



Synod 2020 Members' Timetable

Revised and Updated June 2020

<p>1 September 2020</p>	<p>Reflections during COVID-19 Pandemic close The online portal for receiving proposals in the light of the challenges of COVID-19 will remain open until this date.</p>
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<p>18 October to 4 December 2020</p>	<p>Period of Reflection on Long Lists of Proposals Members hold local gatherings in whatever way they are able to look at the long lists of Synod Proposals and listen to people's views.</p>
<p>7 to 14 December 2020</p>	<p>Sharing Responses In the light of the local gatherings Members share their responses to these proposals via an online system.</p>
<p>12, or 13 March 2021</p>	<p>Meetings of Synod Members: Presentation of Synod Proposals Synod Members will receive the final Synod Proposals and be asked to return to their communities, consult on the Proposals, and discern their vote. (You attend on one of the 2 dates.) These meetings will take place online.</p>
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<p>Friday 18 June 2021</p>	<p>Prayer Vigil Evening of prayer and reflection at the Metropolitan Cathedral</p>
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Please note: This is the new timetable for Synod 2020 but some of the details and venues may vary in response to developments in government guidelines. We will keep you informed.

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