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Deacon welcomed to St. John the Baptist

The Episcopal Church of St. John the Baptist, Milton, is very pleased to announce the addition earlier this month of The Rev. Paula J. Waite as their deacon. Her duties include visitation, supporting the many existing outreach ministries of the parish and developing new ones, and preaching.

Though serving at St. John the Baptist, Deacon Paula also will continue at Beebe Medical Center, Lewes, where she is a chaplain. Her training in hospital chaplaincy was at Christiana Care Health System in Newark, Del. She has ministered also at St. Anne's Episcopal Church, Annapolis, Md.

Deacon Paula has a B.A. in Economics, graduating *summa cum laude*. She also obtained a Master's in Theology, receiving the Dean's Award for Outstanding Achievement in Theological Studies. Prior to her calling to clerical ministry she had been in banking and insurance, and had created her own business specializing in window treatments.

"A deacon serves not only parishioners," she observed, "but very importantly those beyond the walls of the church. I am deeply honored yet humbled to be called to this service by God and by this parish."

Further information about St. John the Baptist Episcopal Church, including the various ministries in which Deacon Paula will be involved, is at www.stjohnthebaptistmilton.org.

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