



Third Synodal Assembly

3 - 5 February 2022

Congress Center Messe Frankfurt

Programme

Thursday, 3 February 2022

- 02:00 p.m. Opening (Agenda item 1)
Break at the start of the Assembly
Report of the Synodal Committee
Guide to good communication and conflict management (Agenda item 8.2)
- 03:00 p.m. Second reading
- Orientation text (Agenda item 2.1)
- 04:30 p.m. Break
- 05:00 p.m. Second reading
- Foundational text "Power and separation of powers in the Church - Joint participation and involvement in the mission" (Agenda item 3.1)
- Implementation text "Involvement of the faithful in the appointment of the diocesan bishop" (Agenda item 3.2)
- First reading (Voting - adjourned by the Second Synodal Assembly)
- Implementation text "Framework regulation for accountability" (Agenda item 3.3)
- Reports
- Criminal and administrative jurisdiction (7.2)
- 07:30 p.m. Pause with Bible discussion
- 08:00 p.m. Dinner
End of the evening

Friday, 4 February 2022

- 09:00 a.m. Pause
- 09:10 a.m. Reports
- Examination and investigation of sexual abuse (Agenda item 7.1)
- First reading
- Implementation text "The vow of celibacy in the priestly ministry" (Agenda item 4.1)
 - Implementation text "Personality development and professionalisation" (Agenda item 4.2)
- 11:45 a.m. Break
- 12:00 Celebration of the Eucharist
- 01:00 p.m. Lunch
- 02:00 p.m. First Leading
- Implementation text "Prevention and dealing with perpetrators" (Agenda item 4.3)
 - Foundational text "Women in ministries and offices in the Church" (Agenda item 5.1)
- 04:30 p.m. Pause
- 04:40 p.m. Break
- 06:15 p.m. First reading
- Implementation text "Women in sacramental ministry" (Agenda item 5.2)
 - Implementation text "Diaconate of women" (Agenda item 5.3)
- 07:50 p.m. Pause
- 08:00 p.m. Dinner
- End of the evening

Saturday, 5. February 2022

09:00 a.m. Pause

09:10 a.m. Feedback of observers (Agenda item 8.1)

First reading

- Implementation text "Magisterial statements on conjugal love" (Agenda item 6.1)
- Implementation text "Re-evaluation of the Church's teaching on homosexuality" (Agenda item 6.2)

11:50 a.m. Pause

12:00 Lunch

01:00 p.m. First reading

- Implementation text "Blessing ceremonies for couples who love each other" (Agenda item 6.3)
- Implementation text "Basic Order of Church Service" (Agenda item 6.4)

03:00 p.m. Pause before departure

03:20 p.m. Closing words

03:30 p.m. End of the Synodal Assembly - Food for the journey will be provided