



South-Central Synod  
of Wisconsin

## Timeline & Important Dates for Leaders

### 2023

#### NOW

- Meet with families to gauge interest in the Youth Gathering.

#### SUMMER 2023

- Adult Leaders may attend one of several informational meetings. Watch synod communications for dates and locations or [www.scsw-elca.org/engage](http://www.scsw-elca.org/engage).
- 'Getting Ready Materials' Released

#### SEPTEMBER 15, 2023:

- "Priority" Online Gathering Registration Opens. Deposits are \$150 per person and all payments will be made online via credit card or e-check. NO mailed payments will be accepted. Note: you will need your ELCA Congregation ID #.
- Financial Assistance Application Opens
- Synod-provided Transportation Reservations Open (\$350 per church deposit)

#### OCTOBER 11, 2023

- Synod "Alive Night" for Middle & High School Youth  
[Theme: "Alive in Grace"]\*

#### NOVEMBER 1, 2023

- "Priority" Registration Closes - Deposit due in order to pay "Priority" rate.
- Regular Registration Opens

# 2024

## **JANUARY 15, 2024:**

- \*Tentative\* Synod-provided Transportation Deposit Due
- Housing assignments are announced (*Priority Registration Only*)

## **FEBRUARY 4, 2024**

- Synod "Alive Night" for Middle & High School Youth  
[Theme: "Alive in Disruption"]\*

## **APRIL 15, 2024**

- Gathering Registration Closes

## **APRIL 24, 2024**

- Synod "Alive Night" for Middle & High School Youth  
[Theme: "Alive in Community"]\*

## **APRIL 30, 2024**

- All Final Payments Due (Registration, Housing & Synod Transportation)

## **MAY 15, 2024**

- Final details released regarding schedule, synod day, and Mass Gathering.

## **JUNE 1, 2024 (OPTIONAL OVERNIGHT ON MAY 31, 2024)**

- Synod Youth Gathering Kick-Off Event  
[Theme: "Called In to Be Free"]\*

*\*Synod "Alive" Nights and the Gathering Kick-off events will utilize ELCA Youth Gathering "Getting Ready Materials" for programming and themes.*

## **Questions? Need Help?**

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