

BIOGRAPHY

Rev. Canon Paul-Gordon Chandler is an author, non-profit executive, Episcopal priest, peacemaker and art curator who has lived and worked around the world in leadership roles with faith-based publishing, the arts, relief and development and The Episcopal Church. He is the President/CEO of CARAVAN, an international peacebuilding non-profit affiliated with The Episcopal Church that uses the arts to build sustainable peace around the world. He has organized and curated major peacebuilding art exhibitions in sacred spaces such as St. Paul's Cathedral in London and National Cathedral in Washington, D.C. as well as at reverential memorial sites like Ground Zero in New York. He is also an Appointed Mission Partner with The Episcopal Church.

An authority on the Middle East and North Africa, and on bridge-building between the Abrahamic faiths (Christian, Muslim, Jewish), he grew up in Senegal, West Africa, a Muslim-majority context, and from 2003-2013 served as the Rector of the historic St. John's Episcopal Church in Cairo, Egypt, an international English-speaking church serving the diplomatic, business, academic and NGO communities with a congregation of over 35 nationalities and more than 45 church traditions. The author of four books on spirituality, Global Christianity and Christian-Muslim relations, his newest book is titled *IN SEARCH OF A PROPHET: A Spiritual Journey with Kahlil Gibran*, which focuses on the all-embracing spirituality of the early 20th century Lebanese born poet-artist and mystic of Christian background, Kahlil Gibran, the author of *The Prophet*, presenting him a much-needed guide for our time.

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