



Mary Perrin  
General Convention Deputy

Baptized at age 14, confirmed in The Episcopal Church at age 22, I worked in aerospace engineering and higher education (computing and finance) about 25 years prior to ordination. Ordained 9 years ago, I've served two parishes. I attended General Convention 2006 on my own, so I could observe process and procedures in the House of Deputies, the House of Bishops, and the Triennial meetings. I wanted to know that decisions were made prayerfully. I then ran and was privileged to be elected and serve as deputy for GC 2009. Every evening of Convention I wrote (and sent back to Western Michigan) my impressions of some of the things that had happened that day, trying to help our membership feel connected to the greater church. I love serving God through The Episcopal Church, and I hope to be able to serve this great church again by being one of your 2012 deputies. I am on sabbatical until June 1, 2010, so cannot be with you at Diocesan Convention in 2010