

Waters of Promise Waters of Life

2026 Synod Assembly Agenda

FRIDAY, JUNE 5

2:00 - 4:15 p.m.

Check-In Open

4:30 p.m.

Plenary 1

Land Acknowledgement
Opening of Assembly
Adopt Agenda and Rules of Procedure
Introduction to the Bishop Election Process
Bishop Election – Ballot #1

5:30 p.m.

Supper

6:30 p.m.

Opening Worship with Holy Communion

7:45 p.m.

Plenary 2

Bishop Election – Results from Ballot #1

SATURDAY, JUNE 6

7:30 a.m.

Check-In Open

8:00 a.m.

Coffee Social

8:30 a.m.

Plenary 3

Bishop Election – Ballot #2

9:00 a.m.

Bible Study

9:45 a.m.

Plenary 4

Acknowledgements
Report of the Nominating Committee
Report of the Secretary
Report of the Treasurer
Presentation of Proposed Mission Plan
Bishop Election – Results from Ballot #2
State of the ELCA

If Election on Ballot #1

Cancelled

Plenary 3

9:00 a.m.

Bible Study

9:45 a.m.

Plenary 4

Remains the same with
removal of Results from
Ballot #2

11:00 a.m.

Break

SATURDAY, JUNE 6 CONT.

11:15 a.m. | **Conference Elections**

12:00 p.m. **Lunch**

1:00 p.m. | **Plenary 5**
Nominee Speeches
Bishop Election – Ballot #3
Anniversary Celebrations
Resolutions
Bishop Election – Results from Ballot #3

If Election on Ballot #1 or #2

1 p.m. **Plenary 5**
Anniversary Celebrations
Disaster Capacity Case Study
Resolutions
2:30 p.m. **Break**

2:45 p.m. **Break**

3:00 p.m. | **Workshops (45 minutes)**

4:00 p.m. **Plenary 6**
Elections (non-Bishop)
Q&A Instructions

If Election on Ballots #1-3

4 p.m. **Plenary 6**
Elections (non-Bishop)
Resolutions
State of the Synod

4:30 p.m. | **Bishop Election - Nominee Q&A**

Supper on Your Own

8:00 p.m. | **Evening Prayer**

If Election on Ballots #1-3

9:15 a.m. **Plenary 7**
Report of the VP
Adoption of the Mission Plan
Election Results

SUNDAY, JUNE 7

8:00 a.m. | **Coffee Social**

8:30 a.m. **Bible Study**

9:15 a.m. **Plenary 7**
Bishop Election – Ballot #4
Report of the Vice President
Adoption of the Mission Plan
Election Results
Bishop Election – Results of Ballot #4
Bishop Election – Ballot #5
Resolutions
Bishop Election – Results of Ballot #5

10:00 a.m. **Special Recognitions**

10:30 a.m. **Workshops**

11:30 a.m. **Sending Worship**

12:15 p.m. **Lunch**

10:45 a.m. | **Special Recognitions**

11:15 a.m. **Break**

11:30 a.m. | **Sending Worship**

12:15 p.m. **Lunch**
Boxed lunch can be taken to go

