

**Election of Members of the House of
Laity of the Diocesan Synod**

Deanery of (as after 1st June)

We the undersigned, being qualified electors^a, hereby nominate the following person as a candidate at the election in the above Deanery:

*Surname	*Christian names	*Year of Birth
*Address and Postcode (Please use BLOCK CAPITALS)		

Proposer's signature:

Proposer's full name:

Address:

Seconder's signature:

Seconder's full name:

Address:

*I, the above named hereby declare that I am not subject to any disqualification referred to in the Notes overleaf and signify my willingness to serve as a member of the House of Laity of the Diocesan Synod, if elected.

Candidate's signature:

Note: This nomination must be sent in **hardcopy only** to: The Presiding Officer
 Manchester Diocesan Synod
 4th Floor, Church House
 90 Deansgate
 MANCHESTER
 M3 2GH

so as to be received no later than **12noon on Friday, 18th June 2021**

a: All members of the House of Laity of the Deanery Synod (other than co-opted members)

Disqualifications from being nominated (rule 46A)

A person is disqualified from being nominated for membership of any Synod if the person is disqualified from being a charity trustee under section 72(1) of the Charities Act 1993 and the disqualification is not for the time being subject to a general waiver by the Charity Commissioners under subsection (4) of that section or to a waiver by them under that subsection in respect of all ecclesiastical charities established for purposes relating to the parish concerned.

In this paragraph "ecclesiastical charity" has the same meaning as that assigned to that expression in the Local Government Act 1894.

A person is disqualified from being nominated for membership of any Synod if the person is included in a barred list (within the meaning of the Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006).

A person is disqualified from being nominated for membership of any Synod if the person has been convicted of an offence mentioned in Schedule 1 to the Children and Young Persons Act 1933; but the disqualification may be waived by the bishop of the diocese giving the person notice in writing.