

## CANDIDATE FOR VESTRY: Barbara Pettus

Barbara has been a member of Saint Mark's Church since 2006. She has previously served on the Vestry from 2007-2014, has co-chaired the Stewardship Campaign for several year, currently serves as co-chair of the Investment Committee and spent a few years teaching Sunday School. Barbara lives in New York City during the week where she spends many hours at her other church – Saint Thomas – where she is the Director of Administration and Finance. Most weekends find her spending time at her home in East Moriches with her husband or visiting their two grandchildren in Virginia.

Barbara graduated from Smith College and, after getting her Masters in Library Science from Simmons College, she entered the non-profit arena as a public librarian in Andover, Mass. Ten years and an MBA later, she moved to NYC where she joined Chase Manhattan Bank. After twenty two years in commercial and private banking and one too many bank mergers, Barbara “retired” from the corporate world and moved into church administration where she has spent almost sixteen years, first at First Presbyterian Church as Business Administrator and currently at Saint Thomas Church as Director of Administration and Finance. Along the way she has been a member of the Junior League and served on the Boards of the Financial Women's Association, the NYC Chapter of the Financial Planning Association and Signature Theatre. She is also the Treasurer of her Co-op Board in Manhattan.

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