

Time		Item	Action needed
9.00	1	WELCOME and WORSHIP	
	2	APOLOGIES AND NOTICES Growing Hope Maidstone – the Revd Hollie Butler	
9.30	3	DIOCESAN FINANCES To include an update on the draft 2025 financial year, the budget for 2026. This will include details of the proposed consultation process approved by Synod in July 2025. Papers: <i>Draft Management Accounts December 2025</i> <i>Parish Share review and consultation 2026</i> <i>2026 Cashflow</i>	To NOTE
9.45	4	STRATEGY REIMAGINED An update on the Board’s emerging strategy, funding bids to SMMIB and the progress to date.	To NOTE
10.00	5	NET ZERO CARBON To NOTE the report from the Net Zero Programme Manager	To NOTE
10.10	6	THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIOCESAN BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SYNOD Paper: <i>Annual Report</i>	To NOTE
10.35	7	SAFEGUARDING An update on Safeguarding in this Diocese and the planning for the November Safeguarding Audit	To NOTE
10.45	8	DAC The work of the Diocesan Advisory Committee	Sir PAUL BRITTON
11.05		REFRESHMENT BREAK	
11.25	9	GOVERNANCE REVIEW	To NOTE

12.15	10	DEANERY SYNOD ELECTIONS 2026	To APPROVE
12.25	11	<p>FORMAL BUSINESS</p> <p>To APPROVE the Minutes of the meeting of Synod held on 15 November 2025 were noted by Archbishop’s Council on 27 January 2025.</p> <p>Matters arising from the minutes if not covered elsewhere.</p> <p>To receive the Minutes of other meetings of the Archbishop’s Council and the Finance and Assets Committee.</p> <p>To receive an update on the timetable to the installation of the 106th Archbishop of Canterbury</p> <p>To receive and update on the timetable and processes for the elections to General Synod (This item is postponed as we will not receive the update from the NCIs until 27 March).</p> <p>Question Time Questions and Answers to follow Questions must be received in writing by NOT LATER THAN 9am on Friday 27 February 2026. Questions should be sent by email (address: diocesansecretary@diocant.org)</p>	
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