

## Biography of Patricia Rome Robertson

The Rev. Patricia Rome Robertson retired to Bainbridge Island in 2013 after almost 30 years of preaching and serving parishes in Massachusetts, California, Washington and Maine. A trained Spiritual Director, she was founder of the Contemplative Wisdom Community in Seattle which provided training in Centering Prayer and teaching rooted in Early Christian practice and thought, from 2000-2008. She has continued that ministry here at St. Barnabas by fostering and teaching Centering Prayer as well as planning special retreat days with a focus on prayer, chanting and practice. In addition to providing Spiritual Direction, she is also involved in Mentoring and Coaching clergy both locally and across the United States.

Patricia and her husband, George, enjoy boating and traveling, in addition to serving the wider church and local community.