

We help you keep your church building open, used for worship and enjoyed by all.



development of church buildings. We work with government to advise

WE WANT TO HELP YOU



Advice and guidance



new works and conservation of old

Keep your church open and sustainable

Everything from cafes and post offices to attracting tourists



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When should you consult us?

We expect to be consulted for:

- Works that will make big changes to grade I or II* listed churches
- Some works that will make big changes to grade II churches
- The conservation of historic furnishings and objects
- The disposal of historic furnishings and objects
- New art in churches

Your Diocesan Advisory Committee will tell you when to contact us.

We are also happy to give advice to dioceses about projects where works have a big missional impact (e.g. a resourcing church or other church plant).

Download our guidance

- When to consult the Church Buildings Council
- Casework policy and precedents
- Church Buildings Council Delegated Advice Policy

Our meetings for 2024 are as follows:

- 25 January 2024
- 21 March 2024
- 23 May 2024
- 25 July 2024
- 26 September 2024
- 28 November 2024

The latest date that the Council can receive a case for inclusion for these meetings are as follows:

- January Meeting - 15 January 2024
- March Meeting - 11 March 2024
- May Meeting - 13 May 2024
- July Meeting - 15 July 2024
- September Meeting - 16 September 2024
- November Meeting - 18 November 2024

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Our Membership

The council has 23 members.

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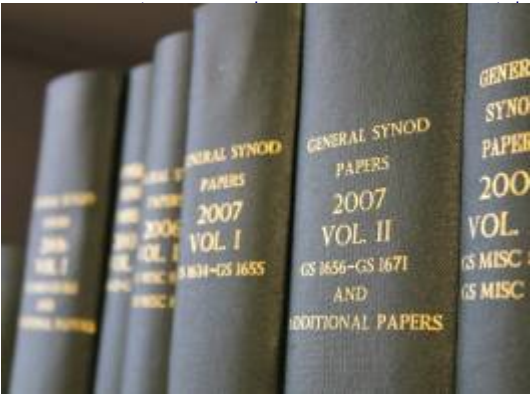


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