

Monday 9 July 2018
2.30 p.m. to 7.00 p.m.

ORDER PAPER V

ADDRESS FROM THE MOST REVEREND MOON HING, ARCHBISHOP AND PRIMATE OF THE CHURCH OF THE PROVINCE OF SOUTH EAST ASIA AND BISHOP OF WEST MALAYSIA

- 39** Archbishop Moon Hing will address the Synod at the invitation of the Presidents under SO 120.

Note: This item has been added to the Agenda by direction of the Presidents under SO 4(3).

SPECIAL AGENDA I

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

Items of legislative business included in the Agenda for the morning sitting will be taken at this point if not completed or not reached previously.

SPECIAL AGENDA IV

DIOCESAN SYNOD MOTION

LONG TERM SUSTAINABILITY OF THE NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE (GS 2089A AND GS 2089B)

The Bishop of Carlisle to move on behalf of the Carlisle Diocesan Synod:

- 23** That this Synod:
- welcome and commend the report *The Long-Term Sustainability of the NHS and Adult Social Care* published in April 2017 by the House of Lords Select

- Committee on the Long-term Sustainability of the NHS; and
- (b) call upon Her Majesty's Government to implement the recommendations made by the Select Committee, giving particular consideration to:
- (i) the problems arising from the use of urban models of strategic care in the rural context;
 - (ii) whether social care is being adequately funded in the context of an ageing population; and
 - (iii) whether sufficient resources are being given to the recruitment, outside larger urban centres, of experienced and highly qualified health professionals.

Mrs Alison Coulter (Winchester) to move as an amendment:

- 40** After paragraph (a) *insert*:
“() express its heartfelt gratitude for the dedication of NHS and social care staff, and call on local churches to support those working in the NHS and social care, and to pray for them regularly publicly and privately.”

Mr Gavin Oldham (Oxford) to move as an amendment:

- 41** After paragraph (b) *insert*:
“() welcome the call for a mandatory insurance system for funding social care in Recommendation 23 of the Report, but as a supplement to Recommendation 15, ask the Government to explore a progressive application of mandatory insurance for higher rate and top rate taxpayers in funding their universal participation in the National Health Service.”

Mr Carl Hughes (Southwark) to move as an amendment:

- 42** After paragraph (b) *insert*:
“() call upon Her Majesty's Government to establish a Royal Commission to consider how the United Kingdom's health

and social care needs might best be delivered and financed in the period to 2040, taking into account expected changes in life expectancy, demography and medical technology.”

Miss Jane Patterson (Sheffield) to move as an amendment:

43 After paragraph (b) *insert*:

“() call upon local churches to lead by example in showing Christian compassion and care to the elderly and vulnerable in our local communities, as we have done historically and is now especially needed, given the shortfall in the funding of social care.”

PRESENTATION FROM THE CHURCH COMMISSIONERS

24 Presentation under SO 107.

REPORT FROM THE ARCHBISHOPS’ EVANGELISM TASK GROUP (GS 2098)

Canon Mark Russell (Sheffield) to move:

25 That this Synod, welcoming the report from the Evangelism Task Group and the Evangelism and Discipleship Team (GS 2098) and affirming that the making of new disciples is central to the call of the Gospel:

- (a) ask the Evangelism and Discipleship Team of the Archbishops’ Council to work with the House of Bishops, Dioceses, Parishes and Fresh Expressions of Church to carry forward the recommendations contained in the report;
- (b) encourage Dioceses to find (fresh) ways to inspire lay and ordained people to be more confident in the sharing of the Good News of Jesus Christ in their everyday lives;

- (c) affirm the importance of prayer in the work of evangelism and call on every parish to be involved in the ‘Thy Kingdom Come’ Initiative; and
- (d) ask the Evangelism and Discipleship Team to bring a report to the Synod on the progress made on carrying forward the recommendations made in GS 2098 no later than February 2020.

The Reverend Andrew Moughtin-Mumby (Southwark) to move as an amendment:

- 44** In paragraph (b) after “lay and ordained people” *insert:*
“of all ages”.
-

7.00 p.m. Evening Worship
