



Agenda – Diocesan Synod

Meeting Date		15th March 2025	
Times		1000 – 1300	
Venue		St Paul's, Fisherton Street, Salisbury. SP2 7QW	
Item	Time	Description	Desired Outcome
1	10.00	Welcome, Apologies and notices	
		Opening prayers Apologies, quoracy and conflicts of interest Notices Minutes of the last meeting and matters arising	Approve
2	10.10	Presidential Address	
		Bishop Stephen	Receive
3	10.20	Safeguarding Annual Report	
		Head of Safeguarding, Suzy Fatcher	Receive
4	10.40	General Synod Report- verbal	
		Debbie Mclsaac and Ruth Howlett-Shipley	Receive
5	10.50	Church buildings for mission	
		Lead by Bishop Andrew, Jonathan Triffitt (Director of Mission and Ministry) and Dan Crooke (DAC Secretary and Church Buildings team manager) To bring synod members up to date with developments in the national and local church buildings scene, to hear their own ideas and concerns about the future of our built heritage and to consider together what additional support may be offered to churches. This will include update on the faculty process and wider review that will be undertaken, Net Zero, the plans for an 'Anglican heritage trust' and other support and opportunities. Members will be asked to discuss and consider the following questions:	Discussion

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are the principal challenges and concerns you have about our church buildings? • What solutions and positive ideas do you see for their future? 	
6	11.45	Board of Education Annual Report	
		Katie Fitzsimmons, Diocesan Director of Education	Receive
7	12.00	Palestine and Israel motion	
		Dean Nick Papadopulos	Debate
8	12.30	Questions	
9	12.50	AOB	
9.1		Rules of Deanery Synods – Diocesan Secretary, David Pain	Approve
10	13.00	Ends	