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To: Meyers, Ruth

Cc: 'The Rev. Bonnie Edwards'

Subject: SCLM letter to Bishop Gepert on January 15, 2013

Hello Ruth,

The Bishop asked me to let you know that he has appointed the Reverend Bonnie Edwards, rector of St. Barnabas, Portage to be the contact person in the Diocese of Western Michigan who will work with you and the commission to gather feedback from the diocese on "I Will Bless You and You Will Be a Blessing." Bonnie can be reached at revbonniee@gmail.com, by phone at or at St. Barnabas' Church 929 E. Centre St., Portage, MI 49002; church phone 269-327-7878. Bonnie knows that the diocesan staff will assist her in any way we can as she accomplishes her responsibility.

The bishop has authorized the use of "The Witnessing and Blessing of a Lifelong Covenant" in the diocese and clergy may adapt it as the resolution permits.

Give my warm regards to Dan as well as to you.

Sincerely, Bill+

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