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To all voting and non-voting members of Synod and observers

November 2016

Dear Friends

The next Meeting of Thames North Synod of the United Reformed Church will be held on Saturday 19th November 2016 at The City Temple, Holborn Viaduct, London, EC1A 2DE

Travel advice and papers for the meeting are enclosed, including the minutes of the September 2016 Synod Meeting. If you notice any inaccuracies or omissions in the minutes please notify my PA, Sue Russell, as soon as possible, preferably by email or by post at the Synod office (contact details in left-hand column).

Synod papers not included in this mailing will be posted on the Synod website as soon as possible and hard copies will be available at the Synod Meeting

http://urcthamesnorth.org.uk/synod-meetings/

If you are a voting member of Synod you should receive a bright yellow agenda; non-voting members and observers receive a white agenda. If you believe you have received the wrong agenda please contact my PA, Sue Russell, in the Synod Office as soon as possible, Sue's contact details are in the left-hand margin.

There is limited paid and unpaid street parking near the church, including some disabled spaces but you are advised if at all possible to travel by public transport. Full travel details and a map are printed on the back of this letter.

Refreshments will be available from 9.30 a.m. Please bring a packed lunch, although soup, as well as tea, coffee and cold drinks will be available at lunchtime. If you forget your lunch or would prefer to go out and purchase food at lunchtime, there are a number of places around from which sandwiches and snacks may be bought; members of the local church will be happy to point you in the right direction.

Everyone attending Synod will be asked to sign in and collect their mailing, where appropriate. Will church representatives who are not the Church Secretary please pass the mailing to the Church Secretary as soon as possible?

As usual, we are willing to distribute leaflets in the mailing given out at Synod and/or show PowerPoint advertisements during lunchtime. Details of notices, masters for leaflets and PowerPoints should be communicated to my PA, Sue Russell, by Wednesday 16th September (contact details in left-hand margin).

If you are unable to attend, please send your apologies to the Synod office.

I look forward to seeing you at the City Temple URC on 19th November.

Yours in Christ

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