



The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Huron The Anglican Church of Canada

Dear Synod Delegates & Guests:

We are instructed by the Bishop of Huron to inform you that, God willing, the 182nd Synod of the Diocese of Huron this year will be held over two days:

Sunday May 15th to Monday May 16th, 2022

for the dual purposes of joining together for a Diocesan service of worship and conducting the annual business of Synod. As we emerge from this time of pandemic, the Synod will be a hybrid gathering. We are hoping that most delegates will be joining us physically in London; however, the Synod service will also be live-streamed and the meeting accessible through a "Zoom webinar".

Delegates will again be required to register online (no registration form will be mailed). If you have not already done so, please do at: <https://forms.gle/pUjTPF5aYt8kbTWi9>. Updates will be emailed to delegates as needed in the next few weeks. Please watch for them so that important information will not be missed. Since this is our first experience with a hybrid and shortened Synod (no banquet or second session), exact costs have not yet been determined. Information will be sent to parish treasurers later in the year.

The Synod experience will begin on Sunday with a BBQ on the Cathedral grounds beginning at 5:30 pm. The service will follow at 7:00.

The Synod meeting will be on Monday from 9:00 am. to 4:30 pm. with in-person registration open at 8:00am. In-person delegates will need to pick up their nametags at tables in the Convention Center lobby. There will be a Eucharist in the Center, for those who wish to attend, from 8:15 am to 8:45 am. The webinar will be open 15 minutes before the start time and those who join remotely will be identified by the online software. Synod will be livestreamed for Observers and also recorded and posted to the website for later viewing by all. With the limitations of time and technology, some committee reporting and group presentations will be published in video form before (and possibly during) Synod. Communication from Committees will also be available in the new *Virtual Synod Bag*. More on this in the days ahead. Motions requiring a vote will be decided by combining the in-person results with those from Zoom's polling functionality.

Should you have any questions, the Honorary Secretaries would be pleased to assist if they can, or, you are welcome to contact Sarah Chase, Synod Administrator, at 519-434-6893 ext. 233.

Sincerely,

The Rev'd Canon Dr. Valerie Kenyon
Clerical Secretary to Synod

Mr. David Embury
Lay Secretary to Synod