

To whom it may concern,

I am at present a woman that is at home full time.

I have been active within all the churches I have attended. I enjoy being an active member, and feel that the natural progression would be getting onto the synod.

The skills I have to offer are many and varied. I have had seven children and have been actively involved in their education, by being a school governor both chair and vice chair. I have set up and run pre school clubs and youth clubs. I have also been a full time secondary school teacher.

At present I am undertaking voluntary work within my housing association, by being a member of the scrutiny panel.

I have a passion for both teaching and learning. I enjoy taking part and participate with the running of things within my local church.

My BSc Hons degree had an element of managerial material. As I was a head of Department as a teacher, as well as my voluntary work within the housing association I feel that I have experience to work within the synod. I have a passion for worship and children's work. As I have a lot of experience within these fields I feel that I am able to contribute in these areas with confidence and any other subject that is brought up.

I enjoy mixing and having dialogue with other people and feel that I can mix well with everyone. I am an open honest person, and will listen and pray as to what I should do and how I should vote. I am capable of 'thinking on my feet', but the decisions made are not irrational, they are well thought out.

I feel I have a lot to give, and would view it as a privilege to be serving both the community and the church in this way.

Yours in Christ's name

Mrs Sarah R Baker.