

Eastern Washington – Idaho Synod Assembly Schedule 2018

PLEASE NOTE: HJ REFERS TO EVENTS LOCATED IN THE **HOWARD JOHNSON HOTEL**
 YCC REFERS TO EVENTS LOCATED IN THE **YAKIMA CONVENTION CENTER**

THURSDAY, APRIL 26

7:30 am	Executive Committee Breakfast	HJ CONFERENCE ROOM
8:00 am	Assembly Office Set Up	HJ BERRY ROOM
8:00 am	Executive Committee Meeting	HJ ORCHARD ROOMS
1:00 pm	Synod Council Meeting	HJ ORCHARD ROOMS
5:30 pm	Assembly Planning Committee Meeting	HJ PLUM ROOM
7:00 pm	Council and Planning Committee Dinner	HJ PLUM ROOM
8:00 pm	Worship	HJ PLUM ROOM

FRIDAY, APRIL 27

7:30 am	Council and Committee Breakfast	HJ PLUM ROOM
8:00 am	Registration Office open	HJ BERRY ROOM
8:30 am-N	Synod Council Meeting	HJ ORCHARD ROOMS
9:00 am-N	Pre-Assembly Workshop: <i>Church Growth Guaranteed: Holy Spirit Dependent</i>	HJ VINEYARD C
12:00 pm	Assembly Registration opens	HJ LOBBY
12:30-1:45 pm	Hearings/Workshops	
	<i>Hearing: Updating Language</i>	HJ APPLE ROOM
	<i>Synod 2019 Budget Hearing</i>	HJ BOARDROOM
	<i>Lutheran Camps: Life-Changing Ministry in your own Backyard</i>	HJ CHERRY ROOM
	<i>Meet the Faith Action Network of Washington</i>	HJ PEAR ROOM
	<i>New Voting Member Orientation</i>	HJ PEACH ROOM
	<i>Hearing: Compensation Guidelines Word & Service</i>	HJ PLUM ROOM
	<i>Praying Life through the Liturgy - Part One</i>	HJ VINEYARD A
	<i>Hearing: Synod Assembly Task Force</i>	HJ VINEYARD B
	<i>Constitutional Review: Why, How and What to do</i>	HJ VINEYARD C

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2:00-3:15 pm Hearings/Workshops

<i>Hearing: Memorial Concerning Thrivent Financial</i>	HJ APPLE ROOM
<i>Hearing: Appoint Chaplain to Assemblies</i>	HJ BOARDROOM
<i>Reflections on Latino Ministry</i>	HJ CHERRY ROOM
<i>“E” is for Evangelical:</i>	HJ PEACH ROOM
<i>Sharing the Gospel in a graceful way</i>	
<i>Feeding God’s Children: ELCA World Hunger</i>	HJ PEAR ROOM
<i>Technology & Your Church:</i>	HJ PLUM ROOM
<i>Leverage for Effective Communication</i>	
<i>Praying Life through the Liturgy - Part Two</i>	HJ VINEYARD A
<i>Discussion: ELCA Taskforce Statement on</i>	HJ VINEYARD B
<i>Inter-religious Commitments</i>	
<i>Growth through Coaching</i>	HJ VINEYARD C

2:15-3:45 pm Workshop: Worship & Prayer through Music Central Lutheran Church
1604 W Yakima Ave

4:00-5:15 pm **2018 Assembly officially opens** Central Lutheran Church
Gathering Eucharist Service 1604 W Yakima Ave

5:30-6:30 pm Open House/mingle YCC S FOYER

5:30 pm Hotel Rooms and Keys Available HJ FRONT DESK

5:30-9:00 pm Book Room open YCC BALLROOM F

6:30 pm Family style meals begins YCC BALLROOM E

7:15-8:00 pm Churchwide Representative YCC BALLROOM E
Rev. Ron Glusenkamp – Bible Study

SATURDAY, APRIL 28

7:00 am Breakfast Table Talks HJ ORCHARD ROOMS

7:30 am Deadline for submitting nominations & resolutions
Must be submitted to Synod Secretary, Paula Kenney

8:00 am Assembly Office/Sacristy Open YCC BALLROOM H
Late Registration available in Synod office

Contemplative Room open YCC BALLROOM G

8:30 am Business Session 1 YCC BALLROOM E

- Opening Prayer – Bishop Kuempel
- Greeting – Assembly Chair
- Call to Order
- Introductions

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- Reception of Minutes, Synod Assembly 2017
Approved by the Synod Council September 2017
- Presentation: Rules of the Assembly
- Presentation: Balloting Rules
- Motion to Approve:
 - Rules of the Assembly
 - Balloting Rules
 - Business Agenda
- General Business
 - ELCA Churchwide Report
 - Presentation: Budget
 - Debate & Vote: Resolution #1
 - Debate & Vote: Resolution #2

9:00 am Ministry Partner tables open YCC FOYER

10:20 am Complimentary Coffee Break YCC FOYER

10:40 am Business Session 2

- Presenter: Victoria Flood, ELCA Mission Advancement
- Memorial #1 Thrivent
- Elections: Synod Council
 - Representative: Cluster F
 - Representative: Cluster I
 - Representative: Cluster K
 - At Large: Lay Female
 - At Large: Clergy
- Vote: Synod Budget
- Debate & Vote: Resolution #3

Noon-1:00 pm Lunch on the Go

1:00-2:15 pm Workshop Session 3

Our Homeless Friends: Providing Shelter, Building Relationships
Q&A with Churchwide Representative Rev. Ron Glusenkamp
Youth: Meeting them Where They Are
Nurturing a Prayerful Culture
Technology & Your Church: Leverage for Effective Communication
Visual Arts in Church Growth: Inside the Box, Outside the Box
Praying Life through the Liturgy - PART THREE
Discussion: Proposed ELCA Social Statement on Women & Justice

HJ APPLE ROOM
HJ CHERRY ROOM
HJ PEACH ROOM
HJ PEAR ROOM
HJ PLUM ROOM
HJ VINEYARD B
HJ VINEYARD A
HJ VINEYARD C

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2:30-4:00 pm	Business Session 3	YCC BALLROOM E
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Elections<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Discipline Committee – Clergy○ Voting Members, 2019 Churchwide Assembly<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Youth/Young Adult (<i>18-30 at the time of election</i>)▪ Person of color or language other than English▪ Clergy position 1▪ Clergy position 2▪ Lay position 1▪ Lay position 2● Debate & Vote: Resolution #4● Debate & Vote: Resolution #5	
3:50 pm	Coffee Break	YCC FOYER
4:10 pm	Session Business Session #4	YCC BALLROOM E
6:45 pm	Banquet Featuring the Yakima Men’s Camerata Club, Carl North, Director Awards & Presentations	

SUNDAY, APRIL 29

7:00 am	Breakfast	HJ ORCHARD ROOMS
8:30 am	Assembly Office open	HJ BERRY ROOM
9:00 am	Closing Business as needed Shorts & Reports	YCC BALLROOMS E-H
10:30 am	Closing Eucharist Service	YCC BALLROOMS E-H
12:00 pm	Closing of the Assembly	