



The Chair of the Human Sexuality Group of General Synod, **Canon Giles Goddard**, added, 'The Teaching Document is a significant part of the Archbishops' plan for the way forward for our church. It is vital that the Document covers the breadth and depth of the questions raised in this preparatory paper if it is to command the support of General Synod'.

**Tracey Byrne**, the CEO of OneBodyOneFaith, commented, 'People in the Church of England, both LGBTI+ people and their friends, families and allies, are looking to our bishops and General Synod for a better way forward than the paper rejected by General Synod in February. We know this Teaching Document is coming, and we are grateful to the academics who have done this work on identifying the important and pressing matters that must be considered by those writing it.'

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