

Governance

The Diocese of the Murray is incorporated under the *Associations Incorporation Act 1985* (South Australia).

The governing body of the Diocese is the Synod, of which all the clergy, and lay people elected to represent each Parish, are members, and over which the Bishop presides.

The Synod meets annually, and when summoned by the Bishop.

The Synod representatives of Western Fleurieu Anglicans (WFA) are as follows:

Elected Synod Lay Representatives (one from each worship centre)

Christ Church	Lynn King
St Ann	Brian McMillan
St James	Pam Gowling
St Margaret	Julia Drought
St Nicholas	Joan Dare
St Stephen	Ted Sandercock

Two (2) additional Elected Synod Lay Representatives

Margaret Cale

Joan Rawlings

Two (2) Substitutionary Synod Lay Representatives

Anne Gardiner

Wendy Sandercock

The Diocesan Council, over which the Bishop presides, acts in the name of the Synod.

The Diocesan Council meets monthly.

The Diocesan Council members from WFA are Ted Sandercock and Br Simon Waters

The governing body for WFA is the WFA Council, of which all the WFA clergy, and a Warden from each congregation, are members.

The WFA Council meets monthly, to address strategic issues affecting WFA.

Each congregation has two Wardens, of whom one is appointed annually by the Parish Priest and the other is elected annually by the congregation meeting as the local Vestry.

Each congregation has arrangements, such as the "Friends", for its members to collectively address local issues as they arise.