

## President Lin's Election Synod Process Guide – 2021

	Stages	Speeches	Voting	Result
<b>1. SELECT LIST</b> (Tuesday)	<p><b>Purpose:</b> To reduce list of nominees to Select List.</p> <p>The Select List are those you think should be considered for Archbishop.</p> <p><b>Process:</b> Each nominee proposed/seconded and debated separately (in alphabetical order)</p>	<p><b>Proposer – 15min</b> <b>Secunder – 5min</b> (These speeches are to promote the characteristics of the nominee, not speak against other nominees.)</p> <p><b>All other speeches – 5 min</b> (These can be for or against that nominee being considered for Archbishop.)</p>	<p><b>In Houses (Lay and Clergy)</b></p> <p>i) Lay members (House of Laity) ii) Clergy members (House of Clergy)</p> <p><b>Secret Ballot</b> Vote Yes/no</p> <p><i>Vote no if you do not think they should be considered for Archbishop. You may vote yes for more than one person.</i></p>	<p><b>Majority in EITHER house</b></p> <p>...moves to</p> <p><b>Stage 2 (Final List)</b></p> <p>There may be 1, 2, 3 or 4 nominees on the Select list</p>
<b>2. FINAL LIST</b> (Wed?)	<p><b>Purpose:</b> To reduce Select List to a FINAL List (of three nominees, if possible).</p> <p><b>Process:</b> Each nominee proposed/seconded and debated separately (in alphabetical order)</p>	<p><b>Proposer – 10min</b> <b>Secunder – 5min</b></p> <p><b>All other speeches – 5 min</b></p> <p>These speeches may or may not compare the merits of the nominees.</p>	<p><b>In Houses (Lay and Clergy)</b></p> <p>i) Lay members (House of Laity) ii) Clergy members (House of Clergy)</p> <p><b>Secret Ballot</b> Vote Yes/no</p>	<p><b>Majority in BOTH houses</b></p> <p>..moves to</p> <p><b>Stage 3 (Final Selection)</b></p>
<b>3. FINAL SELECTION</b> (Thu?)	<p><b>Purpose:</b> <u>Debate</u> who will be the Archbishop.</p> <p><b>Process:</b> Each name proposed/seconded, <u>then</u> debated all together.</p>	<p><b>Proposer – 5min</b> <b>Secunder – 5min</b></p> <p><b>All other speeches – 5 min</b></p> <p>Speeches may be on any nominee.</p>	<p><b>NO VOTING on the night of speeches for Final Selection</b></p> <p>The purpose of this is so people have time to think and pray.</p>	<p><b>Come back next day.</b></p>
<b>4. FINAL VOTE</b> (Fri?)	<p><b>Purpose:</b> <u>Determine</u> who will be the Archbishop.</p> <p><b>Process:</b> <u>A vote is undertaken at the commencement of the session</u></p>	<p><b>No speeches</b></p>	<p><b>Preferential voting</b></p>	<p><b>Absolute majority of first preferences in BOTH houses...</b></p> <p>Archbishop-elect moves to Bishops court (eventually)</p>