

Cathedral of St. Matthew the Apostle
 Parish Pastoral Council
 Candidates for Election 2016
 (Four to be chosen by election. Voting begins Nov 5 through Nov 13.)

	Anthony Bucci has been a member of St. Matthews for three years, serving as an EMC, volunteering for the Stewardship and Communications committees, and participating in reading groups. For 13 years he served at St. Francis of Assisi Parish in his native New Jersey as a youth group leader, lector, and service project volunteer. Anthony has worked in youth leadership for 7 years and is currently a human rights and security professional. Anthony has a BA from The George Washington University and an MA in International Relations from the University of Chicago.
Anthony Bucci III	
	Krista Cox has been a parishioner at St. Matthew's for five years. She has previously served as an EMC at the 8:30am mass, Coordinator of the ESL/SSL program, Vice Chair of the Social Justice and Community Service Committee, and is currently serving as Vice Chair of the Parish Pastoral Council. Krista is an attorney who focuses primarily on copyright and social justice issues. She lives in Maryland with her husband and two children.
Krista Cox	
	Damien Gaul currently serves on the Faith Formation Committee and has participated in many related activities, including leading Small Faith Sharing Groups. He completed the JustFaith curriculum with the 2015 class at St. Matthew's. He is a regular attendee at the Book Club and other Parish activities. Damien works for the U.S. Department of Energy as an economist. He enjoys hiking and other outdoor activities, playing the piano, and travel. Damien became a parishioner in 2015. He is dedicated to expanding the Parish's faith formation initiatives.
Damien Gaul	
	Andrew Lentz has worshiped at St. Matthew's for five years. He works full-time at the USDA Foreign Agricultural Service and recently completed a dual master's degree at Johns Hopkins University in political communications and marketing. He has lived in Washington, DC for over eight years and knows the city well. Andrew is happily in love with his girlfriend of six years and looks forward to spending more time with her now that graduate school is complete. In his free time Andrew enjoys reading, writing, playing sports and socializing with friends. He hopes to bring his passion for service to the Parish Council.
Andrew Lentz	
	Susana Quiñonez, originally from Peru, has lived in the Washington area for 31 years. She has worked at Georgetown University for 16 years in the Center for Intercultural Education and Development. She taught English to adults at Our Lady of Lourdes in Maryland for six years, and helped serving meals at SOME (Some Others Might Eat) for seven years. She has been member of St. Matthew's for a year and is a member of the Hispanic Committee. She hopes to be a liaison between the Hispanic Committee and the Parish Council. Susana's hobbies are hiking, traveling, photography and dancing.
Susana Quiñonez	
	Tricia Schmitt has been a parishioner of St. Matthew's for more than 13 years. She currently serves as Chair of the Faith Formation Committee, as an EMC, in the homeless ministry, and leads small faith sharing groups. She previously served on the Parish Council in 2004 and with the Young Adult Ministry 2003 – 2009. Tricia currently works as a Senior Policy Advisor at the Office of Management and Budget on public health issues and lives in Dupont Circle. Tricia would like to serve as a member of the Parish Council to more fully incorporate Faith Formation programs across the Cathedral.
Tricia Schmitt	
	Wendy Marie Thomas has been a member of St. Matthew's Cathedral for about 3 years, and regularly attends the 11:30am mass. She is a Team Member of our Landings ministry which centers around dialogue and conversation with returning Catholics. Together they help each other reach a deeper faith in our fast changing world. Prior to this ministry, she participated in several of our book clubs and discussions. Wendy is a graduate of Georgetown University's School of Foreign Service, and holds two graduate degrees in the atmospheric sciences. She is a meteorologist at the National Weather Service Headquarters.
Wendy Marie Thomas	