The Convocation of Episcopal Churches in Europe

*Our Statement of Mission*

The Convocation of Episcopal Churches in Europe is a welcoming community that knows God loves all people – no exceptions. We celebrate our diversity of languages, cultures and nations. Worshipping together, we rejoice in reaching out to the world and becoming One in Christ.

Annual Convention
Host Parish: Holy Trinity, Nice

October 22-24, 2020

AGENDA AND PROGRAM

*Note: all times and items are provisional and subject to change.*

*Unless otherwise indicated, all meals are included in the registration fee.*

Unless otherwise indicated, the venue for all meetings and worship services is the Forum Jorge François, 9, rue Cronstadt, Nice.

Thursday, October 22

8:30-12:30  **At Holy Trinity**: Meeting of the Council of Advice

11:00-15:00 **At Conference Center**: Registration for participants in Convention

**15:00-18:00  First Session of the Convention**

1. Opening Prayer and Call to Order
2. Appointment of Recording Secretary
3. Organization of the Convention

*The Rev. Deacon Richard Cole, Geneva, Secretary of Convention*

- a. Roll Call of Voting Lay and Clerical Delegates
- b. Certification of a Quorum
- c. Adoption of Agenda
- d. Report of the Committee on Privilege, with Welcoming of Representatives of the Diocese in Europe, Boards of Foreign Parishes, ecumenical partners and others
- e. Motion to appoint the Committee to Respond to the Bishop’s Address
- f. Motion to approve Special Rule of Order for Virtual Participation in Convention
- g. Reports Received
4. Report of the Secretary of Convention
   a. Communications received
   b. Approval of the 2019 Convention Journal

5. Report of the Committee on Elections

6. Video of 2018 grant recipients

18:00   Recess, followed by Evening Prayer

19:00   At Holy Trinity: Apéro and gathering into Dinner Groups

Friday, October 23

As from 7:00   Breakfast

9:00   Holy Eucharist in the Conference Room
   
   Celebrant: The Venerable Walter Baer, Archdeacon
   Preacher: The Right Reverend Mark D.W. Edington, Bishop in Charge

10:00-12:30   Second Session of the Convention

   7. Task Force Report: Refugees and Migrants
   8. Task Force Report: Youth and Children
   9. Taking of second ballot (if necessary)

11:15-11:30   Coffee break

   10. Presentation of the Convocation Budget for 2021
       
       Mr. Denis Le Moullac, Paris, Treasurer of the Convocation

   11. Report from the Council of Advice (CoA)
       
       The Rev. Christopher Easthill, President

12:30-13:45   Lunch

13:45-17:30   Third Session of the Convention

   12. Task Force Report: Climate and Creation Care
   13. Task Force Report: Racism, Reconciliation and Beloved Community

15:00-15:15   Coffee break

   14. Program by the Task Force on Racism, Reconciliation and Beloved Community

17:30   Recess
Saturday, October 24

As from 7:00  Breakfast

9:00  Morning Prayer and Homily
  **Officiant:** The Rev. Stephen McPeek, Wiesbaden

10:00-12:30  Fourth Session of the Convention

10:00–10:15  15. *Assemblée générale* of the Association 1901 of the Convocation of Episcopal Churches in Europe: approval of newly elected Bureau (CoA) and financial report (only voting lay and clergy delegates from Parishes attending in person)

16. Report of the Committee on Resolutions
   a. Resolutions in Response to the Bishop’s Address
   b. Report of Resolutions Found in Proper Form
   c. Resolutions from the Council of Advice
   d. Resolutions from the Floor
   e. Courtesy Resolutions

11:00-11:15  Coffee break

17. Invitation to 2021 Convention

18. Adjournment

12:30-13:45  Lunch

17:00  At Holy Trinity: Closing Eucharist of Convention

19:30  Social dinner with entertainment  *(Dress: casual)*