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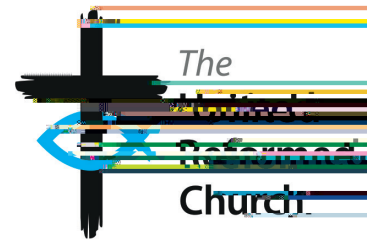
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Paper M1

Moderators of Assembly

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Questions for discussion in groups

1. What might be the benefits of a listening project for the URC?
2. And what might be the difficulties?
3. What other ideas do you have about how we might best listen to each other?
4. Do you have other suggestions about how the URC discerns its future trajectory?

If we proceed with a listening project

5. Would it be better to bring together elders with ministers/CRCWs, or for them to meet separately?
6. Would you favour a single residential moment or a sequence of events for various groupings of synods? Or, would you prefer a process in local churches and synods that culminated in a significant session at General Assembly 2020?
7. Would you support the URC providing (from central resources) personnel and money to facilitate a listening project?
8. What would you want to say to those organising such a project?

Group reporters are asked to give **written feedback to Derek Estill or Nigel Uden** in the Saturday lunch break.



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