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Supervised field education offers a realistic, broad-based experience of the Church and its ministry. The Program provides opportunities for development of professional competence in a context in which theological issues are raised and explored. Field education choices are to be congruent with the student's academic and vocational goals. Clinical field education (CPE), as offered through the Association of Clinical Pastoral Education, is not required by the seminary. However, a unit of CPE may be used to meet one field education requirement. Information about CPE centers in the Boston area and throughout the United States and Canada is available through the Field Education office. The Field Education Committee is willing to review student-initiated proposals. M.A.T.S. candidates may include field education in their programs, but are not required to do so.

COURSES

FE 1010 - 1020 and FE 2010 - 2020

M.DIV. candidates are required to complete at least two units of supervised field education (FE 1010 - 1020 and FE 2010 - 2020). Each unit involves a total commitment of 350 hours which is spent on site, and in preparation, reflection and travel. A field education unit may take place over the academic year (September-May), or during the summer (June-August). EDS offers placements in a variety of programs and settings which reflect the school's areas of emphasis. Specific areas of placement include: Congregational Ministry, Chaplaincy Settings in Higher Education, Health Services or Agencies, placements with supervision in Liberation Theology Small Group Program, and placements in International Ministry settings. In addition, the Field Education Committee will review student-initiated proposals. All placements require initial consultation with the Director of Field Education and, when appropriate, consultation with the Program Director in the International Programs. Final placements are made by the Director. New programs are approved by the Field Education Committee. Students may register for additional units of field education when appropriate to their individual programs. Students should consult with their advisor and the Director of Field Education.

FE 3010 - 3020 Internship Program

This program normally falls during an academic or twelve-month year. Throughout this time, students are living away from the school in full-time ministry settings that are approved by the EDS Field Education Committee. Internship programs normally follow the second year. In order that those engaged in this program may be officially registered as enrolled students at EDS, a registration fee of \$500 per academic year is required.

PROGRAMS

Congregational, Agency, and Chaplaincy Programs

Program Director and Supervisor
The Rev. Dr. William M. Kondrath
Episcopal Divinity School
99 Brattle Street
Cambridge, MA 02138-3494
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This program offers a wide variety of traditional congregational and chaplaincy settings. Each placement is supervised on site by a seminary-certified and trained mentor who also participates in continuing education programming at the seminary. These sites are listed in this brochure.

International Programs

Program Director and Supervisor
The Rev. Dr. Ian Douglas,
Episcopal Divinity School
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Cambridge, MA 02138-3494
Tel. 617-682-1550

This program offers a variety of ongoing placements overseas. In addition, this program allows students to initiate placements which have clear cross-cultural components and which may take them away from the school for significant periods of time. Theological reflection on the field experience is group-based and is offered by the program director upon the student's return to campus. These sites are available through consultation with the Director of Field Education and the Program Director for International Programs. They are not listed in this brochure.

ONGOING SUPERVISED FIELD EDUCATION SITES

The listings that follow are the field education sites which are regularly available in the areas of congregational ministry and chaplaincy. This list is not exhaustive of the opportunities at EDS and does not include the sites initiated through the Feminist or International programs.

CONGREGATIONAL MINISTRY
(alphabetical by city or town)

Web Pages

Many of the congregations listed below have web pages that can be found at: <http://www.diomass.org>. Click on Communities and Congregations.

Church of Our Saviour

21 Marathon Street
Arlington, MA 02474
Tel. 781- 648-5962
lfp@church-of-our-saviour.org
www.church-of-our-saviour.org/portal

Program: Suburban Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Bill Blaine-Wallace

The Church of Our Saviour is a diverse and progressive Episcopal church community that has grown rapidly over the past three years from family to pastoral size. Energy has been directed toward establishing new frameworks, including a new mission statement, an updated website, new newsletter format, increase in hours of rector, parish musician, and parish secretary, strengthening leadership of vestry, and formation of small groups. Needs and goals for the next year or two are more small focus groups to deepen community, expand vestry leadership skills, special programs related to diversity, long-term facilities use study. Skills that could be learned by a student here include: reflection of a new culture of church, discerning spiritual needs in a diverse parish, models for deepening community, nurturing and celebrating people in their ministries in the world. General requirements would include: participation in both Sunday services, including preaching; reflection sessions with rector and supervision team; and leadership of one small group.

St. John's Episcopal Church

74 Pleasant St.
Arlington, MA 02476
Tel. 781-648-4819

Program: Suburban Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Dr. Ronald Ramsey (*pending supervisor training*)

St. John's Episcopal Church is a suburban parish located in a town which is now experiencing significant demographic changes. We recently celebrated 125 years as an Episcopal parish. The infrastructure for growth

has been established and we are shedding our quiet spiritual life for a life of greater involvement in the greater Boston area and more openness to newcomers. A seminarian would have the opportunity to preach, create and lead Adult Education classes, support our outreach efforts, make pastoral visits, and assist in the development of programs to use current and emerging technology to share the Christian faith.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church

100 Pine Hill Rd.
Bedford, MA 01730
Tel. 781- 275-8262
ffornaro@aol.com

Program: Suburban Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Frank Fornaro

St. Paul's is a growing, active, healthy, responsive, warm and accepting community of all ages. Christian Education for children and adults are vital ministries. Outreach initiatives include work with the Bedford Affordable Housing Initiative and Jubilee 2000 (Zimbabwe, Haiti). We are also exploring a relationship with Grace Lutheran Church in Cambridge. Opportunities include: worship and preaching, education, outreach, and pastoral care.

The Cathedral Church of St. Paul

138 Tremont Street
Boston, MA 02111
Tel. 617- 482-5800
JPS@diomass.org

Program: Urban Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Very Rev. John P. Streit, Jr.

In addition to the usual dimensions of parish life, field education at the Cathedral offers a unique opportunity to participate in the life and ministry of the Diocese. Students have opportunities to lead and preach at weekday services, to work with homeless people who come into the Cathedral for assistance or for

someone with whom to talk, and to join in the ministry of the Monday noontime soup kitchen and healing ministry at the 1 p.m. service. Opportunities also exist for learning about and participating in other aspects of ministry of the diocese, such as youth ministry.

Old North Church (Christ Church in Boston)

193 Salem Street
Boston, MA 02113-1198
Tel. 617-725-0559

church@oldnorth.com
www.oldnorth.com
Program: Urban Congregation Outreach Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Stephen T. Ayers

Old North Church is a growing congregation with an enormous tourist ministry. Old North Church is nationally famous for lighting two lanterns at the beginning of the Revolutionary War. The primary responsibility of a seminarian would be to help continue our tradition of community involvement by guiding the outreach committee. The seminarian can help the committee develop new programs for service and grant making in the city. The seminarian would also be involved in other aspects of congregational life, including preaching and teaching.

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church

419 Shawmut Avenue
Boston, MA 02118
Tel. 617- 262-9070 X2

lizsteinh@netzero.net
www.ststephensbos.org
Program: Urban Parish Ministry
Supervisor: Liz Steinhauser, Director of Youth Programs

There are three ways a field education student could be involved at St. Stephen's. Elementary School Program: Three groups of 15 children, each led by an experienced lead counselor and supported by high school age CITs (Counselors-in-

Training), rotate through academic and enrichment activities during the day. Specific tasks will include building reading, math, & technology skills; help with creative activities such as art and music; and participation in sports and swimming. Middle & High School Program (Youth Leadership Corps & The S2POT): We also offer academic and enrichment programs for two groups of older youth, 20 middle schoolers and 20 high schoolers. Field Education students will work with youth from both groups by fostering academic progress; developing leadership skills; promoting creative expression through technology, music, film, and theater; and being a fun and supportive role model. Spiritual Formation of Youth: There are opportunities every week to help form the spiritual life of young people at St. Stephen's. This is NOT the right site for a postulant or candidate seeking to fulfill their internship requirement for ordination. The supervisor is the Director of Youth Programs, not the Vicar of the congregation. This is definitely the right site for someone who wants experience with a vibrant urban ministry, build skills in youth ministry, education issues, community organizing, or building church-community partnerships.

Trinity Church

206 Clarendon Street
 Boston, MA 02116
 Tel. 617-536-0944
 pfoster@trinitychurchboston.org
 www.trinitychurchboston.org
 Program: Corporate size
 Supervisor: The Rev. Pamela Foster
Not available in 2007-08

Trinity Church in the City of Boston is a vibrant parish of some 4000 households located on Copley Square in Boston's Back Bay. The parish is a regional church, 60% of the households live elsewhere than the Back Bay, most beyond the city. Opportunities for a student include liturgical participation, pastoral care

ministries, working with Inquirers, involvement in one or more program areas, and preaching at the 8 am Sunday service and weekday services in this corporate-size parish.

All Saints Parish

1773 Beacon Street
 Brookline, MA 02445
 Tel. 617-738-1810
 office@allsaintsbrookline.org
 www.allsaintsbrookline.org
 Program: Urban / Suburban Parish
 Supervisor: The Rev. David A. Killian

All Saints is an active parish with urban and suburban characteristics that welcomes all people young, old, married, single, lifelong Christians and those new to the faith, of various nationalities and races. The parish is known for the excellence of its music. It is blessed with strong lay leadership and vigorous education, mission, evangelism and pastoral care ministries. Primary areas of responsibility for a seminarian might include: evangelism, young adults, singles, teenagers, pastoral calling, visitation of the home-bound, adult education, outreach. Opportunities for regular preaching, participation in worship, and attendance at committee meetings are also available.

St. Paul's Church

15 St. Paul Street
 Brookline, MA 02446
 Tel. 617-566-4953
 gmcstpaul@aol.com
 Program: Parish Ministry in an Urban Setting
 Supervisor: The Rev. George Chapman, Jr., The Rev. Pamela Werntz

All aspects of this parish life are open for seminarian participation. This includes preaching, youth ministry, teaching, visiting, and involvement in or development of programs and groups. The congregation is composed of a great diversity of people of many ages, races, and

socioeconomic groups. There are three distinct Sunday services at which students are invited to preach.

St. Mark's Episcopal Church

10 St. Mark's Road
 Burlington, MA 01803
 www.stmarksburlington.org
 connect.john@gmail.com
 Tel: 781-652-1502
 Program: Parish Ministry
 Supervisor: The Rev. John de Beer

St. Mark's was founded nearly 50 years ago; many of the founding members are still active. There are about 115 families of one or more people on the parish rolls. About seventy-five people are at worship on Sundays at the one service, beginning at 9:00 AM. The agreement between the Vestry and the Priest-in-Charge is that over the next two years we will lead the parish in the direction of strengthening the sense of calling of all parishioners and clarify the mission and ministry of the whole congregation. There are ample opportunities for an intern to participate in this work by developing lay leadership through visiting, teaching and preaching. Areas of concentration could include older adults, young families, youth, family service leadership, and Sunday worship planning and participation. Public transportation is available by bus from Harvard Square via Arlington Heights.

St. Bartholomew's Church

239 Harvard Street
 P.O. Box 390480
 Cambridge, MA 02139
 Tel. 617- 354-8582
 Program: Urban Parish Ministry
 Supervisor: The Rev. L. Nelson Foxx

St. Bartholomew's Church offers a wide range of multicultural learnings. A student can expect to participate in every aspect of our parish life: from parish administration to pastoral counseling, from adult Bible study to Sunday School. Opportunities are

available to help a student to shape/focus his/her style of ministry.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church

838 Massachusetts Ave.
P.O. Box 390390
Cambridge, MA 02138
Tel. 617 547-7788
www.stpeterscambridge.org
francoistrottier@stpeterscambridge.org
Program: Urban Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. François Trottier

St. Peter's Episcopal Church is a small, urban parish with Sunday attendance of around 100 people. We are located in Central Square, Cambridge within walking distance of the Episcopal Divinity School (20 minute walk). We are an inclusive and very diverse parish with a long history of outreach in the Central Square area of Cambridge. St. Peter's is in the process of transition as it looks to adapt to the needs of its vibrant and multicultural milieu. There are a large number of areas free for someone new to ministry to explore: pastoral care, parish management), ministry with young adults, regular preaching, website design, as full participation in the liturgy as canonically possible, leading adult fora, and children's ministry.

All Saints Episcopal Church

Ten Billerica Road (Route 129)
Chelmsford, MA 01824
Tel. 978-256-5673
asctom@gis.net
www.allsaintschelmsford.org
Program: Program-Size Suburban Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Tom Barrington

All Saints' Church is a thriving suburban congregation with an average Sunday attendance of 200. We are located about 25 miles northwest of Boston on the western border of Lowell and are crossed by Routes 3 and 495. We have a

significant number of families with children, an excellent music program and diverse outreach opportunities. All Saints' is a program-oriented parish with strong and effective lay leadership. Worship at All Saints' tends toward Rite II Eucharist with occasional special or experimental liturgies. Two challenges that face All Saints at present are to develop more effective adult formation and education opportunities and to renovate and make handicapped accessible our parish hall and office. Possible ministry areas include: ministry with children, outreach, and stewardship in addition to worship and preaching.

**Saint Luke's Episcopal Church
Iglesia Episcopal San Lucas**

201 Washington Avenue
Chelsea, MA 02180
Tel. 617-884-4278
t.callard@comcast.net
Program: Urban ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Mary M. Gonzalez
Not available in 2007-08

Saint Luke's/San Lucas is one of only four congregations in the Diocese of Massachusetts with an active ministry in Spanish. However, Spanish is not a requirement. We worship using Rite II in both English and Spanish. We (often) have a 5 PM Saturday service which is bilingual. Our worship style is flexible and creative. Our formation and education includes Sunday School (in English and Spanish), as well as small groups (in English and Spanish) which in the past have met on topics such as Prayer, Bible Study, Women's Health, Parenting, and Discipleship. Our pastoral care includes a Saturday healing service as well as house blessings, in English and Spanish, for members and others. Opportunities for a student would include: preaching, planning and leading worship, pastoral visits, house blessings, participating in and leading small groups, working on direct outreach, as well as insight into church administration and the

challenges of urban ministry. The church is accessible by public transportation.

Trinity Church

81 Elm Street
Concord, MA 01742-2252
Tel. 978-369-3715
tbuquor@trinityconcord.org
www.trinityconcord.org
Program: Suburban Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Anthony Buquor

Trinity has approximately 1,000 members with about 250 attending on Sundays. Concord is located in the western suburbs approximately 15 miles from Cambridge on Rte. 2. It is also easily accessible by commuter rail since the Church is located within walking distance of the train station. Sunday mornings begin with worship at 8:00 a.m. in the Chapel (the original church). The early Eucharist alternates Rite I and Rite II on a weekly basis. At 9:00 a.m. Christian formation opportunities are offered for all ages. The Adult Forum also meets at this time in the Parish Hall. Worship at 10:00 a.m. is in the Church with choir (an all-volunteer group of approximately 35 members). This service is always a Eucharist Rite II. During the week there is a Eucharist at 7:00 a.m. on Tuesday mornings and at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesdays followed by Bible Study from 12:00 to 1:00. Morning Prayer (lay led) is read Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings at 7:00 a.m. All weekday services are held in the Chapel. There are many opportunities for ministry and priestly formation at Trinity. These include preaching on a regular basis, pastoral care, opportunities to lead the Adult Forum and Wednesday Bible Study, and ministry with the youth of the parish and their families.

The Parish of All Saints

209 Ashmont Street
 Dorchester, MA 02124-3898
 Tel. 617-436-6370
 rector@allsaints.net
 Program: Ministry in an Anglo-Catholic Parish
 Supervisor: The Rev. Michael Godderz, Rector

All Saints' Church is a traditional Anglo-Catholic parish located in the Dorchester section of Boston. The neighborhood is ethnically diverse; over one-third of the congregation is from the Caribbean Islands. It is a destination parish; congregants come from the South Shore as well as the Dorchester, Roxbury and Mattapan neighborhoods. Sunday attendance averages 145. Services are Rite One, supplemented with resources from *The Anglican Service Book*. There is a professional choir of men and boys. The focus of the field education site would be Christian education. The seminarian would serve as Chaplain of the Sunday School. There is a Godly Play Program for the younger children and classes for junior and senior high. The student would also be involved in liturgy.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

North Summer St.
 P.O. Box 1287
 Edgartown, MA 02539
 508- 627-5330
 standrews12@juno.com
 Program: Parish Ministry
 Supervisor: The Rev. Robert T. Edmunds

St Andrew's dates back as a congregation to 1895, and has been a parish since 1965. We currently number 270 people in the winter and double that in the summer. We have just completed a new Parish House with meeting rooms, an office, a guestroom and a two-bedroom apartment. Our parishioners reflect the social and economic diversity of the island community. Opportunities are only limited by one's imagination for either the summer or during the

academic year and include: Christian education, youth group, liturgy and preaching, outreach to the Portuguese-speaking community, Bible study, film series. Willingness to work as part of a team and an entrepreneurial spirit (especially in the summer) are important.

St. John's Episcopal Church

172 Main Street
 Hingham, MA 02043
 Tel. 781- 749-1535
 stjohning@aol.com
 Program: Parish ministry
 Supervisor: The Rev. Robert Edson, Rector

St. John's Church is a growing congregation with an average Sunday attendance of 230, located 17 miles southeast of Boston. We are a program-sized church with good lay leadership. We have just finished one year of intensive work with Alice Mann on moving from pastoral to program size. The largest number of families are parents in their 30's. We use the Episcopal Church Curriculum. Possible ministry areas include: ministry with children and young people; work with middle and senior high youth; frequent preaching.

St. John's Episcopal Church

One Roanoke Avenue
 Jamaica Plain, MA 02130
 Tel. 617-524-2999
 acfowler@world.std.com
 Program: Urban Ministry
 Supervisor: The Rev. Anne C. Fowler

St. John's is a 20-30 minute drive from EDS and close to the Green Street station on the Orange Line. St. John's is a small, growing family-size parish, which has experienced considerable turmoil and clergy turnover in the last several decades and has suffered as well from changing demographics in Boston and the deterioration of the public school system. A seminarian comes to a broadly based parish experience

from which a variety of learning experiences can emerge. A nontraditional parish, our challenge is to devise ways to meet the traditional needs of parish life in nontraditional fashion, since discretionary money and discretionary time are both at a minimum. St. John's, therefore, offers unique learning opportunities and tasks.

Church of Our Redeemer

6 Meriam St.
 Lexington MA 02420
 781-862-6408
 www.our-redeemer.net
 tricia@our-redeemer.net
 Program: Suburban Parish Ministry
 Supervisor: The Rev. Tricia de Beer

Redeemer is a pastoral size parish with approximately 500 members and an average Sunday attendance of 158 for 2006. The staff includes the Rev. Andrea Taylor, Ms. Cheryl Duerr; Director of Music, and a full time Parish Administrator. Redeemer is currently working with Alice Mann and 7 other parishes of similar size to strengthen our sense of corporate identity and to see if growth in numbers will be part of our vocation. Lexington is 10 minutes from the Alewife T Stop by car and is accessible by bus. Redeemer has many opportunities for ministry and formation. Preaching; teaching, training lay pastoral care team members, assisting with youth group, working with mission or the welcome team are all possibilities.

St. Anne's in the Fields

147 Concord Rd.
 Lincoln, MA 01773
 Tel. 781- 259-8834
 cathy@st-annes-itf.org
 Program: Parish Ministry
 Supervisor: The Rev. Cathy George

St. Anne's in the Fields Episcopal Church is a program-size, family-oriented parish in a suburban setting, committed to providing Christian education opportunities for everyone.

The parish is in the midst of a major building project for classrooms and renovation to the sanctuary. Learning opportunities include worship, education, newcomer incorporation, ministry with children and youth.

St. Stephen's Memorial Episcopal Church

74 S. Common Street
Lynn, MA 01902
781-599-4220
jgould@andover.edu

Program: Urban Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Jane Soyster Gould

St. Stephen's is a racially and socio-economically diverse urban parish with 150-200 average Sunday attendance. About 100 children participate in Sunday School and youth activities. Adult Education includes weekly bible study and Alpha groups. Community engagement includes the Essex County Community Organization, Sudanese Outreach Ministry, Latino Outreach Ministry, and a weekly food pantry. Opportunities include preaching twice a semester, education program, pastoral visiting, liturgy planning and an independent project or program.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church

127 Summer Street
Lynnfield, MA 01940
Tel. 781- 344-4594
saintpaulschurch@juno.com
www.stpaulslynnfield.org

Program: Suburban Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Richard Stowe
(pending supervision training)

St. Paul's, located at the intersection of Routes 1 and 128, fifteen miles north of Boston, is a mostly working-class pastoral-size parish, 15 miles north of Boston. A student would be involved in liturgical leadership and preaching, education, and other parish programs.

St. Michael's Church

26 Pleasant Street
Marblehead, MA 01945
Tel. 781-631-0657
www.stmichaels1714.org
revajs@stmichaels1714.org
Supervisor: The Rev. Andrew J. Stoessel, Rector

Worship and music have long been a hallmark of St. Michael's. Chasubles are worn at both our 8:00 and 10:00 Sunday services of Holy Eucharist. Parts of the 10:00 service are chanted, including the psalm by our choir or a cantor, and incensed are used. The 10:00 service follows the Rite II liturgy, while the 8:00 service (no music, and a said service), follows Rite I. On the first Sunday of each month, October through May, we offer Choral Evensong at 5:00 p.m. A short liturgy, the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, is included at the end of this service. Opportunities for a student include: preaching, planning and participating in worship, pastoral visitations, teaching and participating in small groups, working with outreach volunteers at one of the local homeless shelters/soup kitchens, meeting with our small staff and insight into church administration, and of course supervision with the rector.

Church of the Advent

P.O. Box 461
Medfield, MA 02052-0461
Tel. 508-359-6303
revwsp@earthlink.net
www.adventmedfield.org
Program: Suburban Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Wanda S. Pizzonia

The Church of the Advent is located approximately 19 miles from Boston and is accessible via commuter rail to adjacent towns of Walpole and Norwood where transportation to the parish would be provided to support a seminarian without a car. The Church of the Advent is a pastoral-sized parish with approximately 150 families, as well as a vision for

growth to program-size in the next three to five years. Average Sunday attendance is 120 – 140 at two services: one at 8 AM and the second service at 9:30 AM. Opportunities for leadership will support desired learning goals. Suggested areas for concentration include regular preaching and worship participation, youth ministry, cultural education, urban outreach and pastoral care.

Trinity Parish

137 West Emerson Street
Melrose, MA 02176-3136
Tel. 781-665-3890
www.trinitymelrose.org
bjlomas6273@earthlink.net
Supervisor: The Rev. Bruce Lomas

Trinity Church is located approximately 8 miles from downtown Boston and within close proximity to Cambridge. The commuter train from North Station runs through Melrose with a convenient stop at Cedar Park that is close to the church. Trinity Church is a pastoral size parish that is in the midst of transition as we move to make Christian Education a part of the parish's life. Trinity has two services on Sunday. At 8:00 a.m. we do a traditional Rite I Holy Eucharist with no music. At 10:30 a.m. it is a Rite II Holy Eucharist with music and the choir. We average around 110 people a week during the program year. Opportunities might include: preaching, worship planning and leadership, pastoral care, young adult ministry and outreach. We would welcome a student who wishes to exercise leadership among a caring community that links a spiritual life of prayer with an active life of parish ministry.

St. Michael's Parish

112 Randolph Avenue
Milton, MA 02186
Tel. 617-698-1813

mail@stmichaelsmilton.org

Program: Suburban/Urban Border
Parish Ministry

Supervisors: The Rev. Samuel S.
Rodman III

St. Michael's is an active program-size parish with many of the attributes and expectations of a pastoral-size parish. We have committed lay leadership with an outstanding church school, active youth programs, a vital music ministry including two youth choirs and an adult choir. We are presently seeking to expand our service/outreach opportunities. Areas of focus and leadership development may include: adult education, worship and liturgical planning, pastoral calling, outreach, and pastoral visitation.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church

39 East Central St.

P. O. Box 238

Natick, MA 01760

Tel. 508-655-5880

joncstrand@rcn.com

Program: Parish Ministry in
Ecumenical Setting

Supervisor: The Rev. Jon Strand

St. Paul's is an economically and ethnically diverse congregation in downtown Natick, a former mill/factory town. The church school has doubled (35 to 70) and Sunday attendance has grown from 95 to 140 in the past three years. We have strong traditions in music and outreach/social action. We are partners with the Lutheran Congregation and Baptist Church in town (the United Parishes of Natick). Together we share mission work, partnership in the Greater Boston Interfaith Organization, and youth ministries. We are in the "transition zone" from a large pastoral sized parish to a program-sized parish. Opportunities include: preaching, liturgy, pastoral care, education, and

social action in this ecumenical setting.

Christ Episcopal Church

1132 Highland Avenue

Needham, MA 02492

Tel. 781-444-1469

www.ccneedham.org

Program: Suburban Parish Ministry

Supervisor: The Rev. Robert G.
Windsor

Christ Church is a program-size church of about 700 members with an average attendance of about 225. There are two Sunday Eucharist services with a healing ministry at each service. Weekday Eucharist is linked with Bible study and prayer group sharing. Ministerial opportunities for a student might include liturgy planning, preaching, children's chapel leadership, pastoral care, young adult ministry, outreach and working with a multi-staff team. Experience with the Godly Play curriculum is extremely helpful. We would welcome a student who wishes to exercise leadership among a caring community that links a spiritual life of prayer with an active life of parish ministry.

Grace Episcopal Church

76 Eldredge St.

Newton, MA 02458

Tel. 617- 244-3221

gelfer@onewton.org

Parish: Suburban Parish Ministry

Supervisor: The Rev. Miriam Gelfer

Grace Church has approximately 300 members. We have a long history of commitment to social action and Christian Education and formation. An Adult Discussion Group meets every Sunday. There are weekly meditation, prayer, and bible study groups, as well as an annual women's retreat. Children and youth are involved in Godly Play and Journey to Adulthood. Music includes *LEVAS II* and *Wonder, Love and Praise*. Opportunities include: incorporating newcomers, assisting with committee

leadership, preaching, teaching, working with youth, pastoral visitation, stewardship.

Grace Episcopal Church

104 No. Washington St.

North Attleboro, MA 02760

Tel. 508- 695-5471

revmas@aol.com

Program: Suburban Parish Ministry

Supervisor: The Rev. Maryalice
Sullivan

Grace is a suburban parish in transition from pastoral to program-size in a rapidly growing community. The church school and Sunday attendance are growing in proportion to the growth in the town. The parish is considering using its abundant facilities for a school similar in nature to Epiphany in Dorchester, for children at risk in grades 5-8. Opportunities for a student might include: preaching, liturgical leadership (including Enriching Our Worship), Christian education, stewardship, evangelism, spiritual growth, welcoming and incorporating new members, pastoral visitation.

Grace Episcopal Church

150 Chapel Street

Norwood, MA 02062

Tel. 781-762-0959

www.gracenor.org

kate.ekrem@verizon.net

Program: Suburban Parish Ministry

Supervisor: The Rev. Kate Ekrem,
Rector

Grace Church is a small but vibrant congregation located 30 minutes southwest of Boston, near Route 128. We have 80 active families; our Sunday attendance is currently about 90. We are easily accessible by commuter rail and bus. This Anglo and Roman Catholic town has seen a large influx of immigrants, especially from South Asia. A seminarian who is interested in Grace Church should come visit and see what kinds of ministry she or he would like to explore. Areas of focus might

include: children's ministry, youth ministry, teaching (for example, Bible study or adult form classes), pastoral care including nursing services and/or hospital visits, outreach ministry, evangelism, new member incorporation, worship planning, or stewardship. In addition, the seminarian would be invited to preach monthly and to participate fully in the Sunday liturgy.

The Episcopal Parish of St. Chrysostom

1 Linden Street
 Quincy, MA 02170
 Tel. 617-472-0737
 www.stchrysostom.com
 rector@stchrysostom.com
 Program: Urban Parish Ministry
 Supervisor: The Rev. David Hefling

St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church is a small, urban parish in the Wollaston neighborhood of Quincy, just over the Neponset River from Boston. St. C's offers space and funding to the Episcopal Quincy Chinese Center. This group offers programs as an outreach effort of the Chinese ministry of the Cathedral of St. Paul in Boston. There are a large number of parishioners who are 60+, and a significant number of young families with children. St. C's is considered to be a "blue collar" parish. While we have approximately 120 people on the books; 50 – 60 attend on Sundays. Liturgy planning and participation, preaching, pastoral care, adult and children's Christian Formation, and even some creative project planning and implementation are all possibilities at St. C's.

Trinity Episcopal Church

120 North Main Street
 Randolph, MA 02368
 Tel. 781-963-2366
 dmwoodward@juno.com
 Program: Multi-cultural Parish Ministry
 Supervisor: The Rev. Deborah M. Woodward

Trinity Church is an ethnically diverse, family based parish, located in a demographically complex town close to Boston. People of color comprise almost half of our membership. We face many opportunities to work with issues surrounding change, including diversity and inclusion, leadership development, liturgy, and structures which support growth, education, and finances. Conflict in the wider church has called us to revisit and renew our mission statement, core values, and parish identity. Student opportunities include: Community formation and spiritual growth, Christian education for all ages, involvement in local justice ministries, liturgy, pastoral care and outreach.

All Saints Episcopal Church

79 Central Street
 Stoneham, MA 02180
 Tel. 781-438-2776 ; Rector at home
 study 508-655-7114
 allsaints.stoneham.ma@verizon.net
 Supervisor: The Rev. Kim Hardy

The current Rector of All Saints' serves half time, has been ordained 16 years and has served this parish for 10 years. There is one main service per week on Sunday mornings at 10:15 a.m., a Rite II, Enriching Our Worship, or Rite III service. Weekly service attendance is in the range of about 45-65 and has been growing slowly even considering losses by death. Total membership is slightly over 100. Opportunities for a seminarian could involve a range of general ministry including but not necessarily limited to: preaching, planning and leading worship, pastoral visits, experiencing a smaller town interfaith group, participating in and leading small groups, working on outreach, as well as gaining insight into church systems dynamics. The church is not accessible by public transportation so student must drive.

Trinity Episcopal Parish

414 Sumner Street
 Stoughton, MA 02072-0513
 Tel. 781- 344-4592
 TrinityStoughton@aol.com
 Program: Pastoral-size Suburban Anglo-Catholic and Evangelical Congregation
 Supervisor: The Rev. Robert R.M. Bagwell, Rector.

Trinity Parish is a growing *Anglo-catholic* (ritually) and *Evangelical* (traditional Episcopal on the creeds) family oriented parish with an average Sunday attendance of 130 between an 8:00 AM Low Mass, Rite I (always) and a 10:00 AM Sung or Solemn Mass (Rite II except for Advent & Lent). The principal Mass is highly musical in character and manifests many of the historic characteristics of the Anglo-catholic rites of the Missal. The Seminarian would be involved in the full liturgical life of the Church. Our socio-economic makeup: primarily blue collar with some white-collar families. Our ethnic makeup is primarily Caucasian with some ethnic diversity. Trinity is approximately 20 miles from downtown Boston with easy access from major highways. Ministry and learning opportunities include preaching, teaching, pastoral care, and outreach.

Good Shepherd

1671 Beacon Street
 Waban, MA 02168
 Tel. 617- 969-6793
 Program: Suburban Parish Ministry
 Supervisor: The Rev. G. Truman Welch

Good Shepherd Parish is composed of well-educated, intellectually critical professional people who enjoy worship in the Anglo-Catholic tradition. The parish is conservative liturgically, moderate theologically, and socially liberal. There is a strong and vibrant Sunday school. Because of strong lay participation, the seminarian will share liturgical responsibilities with many other

people. The parish offers an excellent opportunity to learn from a parish of committed lay leaders.

The Church of the Good Shepherd

9 Russell Avenue
Watertown, MA 02172
Tel. 617-924-9420
ahfranklin@aol.com
www.goodshepherdwatertown.org
Program: Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Dr. Ann Franklin

The Church of the Good Shepherd is a pastoral-size parish with strong, committed lay leadership. Active in the Watertown Ministerial Association, it has several mutual/outreach ministries. Adult Education Sunday, with a guest preacher, is celebrated each quarter, and Sunday School every other Sunday. Adult Education series are presented at least twice a year, during the fall or Advent and Lent. The parish has a long-standing ministry with and for persons with disabilities. The seminarian will regularly attend 10 am. Sunday service. S/he will preach on a regular basis. Other primary areas of responsibility might include: choir/church music, visitation and pastoral calling, outreach, leadership of worship, adult education.

Church of the Messiah

13 Church Street
Woods Hole, Massachusetts 02543
messiah@cape.com
Dwarner74@aol.com
Tel: 508-548-2145
Program: Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Deborah M. Warner

The Church of the Messiah was founded in 1852 and is the oldest Episcopal Church on Cape Cod. The church is located in Woods Hole, home of four major scientific communities: the Marine Biological Laboratory, the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute, Woods Hole Research Center and Sea Education

Association. The areas of need which a field work student could find appealing are: helping to establish a presence among the scientific community; working with the clergy and laity in the parish in developing innovative liturgies for young adults, youth and children; strengthening one's pastoral presence among an older population, who despite their age, are as curious and engaging as those who are considerably younger; and preaching on a regular basis. Housing is available through the church.

All Saints Church

10 Irving Street
Worcester, MA 01609
Tel. 508-752-3766
Program: Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. Mark Beckwith, Rector, The Rev. Alden Flanders, Clergy Associate, The Rev. Nancy Elder-Wilfrid, Clergy Associate

The seminarian at All Saints will have primary responsibility in working with the parish youth group, participating in the pastoral ministry, and helping to guide the developing parish ministry. The seminarian will preach regularly at the 9 am family service, will assist and preach occasionally at the 7:45 and 10:30 services – and will participate in the developing “street church” ministry, a Eucharistic service held in the center of the city. The seminarian will receive regular supervision from the three clergy on staff, but will report directly to the Rector.

St. David's Church

205 Old Main Street
South Yarmouth, MA 02664-4529
Tel. 508-394-4222
wheuss@capecod.net
www.stdavidscapocod.org
Supervisor: The Rev. Dr. William B. Heuss

As members of the Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts we believe God in

Christ is working everywhere in the world to heal, to reconcile, to love every person and all of creation into wholeness. Through the life, cross and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ, the power of sin and death has been broken; life and hope is the new reality. It is our mission to join God's transforming mission. We will form our children, our young people, and our adult members, through prayer, worship and scripture, to become followers of Christ, that we might discern where God is carrying out this mission in our world. And we will send our people to serve with Christ, inviting everyone and all of creation to share in the just reign of God.

OUTSIDE MASSACHUSETTS

St. Paul's Church

21 Centre Street
Concord, NH 03301
Tel. 603- 224-2523
office@e-spc.mv.com
www.stpaulsconcord.org
Program: Urban Parish Ministry
Supervisor: The Rev. David P. Jones

St. Paul's Church is located in the center of New Hampshire's capital city, directly across the street from the New Hampshire state house. The parish priorities are worship, Christian education, and mission (evangelism and service). There are three varied Sunday services and two midweek Eucharists. Christian education on Sunday is for all ages, usually with several options for adults to choose from. A wide variety of outreach programs include a food pantry staffed by over forty volunteers, a clothing shop, a learning center, cooperation with the Concord Visiting Nurse Association, and shared programs with other local congregations. The parish has a full range of pastoral care activities for its members, some clergy-led, some lay-led. The Rector is willing to discuss possibilities for a field work experience with those who might be interested in this kind of setting.

St. George's York Harbor

P.O. Box 364
 York Harbor, ME 03911
 Tel. 207 363-7376
 Program: Parish Ministry
 Supervisor: The Rev. Paige Blair
 pblair1@earthlink.net
 www.stgeorgesyorkharbor.org

St. George's is a transitional sized parish, with approximately 300 families, and an ASA of 180-200 depending on the time of year. Like the community in which we serve, our church is growing primarily in young families and empty-nesters. York, with its population of 14,000 (which grows to as many as 40,000 in the summer) lies 10 miles north of Portsmouth, New Hampshire, 60 miles north of Boston, and 45 miles south of Portland, Maine. All are easily accessible from York by way of I-95 or (for the patient driver) U.S. Route 1. Worship at St. George's involves an 8 and 10:30 Eucharist, Rite II as long as any can remember. During the Easter season of 2005, we will move to a three-service schedule, with an education hour between the last two services. Opportunities for ministry and formation for a field education student would include regular preaching, pastoral care, work with our youth as well as their parents and our elderly, and offering spiritual formation and education groups or classes.

Christ Church

43 Pine Street
 Exeter, NH 03833
 Tel. 603-772-3332
 jdenon@christchurchexeter.org
 www.christchurchexeter.org
 Supervisor: The Rev. John Denson

Christ Church is a program size parish with approximately 375 families. Our average Sunday attendance September-early June ranges from 275-320. Exeter is located approximately one hour north of Boston and Cambridge (though the commute time is increased during

rush hour) right off of Interstate 95. Sunday morning at Christ Church centers on our Eucharistic worship at 8:00 and 10:30 AM. Both liturgies are Rite II. Opportunities for ministry and formation for a field education student would include regular preaching and teaching (in a variety of settings), ministry to all ages, pastoral care, and strategic planning and parish development.

Christ Church

Peckham Lane
 Coventry, RI 02816
 Tel. 401-397-7757
 potopol@cox.net
 Program: Family/Pastoral Mission
 Supervisor: The Rev. Elizabeth Sherman

Christ Church is a small mission in western central Rhode Island (half an hour from Providence). It is a congregation in transition from family to pastoral size, from mission to parish. Challenges in these adventures as well as in worship and preaching. The vicar and supervisor is involved in documentary filmmaking and would welcome student participation there as well.

CHAPLAINCIES AND INNOVATIVE MINISTRIES

Boston Medical Center

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 Boston, MA 02118
 Tel. 617-414-5336
 jennie.gould@bmc.org
 Program: Hospital Chaplaincy
 Supervisor: Jennie R. Gould,
 Hospital Chaplain

Boston Medical Center (BMC) is located in the South End of Boston and is an incredibly diverse site in terms of race, ethnicity, culture, class, language, and religion. As a level 1 trauma center, BMC is the busiest trauma center in New England. Approximately 50% of BMC patients are uninsured or have Medicaid. As the largest center for HIV/AIDS care

and research, BMC serves more than 1,500 patients annually. The hospital chaplaincy department provides pastoral care, counseling, and ecumenical and interfaith worship for patients and staff. Opportunities for students include conducting worship services, visiting patients, conducting spiritual assessments, and providing pastoral care and counseling.

Brooksby Village

100 Brooksby Drive
 Peabody, MA 01902
 Tel. 978-536-7831
 rbyrne@ericksonmail.com
 www.brooksbyvillage.com
 Program: Interfaith Active Seniors Community
 Supervisor: Rich Byrne, D.Min.,
 Pastoral Ministries Manager

Brooksby Village is a community of over 600 active seniors, building out to a population of 2200 residents in 2005. The supervised student-minister would be considered a member of the staff of the interfaith Pastoral Ministries Department and would have enormous freedom to create "a small congregation" and/or a specialized ministry in this corporately funded setting. These active, aging believers have very real needs and are quite forthcoming in expressing them. Possibilities include offering worship services and Bible studies or programs on weekdays.

Ecclesia Ministries

35 Bowdoin Street
 Boston, MA 02114
 Tel. 617-528-7875
 info@ecclesia-ministries.org
 www.ecclesia-ministries.org
 Supervisors: The Rev. Kathy McAdams

This ministry to homeless people includes opportunities for pastoral care, worship, and advocacy. Most of the ministry takes place on the streets of Boston and in healthcare facilities. Eucharist is celebrated on the Boston Common on Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

Environmental Partnerships

1 Taft Drive
 Winchester, MA 01890
 Tel. 781-729-4021
 Eosystems@aol.com
 www.Environmentalpartnerships.org
 Program: Environmental –
 Community/Church Partnerships
 Supervisor: Susan Youmans

This ministry serves congregations and secular environmental organizations in the Greater Boston metro-area. It includes opportunities for community organizing, work with youth, and offering educational programs at parishes. EP program areas include church gardens/ urban land use, collaboration with community sustainability programs, and facilitation of lay participation in dialog on ethical technical topics (e.g. GM food). Recent interns conducted an inventory of churchyards in the Mystic River watershed and led a community service learning.

Episcopal City Mission

138 Tremont Street
 Boston, MA 02111
 Tel. 617- 482-4826 X208
 ECM@diomass.org
 Supervisor: Dr. Ruy O. Costa

Episcopal City Mission is a faith-based ministry that promotes social and economic justice working through congregations and community-based organizations with special emphasis on the urban poor and oppressed. A student might work with parishes to encourage ECM participation; assist with ECM's Public Policy Program especially on housing and homelessness; or get involved in community development work through the Burgess Urban Fund.

Episcopal Church at Boston University

40 Prescott Street
 Brookline, MA 02446-4038
 Tel. 617- 277-5523
 episop@bu.edu
 Supervisor: The Rev. Margaret K. Schwarzer

An opportunity to engage in Episcopal ministry and mission at a large private university. The seminarian will participate in the worship and program development of our community. Preaching, pastoral work, outreach, and small group work may also be included.

Episcopal Ministry at MIT

77 Massachusetts Avenue
 MIT Bldg. W11
 Cambridge, MA 02453
 Tel: 617-253-2983
 mcreath@mit.edu
 http://web.mit.edu/lem
 Supervisor: The Rev. Amy McCreath
 Program: Campus Ministry

A student could work with the Lutheran Episcopal Ministry (a Wednesday 5:15 PM Eucharistic community). This work would involve liturgical leadership, preaching, bible study, outreach projects, social events, periodic retreats. A student might also work with the Technology and Culture Forum which sponsors programs and events on bioethics, weapons development and military policy, globalization, and sustainable development.

Ministry Developers Collaborative

The Ministry Developers' Collaborative (MDC) will be piloting an internship program which you can read about on their website www.mindevelopers.org/learn.html.

The proposal, intern application, and site application are posted there as well. The MDC is looking for people who want to explore the call to work

with congregations as ministry developers; who feel their diocese has the time, energy, and experience to host and learn with an intern; and who may be interested in supporting this initiative. For further information contact: Phina Borgeson at jborgeson@worldnet.att.net. This site requires a student-initiated proposal submitted to the theological field education committee at EDS.

Newton-Wellesley Hospital Chaplaincy

2014 Washington St.
 Newton, MA 02462
 Tel. 617-243-6656
 Supervisor: The Rev. Dr. Fran Bogle

Newton-Wellesley Hospital is a 250-bed community hospital. Chaplain Interns will be in ministry in different medical specialty areas: Critical Care, In-Patient Psychiatric, medical surgical, maternity, and pediatric units. Didactic sessions complement direct patient care and include: medical ethics, end of life issues, pastoral care with cancer, stroke and cardiac patients, spiritual assessments, and exploring local church responses to changing health care needs of congregants. This program might be counted as an *additional* unit of clinical educational by the Association of Professional Chaplains and the National Association of Catholic Chaplains.

On the Rise

341 Broadway
 Cambridge, MA 02139
 Tel. 617- 497-7968
 www.ontherise.org
 Program: Urban Ministry to Homeless Women
 Supervisors: Ms. Katya Fels
 On the Rise's Safe Haven provides sanctuary to hard-to-reach, chronically homeless women in Cambridge and Somerville. The program is highly flexible and involves being present with the women, befriending them and walking with them as they attempt to

live on the street an access services and benefits. Students will look at the complex systemic factors complicated by a combination of mental illness, physical disability, substance abuse, and extended exposure to violence and abuse.

The Quequechan River Initiative

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 jhornsby@aol.com
 Supervisor: The Rev. James Hornsby

The Quequechan River Initiative (QRIO) is a collaborative project—bringing together non-profit organizations, local government agencies, businesses, and residents—that integrates efforts to restore the Quequechan River (the original “Fall River”) and create an urban greenway through the heart of the city. The community vision for the Quequechan includes three major components: (a) a greenway of parks and recreation areas along the river, including connections to the Taunton River, Watuppa Ponds, and the 13,500 acre Southeastern Massachusetts Bioserve; (b) a bicycle/recreation rail-to-rail path along the river; and (c) daylighting the historic falls.

Refugee Immigration Ministry (RIM)

119 Exchange Street
 Malden, MA 02148
 Tel. 781-322-1011
 rimboston.rim@verizon.net
 Program: Immigration Ministry
 Supervisors: The Rev. Dr. Ruth H. Bersin, Mr. Chitral deMel

RIM’s mission is to serve the needs of asylum seekers and those detained by INS and their families through social services, pastoral care, and advocacy. A student would have a number of different opportunities to work directly with asylum seekers and detainees, as well as with volunteers and advocacy networks. Part of the

work would include participation in Pastoral Care Caregiver Training Program.

Traces of the Trade

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 c/o Episcopal Divinity School,
 99 Brattle Street
 Cambridge, MA 02138
 Tel. 617-349-0019
 Kbrown@TracesoftheTrade.org
 www.TracesoftheTrade.org
 Supervisor: Katrina Browne,
 Producer/Director, *Traces of the Trade*

Traces of the Trade: A Story from the Deep North is a documentary film, currently being completed, that uncovers the buried history New England’s role in slavery through the journey of the filmmaker and her family who are descended from slave traders in Rhode Island. The film is being independently produced for national public television broadcast and for dialogue and action on issues of white privilege and the legacy of slavery. A seminarian would have a significant leadership opportunity to develop programmatic/curricular models for use of the film in congregational settings. Major collaboration exists with the Episcopal Church, which can be furthered, and/or a seminarian is sought who could develop partnerships with other denominations. The specific tasks would include developing training and discussion materials to accompany the film, and doing outreach/networking/organizing to see how the film might contribute to the anti-racism and slavery atonement efforts of various denominations.

DUE DATES

October 5, 2007--Learning Agreements

January 15, 2008--Mid-year Evaluations

May 12, 2008-Final Evaluations
 (May 5, 2008-For graduating students)

Currently Inactive Settings

These settings have not had students in the previous four years or the former supervisor has moved away. In some cases, there may be a new supervisor who is not yet ready to have a student. Should you be interested in one of these settings, please check with the Director of Field Education before contacting anyone at the setting.

St. Luke’s and St. Margaret’s, Allston
 Tel. 617-782-2029

St. Andrew’s Episcopal Church, Belmont
 Tel. 617-484-6371

The Church of St. John the Evangelist, Boston
 Tel. 617-227-5242

The Church of St. Augustine and St. Martin, Boston
 Tel. 617-442-6395

Ruah Spirituality Institute, Brookline
 Tel. 617-277-0036

Christ Church, Cambridge
 Tel. 617-876-0200

Calvary Episcopal Church, Danvers
 Tel. 978-777-8486

St. John’s Church in Old Charlestown, Charlestown

Tel. 617-242-1272

St. John's Church, Lowell

Tel. 978-453-5423

**Church of the Holy Spirit,
Mattapan**

Tel. 617-298-0577

**Tufts Protestant Chaplaincy,
Medford**

Tel. 617-628-3261

**St. Paul's Church, Newton
Highlands**

Tel. 617-527-6642

**Christ Episcopal Church,
Somerville**

Tel. 617-628-4519

Trinity Church, Topsfield

Tel. 978-887-5570

**St. Andrew's Episcopal Church,
Wellesley**

Tel. 781-235-7310

**The Parish of Emmanuel Church,
West Roxbury**

Tel. 617-323-1440

**St. Peter's Episcopal Church,
Weston**

Tel. 781-891-3200

**St. Mark's Episcopal Church,
Westford**

Tel. 978-692-7849

**The Parish of the Epiphany,
Winchester**

Tel. 781-729-1922