

OTHER INFORMATION FOR SYNOD ASSEMBLY

Breakout sessions

You will be assigned to one of the three breakout rooms. The information will be on the back of your name badge. There will be three 30-minute breakout sessions. The final three candidates for bishop will visit each room for question-and-answer time. If there is an election before the breakout sessions, plans will be adjusted.

Thursday night worship service

Worship will be held at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, Peoria at 8:00 PM. The closest bridge to the Embassy Suites is closed, so a flyer with directions for a different route will be given out at assembly. The offering collected at this service is designated for the ministries of our companion synods in Madagascar.

Directions to Festival Worship at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, Peoria

1. From the hotel, head south on Conference Center Drive
2. Turn right onto River Road
3. Turn left onto IL 40/West Washington Street
4. Take ramp on the right and follow signs for I-74 /IL 40 South
5. Keep left for I-74 West/Peoria
6. At Exit 89, take the ramp on the right and keep right; follow signs for US 150 West/War Memorial Drive
7. Turn right on North Allen Road
8. Turn right on West Northmoor Road.
9. Stay on West Northmoor Road for 1 mile.
10. Turn right at the St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School. The church is straight ahead.
11. If you miss the entrance, turn right on N University Street and take the right immediately beyond the church building.

Friday night fellowship

The greatest joys of a Synod Assembly are often in the connections we form as we meet new people and relax together. Plan now to share this time with one another at our Friday Night Fellowship event. It is June 2 at 5:30 PM at Faith Lutheran Church in Washington (2206 Washington Road). We will gather at the picnic shelter below the church.

We will eat together, share an Ice Cream Social and a Hymn Sing.

The *Tacos and Thai* food truck will be available for food at the church. You may also pick up food from the many restaurants in East Peoria by the Conference Center and bring that takeout to sit down and eat with one another.

All are welcome to join us — you do not have to be registered for the assembly to attend.

Directions to Friday Night Fellowship at Faith Lutheran Church, Washington

Exit the Conference Center and go straight onto Camp Street.

Continue on Camp Street (Washington Road) for 7.2 miles

Turn left onto School Street at the church. The gathering is at the picnic shelter below the church.

There are three parking options. The picnic shelter is between the Church and the Child Care.

1. At Faith Lutheran Church. You may park above the church, or below it. Please save spots below for people with mobility issues.
2. At the Faith Lutheran Child Care — 650 School St. This is just down the road. You may park in front of the Child Care, or behind it. Please save spots behind it for people with mobility issues.
3. If those spots are filled, you may park at the Countryside Banquet Facility across the road and walk over.

