

# Anglican covenant - unity and diversity in the Anglican communion

## Mowbray - No Anglican Covenant: Anglicans for Comprehensive Unity (Home)



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### The Anglican Communion: A Brief History Lesson

Further, the origin of an Anglican Communion lies not at the revolution or its immediate aftermath but in the decades in the middle of the 19th century, and if any single national church is to be blamed or credited for the creation of the Communion, it is certainly not the Church of England. There are other ways that the Covenant has been a success.

### Unity in diversity

Â In his introduction Mark Chapman discusses the development of the authority structures of the Anglican Communion, as well as the recent history of conflict between the member churches, particularly over the issue of homosexuality. The dioceses of Chelmsford and Hereford have voted against the Covenant, but Bradford has voted for it. To date, the dioceses of Lichfield, Durham, Europe, and Bristol ; ; and Winchester, and Sheffield have voted in favor of adopting the Covenant.

### No Anglican Covenant: Anglicans for Comprehensive Unity (Background)

The actual resolution passed is. And from Ephraim Radner, I commend his critical but important book with Philip Turner , The Fate of Communion, and his even more challenging 2012 book, A Brutal Unity. Yet new circumstances have presented new disagreements among us, particularly regarding the ordination of women and more recent questions regarding human sexuality.

### The once and future Anglican Communion Covenant project

Hopkins had written a book in 1835 entitled The Primitive Church in which he argued that the Episcopal Church more closely resembled the early Church than did the Roman Catholic Church or any Protestant body.

### Unity in diversity

He has met the Gafcon Primates as a group in October 2013 in Nairobi, and October 2015 in Cairo. One proposal is to receive the ministry of the

Bishop of Rome, as a universal ministry of unity. For an example, see Chris Sugden was at the time Executive Secretary of Anglican Mainstream, and one of the organizers of the first GAFCON.

### **The Anglican Communion: A Brief History Lesson**

After its defeat, five additional dioceses voted: Manchester voted against , as did Newcastle.

### **No Anglican Covenant: Anglicans for Comprehensive Unity (Background)**

The question is how best the unity of the Communion can be sustained.

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