

HISTORICAL  
QUESTIONS FOR TESTIMONIALS

Name: Camilla + Johnsey Cabaniss

How long have you been a member? 40 years +

Were your family members a member of RCPC? No -

Camilla raised at McAllister Memorial Presbyterian, VA <sup>Covington</sup>  
Johnsey " in St. James Catholic, Hopewell, VA

What first attracted you to RCPC?

Close to our home in Grandin Court <sup>Son Lee remains inactive member lives in Elko, NV</sup>  
Friends invited us to attend  
(Oue + Ray Basham)

What changes have you observed since you joined the church?

We arrived when Rev. Allison was pastor. We have seen the church grow in size, shape (new addition). ~~Stronger~~ New organ, stronger music program

What do you feel are the strengths/weaknesses of RCPC?

Strengths  
Youth program  
Pastors - Andrew + Matthew <sup>pastoral support</sup>  
Music  
Communication is improving

What boards/committees have you served on?

Camilla  
Chancel Guild  
Presbyterian Women  
Nursery  
Bereavement Receptions  
Johnsey  
Board of Deacons (1 term)  
Nursery  
Sudanese Mission  
BSA - Troop 2  
Cub Scouts  
Pack 2  
(Son Lee, Eagle Scout Troop 2 1999)

What programs or ministries are important to you?

Reaching out w/ Bereavement  
Small group Bible study  
Early service in chapel on Sunday  
Fellowship (many years ago)

If asked, how would you describe RCPC to a new member?

Welcoming, warm - full of opportunities for learning, service,  
Able to chose what, where you want to be involved

What one thing/happening/or event do you fondly, specifically remember?

When we were relatively new members, a program of "supper clubs" was started. We offered to host a group. To our delight/surprise, long established members Bill + Betty Merritt, Emma Hunter Maxwell, Lib + Claude Carico came to our home on several evenings for food + fellowship. All remained friends for many many years.  
<sup>Dr. Allison</sup> Baptism of Son, Lee