

REPORT OF THE CHANCELLOR

In accordance with the custom of this Convention and Canon V of the Canons of this Diocese, it is my privilege to report on the following matters that were handled through the Chancellor's office in the course of the past year:

1. There was regular consultation with the Bishop on Diocese and personnel matters.
2. Advice offered to the Diocesan Council from time to time in the course of its deliberations and assistance was given to the Secretary with respect to drafting resolutions and minutes.
3. Advice was given to the Bishop relating to the handling of the funds from St. Luke's Hospital Endowment.
4. Advice and assistance was given to the Diocese in preparing for the Diocesan Convention and with the review of resolutions.
5. Advice and assistance was given to the Diocese relating to the Diocese's Group Tax Exemption letter.
6. Advice and assistance was given to the Diocese with the Bishop Search and the activities of the Search Committee and Transition Committee.
7. Advice and assistance was given to Grace, Liberty on the administration of a trust and handling of trust assets.
8. Advice was given to the Diocese relating to an audit issue for St. Stephen's, Monett.
9. Advice was given to the Diocese and the Assessment Review Committee on the Diocese's assessment policy.
10. Advice was given to the Diocese on a property matter for Shepherd of the Hills, Branson.
11. Advice was given to Grace and Holy Trinity, Kansas City on an employment issue.
12. Advice was given to St. John's, Neosho on a property matter.
13. Advice was given to St. Michael's, Independence on property tax issues.
14. Advice was given to the Diocese relating to the use of church property at St. Mary's, Kansas City.

15. Advice and assistance was given to the Diocese relating to employment and housing matters for the Bishop Elect.
16. Advice was given to the Diocese regarding the mandatory health plan and clergy employment agreements.
17. Advice and assistance was given to the Diocese with the transfer of the Bishop's automobile.
18. Advice was given to the Diocese on a property matter for St. Mary Magdalene, Kansas City.
19. Advice was given to St. Matthew's, Raytown on a lay ministry project.
20. Advice and assistance was given to the Diocese relating to the sale of the church property in Marshall.
21. Advice was given to the Diocese relating to cellular tower lease at St. Michael's, Independence.
22. Advice was given the Diocese on a loan request from St. Alban's, Bolivar.
23. Advice and assistance was given to the Diocese relating to the sale of property by St. Michael's, Independence.
24. Advice was given to the Diocese relating to establishing a Sudanese at St. Paul's, Kansas City.
25. Advice was given to the Diocese relating to the Diocese of West Missouri Foundation.
26. Advice was given to the Diocese relating to a donation of property to St. Alban's, Bolivar.
27. Advice was given to the Diocese relating to issues with burials on church property.
28. Advice was given to the Diocese on issues relating to a parishioner matter.
29. Advice was given to the Diocese on the termination of a lease by Ascension, Springfield.
30. Advice and assistance was given to the Diocese with the acquisition of property in Joplin.

31. Advice was given to St. James', Springfield on an employment matter.
32. Advice was given to the Diocese relating to a church audit and payroll tax issues.
33. Advice was given to the Diocese relating to revising the Canon on Assessment Review.
34. Advice and assistance was given to the Diocese on loan modification matters for Grace, Liberty.

October 26, 2011

Richard H. Wagstaff III
Chancellor