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September 3, 2026

**In the Matter of the Rt. Rev. Mark Nordstrom
(Suffragan Bishop, Special Jurisdiction of the Armed Forces and Chaplaincy)**

PROCEDURAL UPDATE

On August 29, 2026, a summons in this matter was served via USPS certified mail return receipt requested upon the Rt. Rev. Mark Nordstrom, along with a copy of the Presentment and the Rules of Court, in accordance with the Rules of this Court. A signed return was received by the Court on August 31, 2026. In-person service was previously attempted but was unsuccessful.

In accordance with the Rules of this Court, the Rt. Rev. Mark Nordstrom has thirty days to file an Answer in this matter. The Answer deadline in this matter is Monday, September 28, 2026.

/s/ +Ryan Reed
The Right Reverend Ryan Reed
President of the Court for the Trial of a Bishop

/s/ Katherine R. Grosskopf
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Presiding Officer, Court for the Trial of a Bishop