\_\_\_\_ Nominee's consent \_\_\_\_\_

Person nominated will be present at this Convention? Yes  No \_\_\_\_\_

*\*Brief biographical sketches of nominees received by **April 1** will be posted on the website (www.edwm.org). After **April 1**, nominees will need to bring 320 white copies to Convention for distribution.*

In the space below, please provide us with a brief biography and attach a photograph.

Ordained to the Diaconate in 1985 in the Diocese of Hawaii. Served as School Chaplain at Iolani School for 6 years. She was Deacon at St. Paul's Church in Pearl Harbor for 8 years where ministries included care for elderly, homeless, feeding the hungry, and ministry with children. She was on the Diocesan Clergy Wellness Commission and the Commission for Eradicating Racism. She moved to the Diocese of Western Michigan in 1996 where she served at St. Paul's Grand Rapids for 7 years. She then accepted a call by the Bishop to Church of the Holy Spirit in Belmont Michigan where she remained deacon for 5 years until sabbatical leave this past year. She has served on the Commission for Ministry and is on the Board of the Oakerhater School For Ministry. She has taught Pastoral Care for the School for Deacons. She is currently employed at Forest View Hospital as the Director of Clinical Services. She has a Masters Degree in Social Work.

**Nominee, send a signed hard copy of the nomination to Mary McGuire – Episcopal Center Diocese of Western Michigan, 535 S. Burdick Street, Suite 1, Kalamazoo, MI 49007. Call Mary at 269 381-2710 with questions. Please send an electronic version of your biography and photograph by email to mmcguire@edwm.org.**

**In the following categories, please list the most current activities and limit your information to the space provided.**

Current **PARISH** Committees, Offices

1. on sabbatical until end of summer 2009 2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

Current **DIOCESAN / PROVINCIAL / NATIONAL CHURCH** Committees, Offices

1. Oakerhater School 2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

Previous **CHURCH** Work (Diocesan, Parish, National)

1. see above 2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_