

Donald I. Snyder

Donald Snyder is a native of Fort Wayne, Indiana. He obtained a B. S. degree in music education from the University of Indianapolis and a Master of Music degree in choral conducting from the University of Houston. In 2005 he began a summer doctoral fellowship at Shenandoah University in Virginia.

A music educator by profession, he is an elementary music specialist for the Prince George's County Public Schools in Maryland. He is also a salaried chorister at St. John's Norwood Parish.

Donald is no stranger to volunteer AIDS ministries. At St. Michael's Church in New York he served as monthly coordinator for the AIDS Luncheon Ministry at St. Luke's Hospital and was the founding coordinator the parish's ministry at St. Mary's AIDS Center in Harlem. From 2000-2006 he was secretary-designate for the AIDS Committee in the Diocese of New York. He was St. Michael's AIDS Walk team leader from 1993-2006 and helped to organize the multi-diocese AIDS Walk coalition that evolved into the Episcopal Response to AIDS. Cited for his professional achievements and volunteer service activities, he is listed in *Who's Who in America*.

Donald currently resides in Silver Spring, Maryland. He is a member of the Church of the Epiphany in Washington, DC; where he serves on the New Parishioner Development Team and as a lay Eucharistic minister.