

ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS.

1st—The business of every day shall be preceded by Special Prayer for the Divine guidance and blessing, according to a form authorized by the Bishop.

2nd—After prayer, on the first day, the Clerical Secretary of the Synod shall call over the roll of the Licensed Clergy, which shall be furnished by the Bishop, and the Lay Secretary shall then call over the names of the Parishes entitled to send representatives, and the certificates of the representatives having been presented, shall be referred to a Committee appointed by the Bishop, and, on the satisfactory report of such Committee, their names shall be recorded, and they shall be entitled to take their places as members of the Synod.

3rd—The order of business on each day shall be as follows :

A—Calling the rolls.

B.—Reading and approving the minutes of the previous meeting.

C—Appointing Committees.

D—Presenting, receiving, and disposing of memorials, petitions and correspondence.

E—Presenting, receiving, and disposing of Reports of Committees.

F—Giving Notice of Motions.

G—Taking up unfinished business.

H—New Business and consideration of Motions.

Special Committees may be appointed at any time.

4th—An address from the Bishop shall be in order at any time.

5th—Notice of Motions, if any, given by a member of the Synod, for proceeding at a subsequent meeting, shall be read over at such meeting, and may be taken up by any member present, in the same manner as if he himself had given the notice.

RULES FOR THE PRESERVATION OF ORDER.

1st—When the Bishop or other person presiding has taken the chair, no member shall continue standing.

2nd—When any member is about to speak for the information of the Synod, he shall rise and address himself to the Chair.

3rd—No motion or amendment shall be considered as before the Synod (excepting such as may be proposed by the Bishop or Committees) unless seconded and reduced to writing.

4th—No member, save the mover of a motion, who is entitled to reply, shall speak more than once on the same question, "except in Committee of the Whole," without leave of the Synod, ex-