

**METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON, D.C. SYNOD OF THE ELCA**  
**ELECTRONIC SYNOD COUNCIL MEETING**  
**June 30 – July 4, 2025**

The Synod Council conducted a meeting through electronic communications in order to address the following motion:

**SC25.07.30** to extend a call to specialized ministry for Rev. Annabelle Markey effective July 6th.

This is moved by Bishop Ortiz and seconded by Bishop Ortiz; Seconded by Barbara Bilodeau.

The following identifies the members who voted on the motion by means of a responding electronic mail message:

**Voting:**

Bishop Leila Ortiz, Bishop  
Jennifer Slagle Peck, Vice President  
Barbara Bilodeau, Secretary  
Julie Hamre, Treasurer  
Camille Trott, DC – Lay  
Pr. Judith VanOsdol, DC – Rostered  
Breeze Lawless, Fairfax - Lay  
Pr. Kelsey Kresse, Fairfax – Rostered  
Rachad Ya Ntima Esengo, Maryland – Lay  
Pr. Eric T. Randolph, Maryland - Rostered  
Anita Smallin, Montgomery – Lay  
Pr. Kari Parsons, Montgomery – Rostered  
Patrick Anderson, Potomac – Lay  
Pr. Alexander P. Stall, Jr., Potomac – Rostered  
Pr. Elijah Mwitanti, Virginia - Rostered  
Edyn Wheeler, At-Large Young Adult  
Ethan B, At-Large Youth

**Not Voting:**

Deborah Tyler, Virginia - Lay

All 17 votes cast were in favor, no abstain, and no votes opposed. The motion was approved.

Respectfully submitted,  
Barbara A. Bilodeau  
Secretary