

Thank you, one and all.

During the liturgical seasons of Lent and Easter, I have been privileged to serve as your bishop in residence. That opportunity has afforded me the privilege of baptizing, confirming, preaching, and celebrating the Lord's Supper in parishes north and south, east and west. I have certainly gotten to know the Susquehanna River!

As I complete my service among you, I express my deepest thanks. I am profoundly grateful to Bishop Nathan Baxter for inviting me to stand in his stead while he enjoyed sabbatical leave. To the staff, clergy, and laity of the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania, I express my gratitude. I have been warmly received – everywhere. The clergy of the diocese have been welcoming and kind. The diocesan staff has been cooperative, helpful and efficient. The lay leaders of this diocese have been dedicated and helpful. Thank you.

As you welcome home your bishop, please know that I have felt your love and commitment to Jesus as Savior and Lord. Part of you will remain with me as fond memories of Central Pennsylvania.

Faithfully,

+ *David*

David Colin Jones