

St Albans Diocesan Synod Nomination Form

Election of the

DIOCESAN VACANCY IN SEE

**to serve for three years from
1 January 2025 to 31 December 2027**

Two Clerks in Holy Orders and seven Lay Persons are to be elected to the Vacancy in See Committee by the members of the Diocesan Synod, such that there are equal number of elected representatives (3) from each Archdeaconry.

Nomination papers, signed by the proposer and seconder, **being members of the appropriate House of the Diocesan Synod** must be returned to the Presiding Officer at governance@stalbans.anglican.org (or Holywell Lodge) by **12 noon on Friday 18 October 2024.**

The candidate must indicate his or her willingness to serve, if elected, by signing the nomination form.

If more nominations are received than there are places to be filled, a ballot will be held.

Holywell Lodge
41 Holywell Hill
ST ALBANS
Hertfordshire
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David White
Presiding Officer

August 2024

CONSTITUTION

Ex-officio

The Suffragan Bishops
The Dean of the Cathedral or, if unable to serve, a Residentiary Canon appointed by the Residentiary Canons

Two Archdeacons appointed by the Archdeacons of the Diocese
The Proctors elected by the Diocese to the Lower House of Convocation
Members elected by the Diocese to the House of Laity of the General Synod
The Chairs of the Houses of Clergy and Laity of the Diocesan Synod

Elected Members

A minimum of two Clerks in Holy Orders, beneficed or licensed under seal by the Bishop of the Diocese, elected by the House of Clergy and the House of Laity of the Diocesan Synod.

A minimum of two lay persons who are actual communicants and who is on the electoral roll, community roll or part of a worshipping community within the Diocese, elected by the House of Clergy and the House of Laity of the Diocesan Synod.

However, as many other Clerks in Holy Orders or lay persons as are required to ensure that there are equal numbers of each on the Committee.

Nominated Members

Not more than four additional persons may be appointed by the Bishop's Council to represent a special interest in the Diocese.

There is no power of co-option to this Committee.

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NOMINATION

(Please read the notes overleaf)

We, being members of the House of Clergy / House of Laity* of the Diocesan Synod, hereby nominate :

Full Name

Email Address
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for election to the Vacancy In See Committee

Proposed by ofDeanery

Signed

Seconded by ofDeanery

Signed

I consent to serve, if elected, on the Vacancy in See Committee

Candidate's signature

Member of Clergy / Laity *

Archdeaconry Date 2024

* Delete as necessary

Short descriptive note (100 words maximum) to be supplied by candidates for insertion on voting paper. (The Presiding Officer reserves the right to edit this as necessary).

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