

2025 Southeast Michigan Synod Assembly

“Bear Burdens”

Galatians 6:2

May 16 -17, 2025

Celebration Lutheran Church
39375 Joy Road, Westland, MI

Friday, May 16th: Set Up and Opening of Assembly

10:00am	UNLOAD/SET UP AT CELEBRATION
1:00pm	AGENDA WALK THROUGH FOR STAFF
2:30pm	CHECK-IN OPENS
3:00pm	WORKSHOP SESSION #1
4:00pm	WORKSHOP SESSION #2
5:00 – 6:15pm	DINNER ON YOUR OWN
6:30pm	NEW VOTING MEMBER ORIENTATION
6:45pm	PLENARY SESSION #1 Opening of Synod Assembly Welcome Adoption of Agenda and Rules of Procedure Introductions Treasurer’s Report and Presentation of 2027 Budget Report of the Resolutions Committee Report of the Nominating Committee
7:30pm	CHECK-IN CLOSES
7:45pm	OPENING WORSHIP

Saturday, May 17th: Synod Assembly

8:00 – 10:30am

CHECK-IN OPEN

9:30-10:30am

PLENARY SESSION #2

Morning Prayer and Call to Order
Report of the Synod Vice President
Mission Moment from Micah 6 Church
Report of the Churchwide Representative
Invitation to Synod Pilgrimage Opportunities

10:30am

BREAK with Refreshments

10:45-12:00pm

PLENARY SESSION #3

Call to Order & Announcements
Reports from Synod Staff
Mission Moment from Grace in Action
Credentials Report & First Ballot
Report of the Bishop
Report of First Ballot
Second Ballot and Report of Second Ballot (if needed)
Greetings from Living Water Ministries

12:00pm

LUNCH PROVIDED BY ASSEMBLY

12:00pm – 2:00pm

CHECK IN OPEN

1:15pm-2:15pm

WORKSHOP SESSION #3

2:15-2:35pm

BREAK

2:35-5:00pm

PLENARY SESSION #3

Call to Order & Announcements
Credentials Report and Adoption of 2027 Budgets
Resolutions
Mission Moment from Mother of the Savior (video greetings)
Recognition of Anniversaries
Closing Eucharist