

The Rev. Jane Soyster Gould

Rector/ Priest in Charge, St. Stephen's Memorial Episcopal Church, Lynn, MA, 2000-present

Episcopal Chaplain, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, 1994-2001

Led Lutheran-Episcopal Ministry; served as Coordinator of Technology and Culture Forum (T&C)

Initiated annual appeals for Episcopal Ministry & T&C and \$1,000,000 endowment campaign for T&C

Associate Rector, Grace Church, Lawrence, MA, 1991-1994:

Interim, Co-Executive Director Team, Episcopal City Mission, Boston, MA, 1992-1994

Assistant to the Rector, The Parish of the Epiphany, Winchester, MA, 1986-1990

Interim Protestant Chaplain, Phillips Academy, Andover, MA, 1985-1986

History instructor & coach, Phillips Academy, Andover, MA & Milton Academy, Milton, MA, 1979-1982

National Church Commitments:

General Convention Deputy, **2000 (Ecumenical & Interfaith), 2003 (Social & Urban) and 2006 (Social & Urban)**; Episcopal Urban Caucus, **Board, 2003-present**; Episcopal Society for Ministry in Higher Education, **1996-2000**

Diocesan and Community Commitments:

Community commitments: RUACH (Religious Understanding and Community Harmony), cable TV religion talk show, 2003-present; **Lynn Community Health Center**, Board & Chair Strategic Planning, 2004-present; **My Brother's Table (feeding program)**, Board, 2004-present; **Essex County Community Organization (ECCO)**, 2000-present; **ICA Loan Fund/ LEAF (Local Enterprise Assistance Fund)**, Board, 1992-1997

Diocesan commitments: Congregational Development & Support Committee, **2005-present**; Urban, Ethnic, and Immigrant Strategy Taskforce, **2003-present**; Episcopal City Mission; Chair, Burgess Urban Fund, **Board, 1987-89, 2005-present**; Diocesan Council, **1992-94, 2001-2006**; **Executive Committee, 2003-2006**; Episcopal Women's Caucus, **1987-present**; **treasurer 1994-1996, founder Girls Leadership Experience for middle school girls**; Diocesan College Work Committee, **1994-2000**; Mentor, Youth Leadership Academy, **1996-2000**

Formal Education:

MDiv, Episcopal Divinity School, Cambridge, MA 1986

AM in History, Stanford University, 1979; AB with distinction, Stanford University, 1978

Continuing Education:

Lilly Clergy Renewal Grant, 2006: 6 weeks intensive Spanish, Cuernavaca, MX; travel Mexico, Peru & Ecuador

Leadership and Change with Margaret Wheatley, Galapagos Islands, 2003

IAF Ten Day Training, Baltimore, March, 2002

WK Kellogg Foundation National Leadership Fellowship Program, 1993-1997
23 countries on 5 continents studying building & sustaining community; Peace Train Helsinki to Beijing for 4th World Conference on Women; workshops on conflict resolution, diversity, racism, & economic development

Trustee Leadership Development, Training of Trainers, 1998; Parker Palmer TLD Training Conference, 1999

Intensive Spanish, PLFM, Antigua, Guatemala, 1994 (2 weeks), 1996 (two weeks)

Spiritual Directors' Training Workshop, Society of St. John the Evangelist, 1993 (one week), 1994 (one week)

Publications:

Religion column, *The Daily Item of Lynn*, 2002-2006 (every six weeks)

"Immigrant City Ministry," *All Things New* (Episcopal City Mission newsletter), 2001

"On Engineers and Evangelism" in Disorganized Religion, Sheryl Kujawa, ed., Cowley Publications, 1998

"Redeeming Imperialism," *Journal of Women's Ministries*, Spring, 1997

"My Sisters Struggle to Survive," *Journal of Women's Ministries*, Summer, 1995

"Remembering the Washington Four," *The Witness*, 1994

Personal:

Born May 19, 1956; Ordained Deacon, June 4, 1986; Ordained Priest, May 28, 1987

Married July 10, 1982: John Gould, English teacher & writer; two sons: Gardner, age 23, and Samuel, age 18