

BISHOP'S COUNCIL

DMPC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Established by decision of the Diocesan Synod on 16th June 2018

Functions

- Considering/developing proposals for pastoral re-organisation and first-stage consultation
- Identifying options for pastoral re-organisation arising from deanery MAPs
- Vacancies and suspensions
- Local Ecumenical Partnerships
- Development of local [area] mission partnerships (LGL 2020)
- Identification & support of Fresh Expressions and new worshipping communities
- Sharing good practice [LGL 2020]
- Casework under the Church Representation Rules [e.g. Team Council Constitutions – currently dealt with directly by the Bishop's Council]
- Some delegated functions from Bishop's Council as DMPC to act between Bishop's Council meetings

Membership

Chair: Appointed by Bishop's Council

Ex Officio: Archdeacon of St Albans
Archdeacon of Hertford
Archdeacon of Bedford

Nominated by the Property Committee of the DBF: One Member

Appointed from Deaneries: One Rural Dean and Two Lay Chairs
(one from each Archdeaconry)

In Attendance: The Pastoral Secretary
The Pastoral Officer