## Southeast Michigan Synod Assembly
**May 4-6, 2017**
“From Chaos to Community”

### Thursday, May 4th

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10:40am  REGISTRATION CLOSES

10:30am  PLENARY SESSION #3  Lake Huron B
  Prayer/ Song & Call to Order & Announcements
  Keynote Address – Ms. Peggy Hahn (45-50 minutes)
  Credentials Report
  Report of Second Common Ballot
  Adoption of 2019 Budgets
  Constitutional Amendments by Synod Council
  Report of Second Ballot for Bishop (if needed)

12:00pm  LUNCH  Lake Huron A

12:00pm  REGISTRATION RE-OPENS

1:15pm  SPEAKER ROTATION SESSION #1 (assembly split into three groups)
  Ms. Peggy Hahn  Lake Huron B (red)
  Ms. Kristen Krueger  Grand Ballroom 1 (yellow)
  Pr. David Hansen  Grand Ballroom 2 (green)

2:15pm  COFFEE/SNACKS  Lobby/Pre-Function Area

2:30pm  SPEAKER ROTATION SESSION #2 (switch from first session)
  Ms. Peggy Hahn  Lake Huron B (green)
  Ms. Kristen Krueger  Grand Ballroom 2 (red)
  Pr. David Hansen  Grand Ballroom 2 (yellow)

3:15pm  REGISTRATION CLOSES

3:45pm  PLENARY SESSION #4  Lake Huron B
  Prayer/Song
  Call to Order & Announcements
  Credentials Report
  Addresses by Top 7 Bishop Nominees (if needed)
  THIRD BALLOT FOR BISHOP (IF NEEDED)

  OR
  Report of Churchwide Representative
  Report of Third Ballot for Bishop (if needed)
  Campaign Report

5:15pm  SPEAKER ROTATION SESSION #3
  Ms. Peggy Hahn  Lake Huron B (yellow)
  Ms. Kristen Krueger  Grand Ballroom 1 (green)
  Pr. David Hansen  Lake Huron A (red)

6:15pm  DINNER & ACTIVITIES ON YOUR OWN

6:15pm  CAMPAIGN COUNCIL VISITOR TRAINING  Riverview A & B
Saturday, May 6th

7:30am REGISTRATION RE-OPENS Lobby/Pre-Function Area

8:15am REGISTRATION CLOSES

8:30am PLENARY SESSION #5 Lake Huron B
Song/Call to Order & Announcements
Credentials Report
Keynote Address: Ms. Peggy Hahn
Churchwide Rep Asks Questions of Top 3 Bishop Candidates (if needed)
Report of ELCA Churchwide Representative (if not done on Friday)

OR

Resolutions
The Reformation from Chaos to Community: Dr. Ken Grant

11:00am COFFEE BREAK

11:00am REGISTRATION RE-OPENS

11:15am Q&A WITH TOP THREE BISHOP CANDIDATES
Red Lanyards Grand Ballroom 2
Yellow Lanyards Lake Huron B
Green Lanyards Grand Ballroom 1

OR

WORKSHOPS
Let us Build a House: Diversity Task Force Lake Huron A
The Church, Columbus & Beyond Racism Lake Huron B
Reforging Your Focus St. Clair A
Foster Care/Samaritas St. Clair B
Immigration/LIRS Grand Ballroom 1
Mission Advancement Grand Ballroom 2
World Hunger Riverview A
Amending Your Congregations’ Constitution Riverview B

11:15am Stewardship for All Season’s Congregational Training Abbey

12:15pm LUNCH Lake Huron A

1:00pm REGISTRATION CLOSES

1:30pm PLENARY SESSION #6 Lake Huron B
Song/Prayer & Call to Order & Announcements
Credentials Report
Recognition of Anniversaries & 25TH Anniversary of Synod Reconciling in Christ
Resolutions
Installation of Synod Council & Closing of Assembly
OR

FOURTH BALLOT FOR BISHOP (IF NEEDED)
Recognition of Anniversaries
Report of Fourth Ballot for Bishop (if needed)

FIFTH BALLOT FOR BISHOP (IF NEEDED)
Hymn Sing (if needed)
Report of Fifth Ballot for Bishop (if needed)
Address by Bishop-Elect (if needed)
Installation of Synod Council & Closing of Assembly

3:00pm  CLOSING EUCHARIST  Lake Huron B