

PARISH COUNCIL NOMINEES BIOGRAPHIES

Vasken Gostanian

- Born in Haverhill
- Lifelong member of St. Gregory the Illuminator Armenian Church
- Parish Council member, off and on, for the last 20 years
- Former Diocesan Delegate
- Former Superintendent and Teacher of the Sunday School
- Member of the Mr. & Ms. Club
- Actively involved in most church functions that the Church has sponsored.

Ardash Chilingirian

- Born 1924
- Graduated from Lawrence High School, 1941
- Served with 8th Infantry Regiment & 4th Infantry Division
- Graduated from Northeastern University, 1951 with a GPA of 3.28
- Retired from Arkwright Mutual Insurance as Senior Underwriting Officer & Asst. Secretary
- Former Parish Council member

Alice Ravissian

- Lifelong member of the church
- Former Parish Council member
- Member of the Mr. & Ms. Club
- Active in most church functions
- Former secretary of the Multiple Listing Service for the Haverhill Realtors

Cynthia Kasparian

- Lifelong member of the church
- Member of the Choir for the past 20 years
- Member of the 50th Anniversary Committee
- Actively involved in all church functions
- Working in the investment/banking industry for the last 15 years

Virginia Tavitian

- Organist and member of the Choir
- Lifelong member of the church
- Working in the Appraisal Dept. of Baybanks for the last 10 years

Rosalie Sasso

- Member in good standing in the church
- Member of the Mr. & Ms. Club
- Longtime member who would like to see St. Gregory remain an active and vital part of the Haverhill Armenian community

Michael Der Boghosian

- Lifelong member of the church
- Subdeacon 1948-1954
- Former Chairman of the Parish Council and Diocesan Delegate
- Present Chairman of the Parish Council

Margaret Kazarosian

- Retired Teacher of music, Haverhill Public Schools
- Member of the church for 50 years - first organist and currently vice-chairman of the Mr. & Ms. Club
- Member and past President: Friends of the Haverhill Public Library
- Founder: The Friend's Shop at the Library
- Past Chair: Mental Health and Retardation Area Board
- Past President: Northern Essex County ARC