General Assembly

Friday 12 July to Monday 15 July 2024

Agenda



Friday 12 July

12:00 Arrivals and registration

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00 Welcome and constitution of Assembly

Opening worship (including Holy Communion)

16:00 Break (and access to rooms)

Session one

16:30 Introductions and greeting of ecumenical guests

Mock resolution

Synod Moderators' Report

Closed session

18:30-20:00 Dinner

Session two

20:00 Ministries papers, **H3**, **H5**, **H9**, **H11**

21:00 Evening prayer

Saturday 13 July

7:45-9:00 Breakfast

9:00 Worship and Bible study

9:50 Presentation of candidates for General Assembly Moderator

2024-2025 and vote

Session three

10:10 Mission **I2**, **I3**, **I4**

11:00 Coffee

Session four

11:30 Moderator's address

Faith Wills video (from Christian Aid)

12:30 Community Awards

13:00 Lunch

Session five

14:15 Place for Hope (presentation)

15:00 Finance **G2**, **G3**, **G4**, **G5**

16:00 Coffee

Session six

16:30 Ministries **H7**, **H10**

18.30 Dinner

20:00 Parallel Sessions

A. Business Committee – A1, A2 and Finance Committee – G1

and Mission Committee - I1

B. Worship Faith and Order Committee – F1 and

Ministries Committee - H1

C. Communications Committee - C1 and

Equalities Committee - E1

D. Education and Learning Committee - D1 and

Children's and Youth Work Committee - B1, B2

21:00 Evening prayer

Sunday 14 July

7:45-9:00 Breakfast

9.00 Prayer with Bible study

Session seven

9:35 Church Life Review Group N1

10:00 Coffee10:30 Worship

Session eight

12:00 North Western Synod X2

Thames North Synod X3

13:00 Lunch

Session nine

14:00 En Bloc:

Business Committee A3, A4, A5, A6, A7, A10

Ministries H2, H6, H8

Law and Polity Advisory Group P1

Nominations **J1**, **J2**Safeguarding **T1**Eastern Synod **X1**

Items removed from En Bloc

Celebrating Jubilee Ministers and greeting ministers new to their

URC roles

15:30 Coffee break

Session ten

16:00 Welcome to the new local church (assuming **X1** agreed)

Business Committee A8, A9

Ministries paper H4

18:30-20:00 Dinner

Remaindered business

21:00 Evening prayer

Monday 15 July

7:45-9:00 Breakfast (check out of rooms by 9:00)

9:15 Worship and Bible study

Session eleven

9:40 Moderator Elect 2024-2025 acceptance speech

Remaindered business

Miscellaneous Items

Address to the throne

10:45 Break

11:15 Closing worship

Including induction of the Revd Tim Meadows

13:00 Lunch and departures