

**General Synod**

**Additional Weekday Lectionary  
and  
Amendments to Calendar, Lectionary and Collects**

**Further Report of the Revision Committee**

**Chairman:**

The Bishop of Gloucester

**Ex Officio Members (Steering Committee):**

The Bishop of Wakefield (Chairman)

Mrs Gill Ambrose (*Ely*)

The Revd Jeremy Fletcher (*York*)

The Revd Canon Jeremy Haselock (*Norwich*)

The Revd Dr Tim Stratford (*Liverpool*)

**Appointed Members:**

The Revd Ian Chandler (*Chichester*)

Mrs Sarah Finch (*London*)

The Revd Canon Stephen Lake (*St Albans*)

The Revd Dr Dagmar Winter (*Newcastle*)

The Revd Canon Ruth Worsley (*Southwell and Nottingham*)

**Staff:**

Dr Colin Podmore (Secretary)

Sue Moore (Assistant Secretary)

1. At the February Group of Sessions the Synod considered the Revision Committee's report on the Additional Weekday Lectionary and Amendments to Calendar, Lectionary and Collects (GS 1724Y), together with the text as revised by the Revision Committee (GS 1724A).

2. Four motions for re-committal of the Liturgical Business to the Committee were moved, of which one was carried. This read as follows:

‘That the liturgical business entitled “Additional Weekday Lectionary and Amendments to Calendar, Lectionary and Collects” be re-committed to the Revision Committee for further revision of the New Testament passage set for the Monday of Lent 3 with a view to including Luke 9:7-9, so that the reading becomes Luke 9:1-11.’

The motion was carried after a division of the whole Synod. The voting was 110 in favour and 108 against, with 10 abstentions.

3. The following members of the Synod made submissions to the Committee under Standing Order 53 (a):

Mr Paul Boyd-Lee (Salisbury)  
Dr Graham Campbell (Chester)  
Brigadier Ian Dobbie (Rochester)  
Mrs Sarah Finch (London) – a member of the Revision Committee  
Revd Angus Macleay (Rochester)  
Mr David Mills (Carlisle)  
Mr Andrew Presland (Peterborough)  
Mr Clive Scowen (London)

All of these asked the Committee to make the change requested in the motion.

4. All of the members who made submissions to the Committee indicated that they would not exercise their right to attend or be represented at a meeting of the Revision Committee. This enabled Committee’s business to be conducted by correspondence under Standing Order 53 (g).
5. Having considered the submissions made to the Committee and the transcript of the debate, the Committee decided to make the amendment requested in the re-committal motion.
6. Accordingly, on page 9 of GS 1724A the New Testament reading for the Monday of Lent 3 will now read: ‘Luke 9.1-11’.

On behalf of the Committee

✘ MICHAEL GLOUCESTR:  
Chairman

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