

**General Convention of The Episcopal Church 2024  
Archives' Research Report**

**Resolution No.:** 2024-A128  
**Title:** Concerning Minor Edits to Lesser Feasts and Fasts  
**Proposer:** Standing Commission on Liturgy and Music  
**Topic:** Church Calendar, Lesser Feasts/Fasts

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**Directly Related:** (Attached)

None

**Indirectly Related:** (Available in the [Acts of Convention](#) database, searchable by resolution number)

None

*In preparing this report, the Archives researched the resolutions in the Acts of Convention database for the period 1973 through 2022, selecting “direct” resolutions that have a substantive bearing on the proposed legislation. The “direct” resolutions are attached and “indirect” resolutions are available in the Acts of Convention database. Committee members who require other research assistance should contact the Archives through the [Research Request Form](#).*

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**Final Status:** Not Yet Finalized

**Proposed by:** Standing Commission on Liturgy and Music

**Has Budget Implications:** No

**Cost:**

**Amends C&C or Rules of Order:** No

**Requests New Interim Body:** No

**Changes Mandate Of Existing Ib:** Yes

**Directs Dfms Staff:** No

**Directs Dioceses:** No

**Directs Executive Council:** No

**HiA:** No House Assigned

**Legislative Committee Currently Assigned:** No Committee Assigned

**Completion Status:** Incomplete

**Latest House Action:** N/A

**Supporting Documents:** No

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## Resolution Text

*Resolved,* That the 81st General Convention authorizes the Standing Commission on Liturgy and Music to make minor corrections to grammar, typos, and errors of fact in each edition of Lesser Feasts and Fasts, following Canon I.1.2.n.2.ix. Such minor corrections need not take the form of a General Convention resolution, but should be noted in the next edition of the Blue Book Report. Major revisions to bios, collects, or readings would continue to come before General Convention.

## Explanation

Each year there are numerous small errors found within the entries in Lesser Feasts and Fasts, as well as suggestions for small tweaks to punctuation and grammar that would make the collects easier to read aloud. This resolution clarifies that minor changes of this nature could be made by the SCLM as part of the process of preparing each edition for publication, as long as they are reported back to the Church. Any substantive changes to the propers or bios would continue to come to General Convention in the form of resolutions.