

(2) Reading, correcting and approving the minutes of the previous meeting.

(3) Appointing Committees.

(4) Presenting, reading and referring memorials and petitions.

(5) Presenting Reports of Committees.

(6) Giving notice of motions.

(7) Taking up unfinished business.

(8) Consideration of motions.

6. An address from the Bishop shall be in order at any time.

7.—The Synod shall meet each day immediately after divine service, and adjourn at one o'clock, p.m.; meet again at three o'clock, p.m., and adjourn at six o'clock, p.m.; meet again at half-past seven o'clock, p.m., and adjourn at ten o'clock, p.m., unless otherwise ordered by the Bishop, and every member attending the Synod shall be in his place, and remain during each session of the Synod, and shall not leave until the final adjournment, except by permission of the Bishop or Chairman.

III—RULES FOR THE PRESERVATION OF ORDER.

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

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

3. 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; and no motion, except in course, shall be considered till the succeeding day of meeting.

4. (A) No member shall be allowed to speak more than once on the same subject except by permission of the Chair, save the mover of a resolution or amendment. (B) If two or more gentlemen rise to speak on a motion, the second gentleman rising, or so ruled by the Chair, shall be the next speaker on the floor of the Synod. (C) The mover of a resolution or amendment shall have the privilege of speaking a second time, after every member of the Synod who desires to speak has spoken on such motion or amendment. This shall close the debate.

5. When a question is under consideration, no other motion shall be received, unless to adjourn, to lay it on the table, to postpone it to a certain time, to postpone it indefinitely, to commit it, to amend it, or to divide on it; and motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order here named.

6. Motions to adjourn, or to lay on the table, shall be decided without debate.

7. When a motion has been read to the Synod by the Secretary, it cannot be withdrawn by the mover without the consent of the Chair.

8. Each member shall have the right to require, at any period of the debate, that a question in discussion be read for his information.

9. A member called to order, while speaking, shall sit down, unless permitted to explain.

10. All questions of order shall be decided by the Chair.

11. When a second amendment shall have been proposed, the mover shall be allowed to amend the same before the decision.

12. All amendments shall be in order before the decision.

13. Whilst a question is under consideration, the Synod shall continue in session, and when a motion is disposed of.

14. In voting, those who vote shall be recorded.

15. A question shall not be discussed in the Synod.

16. When the mover of a question has taken his seat until the

1. All Committees shall report to the Synod, and the mover shall be in session.

2. The Report of the Chairman, and shall be read for their recommendation.

3. The Chairman shall explain to the Synod the substance of the report requested by any member.

4. All Reports shall be read in session of opinion, shall be read to the Synod thereon.

5. To facilitate the consideration of such matters, there shall be an Executive Committee, appointed by the Bishop, composed of the Clergy, and six lay members.

6. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to prepare in due form all such reports, and to present them to the Synod, and to the first day of Meeting, through the Secretary, as may appear to the Executive Committee, or to the mover of such business, and to read the same to each Clergyman and lay member of the Synod; which