

## **SECTION J**

### Standing Resolutions of Synod

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### **TIMARU PARISHES**

That this Synod asks Standing Committee actively to encourage all four Timaru City Parishes to seek creative ways of developing a team ministry to the whole of the Timaru area.

(1990)

### **FUNDING OF CLERGY IN TRAINING**

That this Synod extends the period it financially supports clergy during their training from two to three years, after date of ordination as a Deacon.

(1991)

That from 2004, the funding to parishes for curates in their third year be upon application and demonstration of need by the parish, and the affordability by the diocese.

(2002)

### **CHILD CARE**

In order to assist those with child care responsibilities to take a full part in the life of the Diocese, this Synod requests Standing Committee to ensure that staffed child care facilities are provided at major diocesan events such as Synod and Clergy Conference.

(1993)

### **BISHOP'S CHARGE TO SYNOD**

That this Synod requests that the Bishop's Charge to the annual Session of Synod be printed, as part of the proceedings of Synod, in the Diocesan Year Book for that year.

(1993)

### **INCLUSIVENESS**

That this Synod, in order to acknowledge, reflect and encourage the partnership of women and men, both lay and ordained in this Diocese, requests that all future Synod Services ensure inclusiveness of language, leadership and symbolism.

(1994)

### **BUSINESS REFERRED TO GENERAL SYNOD**

That this synod:

1. Notes that the resolutions of Synod 2005 making recommendations to General Synod/te Hinota Whanui did not appear on the General Synod 2006 agenda.
2. This synod requests its General Synod and Inter-diocesan Conference representatives take all possible steps to advise synod members of the agenda of those bodies and arrange opportunities to consult with the diocese prior to those events.
3. That this be a standing resolution.

(2007)