



DIOCESAN SYNOD

**Co-Options to Diocesan Synod  
House of Laity Only**

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The Chair of the House of Laity to move that:

**"The House of Laity** approve the co-option of Peter Calderbank and Ruth Martin to the Diocesan Synod"

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1. The House of Laity are permitted to co-opt up to five members to the Diocesan Synod.
2. The vice-chair of the Diocesan Board of Finance (DCT) and Chairs of the Diocesan Council of Trustees' sub-committees are nominated and co-opted to the Diocesan Synod if they have not been formally elected to Diocesan Synod. This ensures that Diocesan Synod representation is clearly embedded within the Diocesan Governance structures at all levels.
3. Formal nominees for co-option to Diocesan Synod are:  
  
Peter Calderbank    Chair of the Audit & Risk Committee  
  
Ruth Martin         Chair of the Diocesan Advisory Committee
4. These nominees' service on the Diocesan Synod will conclude with the end of the current triennium, or if they cease to be chair of their respective committees.

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