

interval, or within one month previous to the vacancy of the See.

Rules for Guidance, Submitted for the Acceptance of this Special Synod.

1. The list of Clergy shall be the official list.
2. The list of Laity shall be certified in the usual way.
3. The Scrutineers shall be appointed by resolution of this Synod.
4. When the Synod assembles for the ballot no nominations shall be allowed nor shall any discussion on any subject be permitted.
5. The Hon. Clerical Secretary shall call over the names of the Clergy, and each Clergyman when his name is called shall rise and proceed to the table and deposit his ballot in the ballot box, and then return to his seat. When the Clergy have all voted, the Hon. Lay Secretary shall call over the names of the Laity, who shall vote in the same way; and before each ballot is closed the Secretary shall ask if any Clergyman or Layman, as the case may be, has not voted, and if any such is present he shall then be permitted to vote, if entitled to do so.
6. An interval of not less than half an hour shall elapse between each ballot if more than one ballot is necessary, the precise time to be named by the Chair.