



**Southern Synod Together Meeting**  
**Saturday 12 March 2016 10:30 am - 4:30 pm**  
**East Croydon United Reformed Church, Addiscombe Grove, Croydon CR0 5LP.**

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**Theme: Missional Discipleship**

Guest Speaker - The Revd Richard Church, URC Deputy General Secretary, Discipleship.

**AGENDA**

1. (9:30am-10:15am) **Arrival** and Registration (In the David Sweet Hall - behind the church)
  2. (10:25 am) Health & Safety Notices (Mrs Amma Boateng)
  3. (10:30 am) Constitution of Synod Together by the Synod Moderator Nicola
  4. Opening Worship led by The Revd Nicola Furley-Smith, Synod Moderator
  5. Synod Roll & Apologies for absence (Synod Clerk)
  6. Pastoralia (Synod Clerk)
  7. Election of Tellers
  8. Minutes of the Meetings held on 10 October 2015 at St Andrew's URC, Cheam. (Synod Clerk)
  9. Matters Arising  
*Matters arising from the previous Minutes will be covered elsewhere on the Agenda.*
  10. General Assembly 2015 Resolution 4A - regarding same-sex marriage (Synod Clerk)
  11. Synod Finance Matters (Mr Ian Fleming, Synod Treasurer)
  12. Synod Children and Youth Matters
  13. Synod Clerk's items to include
    - 13.1 Synod Moderator Review
    - 13.2 Nominations
  14. Synod Ministries Committee Matters (The Revd Jennifer Millington)
    - 14.1 Report
    - 14.2 Presentation Conduct of Ministers: The role of Retired/Former ministers in Local Pastorates
  15. Welcome to East Croydon URC & directions for lunch (Mrs Amma Boateng - Joint Church Secretary)
  16. Break into Group discussion
  17. Break for lunch - To be served in the David Sweet Hall & The Small Hall (1 pm - 1:50 pm)
- (2:00 pm) **AFTERNOON SESSION**
18. Introduction of new Ministers, Candidates & Students, Staff and Thanks & Farewells.  
*(Synod/United Area Leaders, Committee Conveners & Synod Clerk)*
  19. Theme Presentation: "Missional Discipleship"  
*by The Revd Richard Church, Deputy General Secretary, Discipleship of the URC*
  20. Synod Council Report (The Synod Moderator)
  21. Thank You (Synod Clerk)
  22. (4:15 pm) Closing Worship led by the Synod Moderator Nicola
  23. (4:25 pm) Closing of Synod Together by the Synod Moderator Nicola
  24. Departure - (Tea & biscuits will be served in the David Sweet Hall)

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**Next Synod Together Meeting - Saturday 8 October 2016 (10:30 am - 4:30 pm)**  
At Christ Church URC, Petts Wood, Tudor Way, Petts Wood BR5 1LH.

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