

2026 Synod Assembly Agenda

Friday, June 5

- 2:00pm-4:15pm CHECK-IN OPEN
- 4:30pm PLENARY I
Land Acknowledgement
Opening of Assembly
Credentials Report
Adopt Agenda and Rules of Procedure
Introduction to the Bishop Election Process
Bishop Election – Ballot #1
- 5:30pm SUPPER
- 6:30pm OPENING WORSHIP WITH HOLY COMMUNION
- 7:45pm PLENARY II
Bishop Election – Results from Ballot #1 (3/4 needed for election)

Saturday, June 6

- 7:30am CHECK-IN OPEN
- 8:00am COFFEE SOCIAL
- 8:30am PLENARY III
Credentials Report
Bishop Election – Ballot #2
- 9:00am BIBLE STUDY
- 9:45am PLENARY IV
Acknowledgements
Credentials Report
Report of the Nominating Committee
Report of the Secretary
Report of the Treasurer
Presentation of Proposed Mission Plan
Bishop Election – Results from Ballot #2 (3/4 need for election)
State of the ELCA
- 11:00am BREAK
- 11:15am CONFERENCE ELECTIONS
- 12:00pm LUNCH

If Election on Ballot #1:

Plenary III – Cancelled

9:00am BIBLE STUDY

Plenary IV – Remains
the same with removal of
Results from Ballot #2

1:00pm	PLENARY V Bishop Election – Speeches from Top 7 Nominees Credentials Report Bishop Election – Ballot #3 Anniversary Celebrations Resolutions Bishop Election – Results from Ballot #3 (2/3 needed for election)	<u>If Election on Ballot #1 or #2:</u> PLENARY V Anniversary Celebrations Case Study Resolutions 2:30pm BREAK
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2:45pm BREAK

3:00pm WORKSHOPS (45 minutes)

4:00pm	PLENARY VI Credentials Report Elections (non-Bishop) Q&A Instructions	<u>If Election on Ballots #1-3:</u> PLENARY VI Elections (non-Bishop) Resolutions State of the Synod
4:30pm	Q&A with Top 3 Bishop Nominees	

DINNER ON YOUR OWN

8:00pm EVENING PRAYER

Sunday, June 8

8:00am COFFEE SOCIAL

8:30am BIBLE STUDY

9:15am	PLENARY VII Credentials Report Bishop Election – Ballot #4 Report of the Vice President Adoption of the Mission Plan Election Results Bishop Election – Results of Ballot #4 (60% needed for election) Bishop Election – Ballot #5 Resolutions Bishop Election – Results of Ballot #5 (majority)	<u>If Election on Ballot #1-3:</u> Plenary VII Report of the VP Adoption of the Mission Plan Election Results 10:00am Special Recognitions 10:30am Workshops 11:30am Closing Worship 12:15pm Lunch
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10:45am SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS

11:15am BREAK

11:30am SENDING WORSHIP

12:15pm LUNCH
 Boxed lunch can be taken to go