

## **Ministry and Mission Committee - Expression of interest**

The Ministry and Mission Committee supports the ecclesial, compliance and governance responsibilities of the Standing Committee by:

- a) promoting the following of Christ and promoting the Church's ministry within the wider community;
- b) ensuring activities of the Synod based ministries and Synod operations are undertaken with a focus on the missional and strategic directions of the Synod;
- c) encouraging a shared understanding of the missional and strategic directions within the Synod
- d) ensuring the Synod Standing Committee, Synod based ministries and Synod operations maintain an understanding of the current and emerging missional and ministry needs and activities of the Synod;
- e) ensuring missional and ministry considerations are taken into account in all aspects of the work of Synod based ministries and Synod operations;
- f) exercising the responsibilities granted to it through these Terms of Reference;
- g) fulfilling and reporting on the exercise of the delegations that it receives from the Standing Committee; and

providing advice and policy guidance to the Standing Committee on matters relevant to its Terms of Reference and such other matters as requested by the Standing Committee.

The Committee consists of ten members appointed for three years and it meets at least nine times a year.

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The Synod is currently calling for expressions of interest for membership of the Ministry and Mission Committee, which meets from 5:00pm – 9:00pm on the third Wednesday of every month.

You invited to send a written response explaining how your skills could contribute to the work of the committee and either your resume or a summary of your relevant qualifications, skills, and experience to [m&m.sec@victas.uca.org.au](mailto:m&m.sec@victas.uca.org.au)

Please contact the Executive Secretary, Isabel Thomas Dobson at [m&m.sec@victas.uca.org.au](mailto:m&m.sec@victas.uca.org.au) or on (03) 9251 5208 if you have any questions, particularly if this is your first occasion considering committee membership.

The synod is seeking a range of members of all ages and backgrounds who reflect the diversity and gifts of the Church. Please encourage other people with the appropriate gifts and skills to express interest too. Following submissions of expressions of interest, we will contact you about the processes towards nomination. We anticipate having further discussions with nominees by mid-August.