

A RESOLUTION OF GREETING AND CONGRATULATION to the Right Reverend V. Gene Robinson

WHEREAS THE RIGHT REVEREND V. GENE ROBINSON has during his fifty years in ordained ministry espoused social justice, radical inclusion, and human dignity in matters of church and state; and

WHEREAS Bishop Robinson throughout his retirement years has continued to be a prophetic voice in his sermons and speeches in religious and secular settings; and

WHEREAS the Episcopal Church of New Hampshire joyfully congratulates and celebrates its Ninth Bishop on the 20th anniversary of his commitment to that role, and on the 50th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood; and

WHEREAS the Episcopal Church of New Hampshire joins with St. Thomas Church in Washington, D.C., to honor Bishop Robinson on these anniversaries and his ministries;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the 221st session of Convention of the Diocese of New Hampshire expresses its love and gratitude to The Right Reverend V. Gene Robinson for the years of his ministry to and with us, and for his expansive message of God's love and our salvation through Jesus Christ.

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