

**The Rev. Canon Lucinda Ashby
Canon to the Ordinary
The Episcopal Diocese of Idaho**

Resume

Ordination:

July 24, 2004: Ordination to the Priesthood, Diocese of Northern California.
January 9, 2004: Ordination to the Diaconate, Diocese of Northern California.

Education:

2004: M. Div.—Church Divinity School of the Pacific.
1982: B.A.—Oberlin College. Spanish Literature and Psychology
1978: Graduate—McCurdy High School, Española, NM—
Valedictorian Grammar School—Attended Colegio América in
Callao, Perú.

Work and Ministry Experience:

2011- present: Canon to the Ordinary, Episcopal Diocese of Idaho: “The Mobile Program of the Diocese.” Areas of ministry include: Congregational Development, Transition Ministry, Spiritual Retreats, Vestry Development, Leadership Workshops, Conflict Resolution, Liturgical Trainings, Preaching Practicum Retreats, Clergy development and coaching, Clergy Education, Clergy Retreats, Mutual Ministry Review. Lead Staff for Diocesan Events, including Convention. Preach and Preside at a different parish every Sunday. Liaison to Diocesan Council and interface with the Commission on Ministry.

2005-2011: Rector, St. Matthew’s Episcopal Church, Sacramento, California: A bilingual/multicultural setting in a low-income urban area. Bilingual ministry and liturgies, with an emphasis on social ministries. Partnerships with local non-profits, Title I school, Child Abuse Prevention Council, Community College, as well as numerous churches and businesses. Goals included raising up and empowering leadership within the parish and with partners.

2005-2006: Adjunct Faculty, Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, California: Ministry in a Latino Context. Curriculum included instruction in liturgical language, historical perspectives, and theological trends in Latin America.

2004-2005: Assistant Rector, The Episcopal Church of St. Martin, Davis, California: A program-size parish in an affluent, university town. Ministry areas included: education and formation, healing ministry, youth ministry, liturgical planning and trainings, pastoral care. Formed and coached program teams.

Relevant Diocesan experience 2004-2011: President of Standing Committee, Hispanic

Commission, Chair of Liturgy Committee, Fresh Start Facilitator, Gratitude Consultant (Stewardship), Search Process Consultant, Mutual Ministry Review Consultant, Vestry Retreat Leader, and Bishop Consecration Chair.

Larger Church experience: Deputy to General Convention, 2018 (Legislative Committee: Task force on Cuba); Episcopal Church Task Force on Cuba, 2016-17. Council of Diocesan Executives of the Episcopal Church (CODE), College for Congregational Development, 2015 and 2016. General Convention, 2015: Chair of Deputation (Legislative Committee: Rules of Order); General Convention, 2012: Alternate; General Conventions 2003, 2006, 2009: Volunteer. Province VIII Transition Ministers, 2012-present. Consultant for other dioceses in Transition Ministry, Staff issues and retreats, 2012-present.

Continuing Education: Sabbatical, 2017—"Introduction to Bible Lands," St. George's College, Israel and Palestine; Holy Week in the Episcopal Church in Cuba; New Camino Conference, 2016; Leading Women Conference, 2016; "Speaking the Truth in Love (Based on Fierce Conversations)," 2015; "Caring about Pastoral Care" 2014; CREDO, 2010; Sabbatical, 2009: Walked the Camino in Northern Spain (500 miles); Nuevo Amanecer, 2008; Fresh Start Facilitator Training, 2005. Stephen Ministry Mentor Training, 2004.

Secular Work Experience:

1998-2001: Chaplain and Teacher, St. Michael's Episcopal Day School, Carmichael, California: Planned daily chapel services for K-8 students; Religion teacher, Spanish teacher. Designed Religion curriculum to integrate with historical studies in core curriculum.

1997-2001: Educational Consultant, Rumsey Rancheria, Native American Reservation, Capay Valley, California: Built private school for K-6 Wintun students, literally from the ground up. Taught General Equivalency Development classes (GED) for adults. Formed and developed School Board and hired and coached teachers.

1992-1997: Head of School, Courtyard Private School, Sacramento, California: Developed budget for school, supervised staff of 25, formed and coached faculty and staff for school, ran Capital Campaign for playground, marketed school. Increased enrollment by 50%.

1982-1992: Spanish Teacher, Sacramento Country Day School, Sacramento, California: Taught Spanish Language and Literature, 7-12. Advanced Placement classes. Coached volleyball, directed Middle School Chorus.

Hobbies and Recreation:

Reading—Murder mysteries, historical fiction, biographies, Latin American and Spanish literature; Gardening—raised bed vegetables, succulents, drought tolerant plantings and hard landscaping; Hiking, Walking (almost daily with husband and two dogs); Knitting; Camping, Traveling, and Watching movies and attending theater, Member of Boise Committee on Foreign Relations.

