

GENERAL SYNOD: JULY 2018
Timetable

Friday 6 July	
2.30 pm – 7.00 pm	
2.30 pm	Opening worship Introduction and welcomes
2.45 pm	Address from the Ecumenical Guests
3.15pm	Address from the Anglican Communion Guests
3.45 pm	Report by the Business Committee
	<i>Legislative Business – Special Agenda I</i>
*4.15 pm	Ecumenical Relations Measure, Amending Canon No. 38 and C of E (Miscellaneous Provisions) Measure - Final Drafting (<i>Article 7 business</i>) Church Property Measure and Church of England Pensions Measure – Final Approval Amending Canon No.40 – First Consideration
*5.45 pm	Questions
7.00 pm	Close of business
7.00 – 7.15 pm	Worship
Saturday 7 July	
7.00 am	Holy Communion in the Berrick Saul Theatre
8.00 am	<i>Meeting of the House of Bishops for the purposes of the Article 7 business.</i>
9.00 am – 12.30 pm	
9.00 am	Morning worship
9.15 am	Presidential Address from the Archbishop of York
9.45 am	Presentation on Safeguarding with questions
10.30 am	Debate on a motion on Safeguarding from the House of Bishops
*12.00 pm	An introduction to Saturday afternoon seminars led by the Chair of the Business Committee
12.40 pm – 2.30 pm	
<i>Lunch</i>	

2.30 pm – 7.00 pm	
2.30 – 7.00 pm	Seminars and workshops will be held on a number of topics. Details of the content and logistics of these will be available on the Agenda and corresponding GS Misc paper. A prayerful space will be open throughout.
8.00 pm	<i>Meeting of the House of Clergy</i>
Sunday 8 July	
10.00 am	Holy Communion in York Minster
2.30 pm – 7.00 pm	
2.30 pm	Presentation on the 2015 Synod resolution on Climate Change and Investment from the National Investing Bodies and the Diocese of Oxford
3.00 pm	Debate on a motion from the National Investing Bodies
4.30 pm	Truro/London Environment DSM
*5.45 pm	Debate on a motion from the Ministry and Public Affairs Council on the Ethics of Nuclear Weapons
7.00 pm	Close of business
7.00 – 7.15 pm	Worship
Monday 9 July	
7.00 am	Holy Communion in the Berrick Saul Theatre
<i>Either</i>	
If a reference is claimed on any of the items of Article 7 business:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - meetings of the Convocations and the House of Laity will be held between 9.00 and 9.45 am to consider the reference (with morning worship included); and - the Synod will meet from 10.00 am to 12.30 pm in the Central Hall with the business as scheduled below, <u>other than</u> Morning worship and the Presentation on the Archbishops' Council's Annual Report. 	
<i>Or</i>	
If a reference is not claimed on any of the items of Article 7 business, the Synod will meet from 9.00 am to 12.30 pm in the Central Hall with the business as scheduled below.	
9.00 am	Morning worship
9.15 am	Presentation on Archbishops' Council's Annual Report with questions
*10.00 am	Archbishops' Council Budget 2019

	<i>Legislative Business – Special Agenda I</i>
*11.00 am	<p>Ecumenical Relations Measure, Amending Canon No. 38 and C of E (Miscellaneous Provisions) Measure - Final Approval (subject to the outcome of the Article 7 references)</p> <p>Church Representation and Ministers Measure and Amending Canon No. 39 – Revision Stage</p> <p>[Further] C of E (Miscellaneous Provisions) Measure and Amending Canon No. 41 – First Consideration</p> <p>Deemed business if a debate is required: Pensions (Pre-consolidation) Order 2018; usual Fees Orders; and Code of Practice in relation to Bishops' Mission Orders</p>
12.30 pm – 2.30 pm	
<i>Lunch</i>	
2.30 pm – 7.00 pm	
2.30 pm	<p><i>Legislative Business – Special Agenda I (continued)</i></p> <p>Items scheduled for the morning of Monday 9 July that have not been completed or reached will be taken here.</p>
4.30 pm	Carlisle DSM on the long term sustainability of the NHS
5.30 pm	Presentation on the Church Commissioners' Annual Report with questions
*6.00 pm	Debate on the final Report of the Archbishops' Evangelism Task Group
7.00 pm	Close of business
7.00 – 7.15 pm	Worship

Tuesday 10 July	
7.00 am	Holy Communion in the Berrick Saul Theatre
9.00 am – 1.00 pm	
9.00 am	Morning worship
9.15 am	Re-appointment of the Chair of the Pensions Board
9.45 am	Re-appointment of the Chair of the Archbishops' Council Finance Committee
10.15 am	Presentation on the Cathedrals Working Group Report with questions
10.45 am	Debate on a motion on the Cathedrals Working Group Report

12.00 pm	Amendments from the Standing Orders Committee (I)
*12.30 pm	Farewells
*1.00 pm	Prorogation
Contingency Business	
Private Members Motion on Homeless Task Force – 121 signatures (Andrew Gray, Norwich)	
Deemed Items	
Amendments from the Standing Orders Committee (II)	
Take note debate on the Archbishops' Council's Annual Report	

** not later than*

Please note that all timings are indicative unless marked with an asterisk

Questions Deadline: 12 noon 26 June 2018