



THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS  
NOMINATION FORM (2019)

Date: 6/13/19 For the position of Deputy General Convention

I / we wish to place in nomination the name of Rev. José Reyes  
(Name in full, as he or she signs it)

Diocesan Missioner for Hispanic/Latino Ministry  
(Congregation of Nominee)

She / He has given consent to this Nomination and, if elected, will serve in accord with the terms and responsibilities assigned to that particular office. Also, the three undersigned delegates or delegates-elect of the Diocesan Convention have consented to this nomination. At least two of the undersigned must represent Congregations other than that of which the nominee is a member.

(Signed) [Signature] (Parish) St. Mary Miford

(Signed) [Signature] (Parish) Christ, Rockdale

(Signed) [Signature] (Parish) St. Michael's - on-the-Heights, Worcester

**FOR THE PERSON NOMINATED:** Please submit your answers to the following questions. Please type or write legibly in black ink, and keep your answers brief.

1. List any elected or appointed positions or ministries held at the parish, diocesan, provincial and/or national church level.
2. Provide a 40-50 word Statement on why you seek to serve in the office for which you are being nominated.
3. Provide a 40-50 word Statement on issues that you believe are important in the life of the diocese and the church.
4. OPTION: Provide a short 2-3 minute YouTube video that covers the above questions.

Answers on the back

**Return this nomination form by August 30, 2019 to:**

The Secretary of Convention  
The Episcopal Diocese of Western Mass.  
37 Chestnut Street  
Springfield, MA 01103

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- ① I serve on Diocesan Council and as the Diocesan Missioner for Hispanic/Latino Ministry. I have also served on the Diocesan Revival Committee.
- ② I seek to serve as a Deputy for General Convention because I would be honored to represent our diocese on the National Church level. Also, the Church is not a silo. I would love to participate in the National Church and share what the hispanic communities in our diocese are doing as well as learn from what churches are doing throughout the world.
- ③ Some of the issues that are important in the life of the diocese and the Church are social justice, equality, the environment, poverty and evangelism. I strongly believe that the Church needs to be a positive and passionate voice in the world to help create lasting change in these areas.