**GUILDFORD DIOCESAN SYNOD**

**BISHOP'S COUNCIL NOMINATION FORM - ELECTION OF 6 LAITY 2025 - 2027**

**NOMINATION FORM - CANDIDATE**

**The candidate is asked to complete all sections of this form and the proposer and seconder to complete supporting forms. All forms can be found on the** [**diocesan website**](https://www.cofeguildford.org.uk/bishops-council-elections/bishops-council-elections.php)**. Any form that is not fully completed and signed (both typed and digital signatures are acceptable), will deem the nomination form invalid.**

**Failure to receive supporting forms from an eligible proposer and seconder will also deem the nomination invalid. The proposer and seconder must both be members of the House of Laity of Diocesan Synod.** *Please note if the proposer or seconder changes after the candidate form has been submitted, the candidate form will need to be updated with the new details and resubmitted by the candidate.*

**Each form is to be returned by the person completing it (i.e. the candidate must complete and return the candidate form, the proposer must complete and return the proposer form and the seconder must complete and return the seconder form. Each form must be returned (from the email address to which it was sent) to the Presiding Officer at** **synod@cofeguildford.org.uk** **so as to arrive not later than 12 noon on Monday 25th November 2024.**

**Particulars of Candidate**

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| **Title or form of address** |       |

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| **Full Name of Candidate** |       |

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**Particulars of Proposer**

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| **Full Name of Proposer** |       |
| **Full address including Postcode** |       |

**Particulars of Seconder**

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| **Full Name of Seconder** |       |
| **Full address including Postcode** |       |

**Consent of Candidate**

* I consent to serve as a member of the Bishop's Council for the triennium of 2025– 2027. I am not prohibited from serving as a company director or charity trustee. I understand that if elected I will also serve as a director, member and trustee of the Guildford Diocesan Board of Finance. I am prepared to share the details required by the Charity Commission and Company’s House to fulfil these roles. *(see Note 2)*.
* I consent to my email address being shared with members of Bishop’s Council for use only on Bishop’s Council business.

**Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS)**

Each successful candidate will be required to undertake a DBS check and will be contacted following the election to advise how this process will work.

Please indicate below whether you have attached a 100-word factual statement giving your professional qualifications, present office and any relevant past experience.

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| **Supporting Statement attached (yes/no)** |       |

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| **Signed** |       |
| **Dated** |       |

**Notes:**

1. This nomination must be sent to the Presiding Officer at synod@cofeguildford.org.uk so as to be received no later than **12 noon on Monday 25th November 2024**.
2. Guildford Diocesan Board of Finance is a company limited by guarantee and the liability of members if the company is wound up is limited to £1