

## ANGLICAN LEGAL SOCIETY RETREAT

*April 16-19, 2024*

Epworth St. Simons, GA

### **TUESDAY APRIL 16**

- 4:00 PM Registration  
6:00 PM Dinner  
7:00 PM Overview of Program & Compline

### **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17**

- 7:30 AM Breakfast  
8:15 AM Morning Prayer  
**8:30 AM Canon Law 101**  
A fast-paced introduction to the nature and sources of canon law with an emphasis on its theological foundations. Presenters: the Rev. Canon Phil Ashley, the Rev. Bill Barto, and the Rev. Andrew Rowell.  
**10:00 AM Constitutional Government in Canon Law**  
Explores the legislative, executive, and judicial powers and checks and balances in Anglican governance, and also discusses the work of the ACNA Governance Task Force. Presenter: the Rev. Canon Phil Ashley.  
**11:15 AM Seven Canons All Vestries Should Know**  
Considers common pitfalls for vestries and rectors, and offers model forms for parish bylaws. Presenter: the Rev. Bill Barto.  
12:15 PM Lunch  
**1:15 PM Parish Bylaws: What Keeps a Canon Lawyer Up at Night**  
Discusses parish governance, based on a review of almost five dozen parishes' bylaws. Presenter: the Rev. Andrew Rowell.  
**2:15 PM Recent Developments in Canon Law in ACNA**  
3:15 PM Afternoon Break  
**4:15 PM How to be a Good (or Bad) Chancellor**  
Discusses qualifications of a diocesan and parish chancellor, and also addresses conflicts of interest. Presenter: the Hon. George Peagler.

**5:15 PM      Open Discussion: Issues in Canon Law**

6:30 PM      Dinner & Compline

**THURSDAY, APRIL 18**

7:30 AM      Breakfast

8:15 AM      Morning Prayer

8:30 AM      Seminar by Theresa Sidebotham

**FRIDAY, APRIL 19**

7:30 AM      Breakfast

9:00 AM      Holy Communion & Commissioning Prayer