

For more information on the events below, please visit eandsynod.org/events and watch for updates in the *Connections E-Newsletter* closer to the event date.

SEPTEMBER

- 7-10 Fall Theological Conference
- 10 Deans Meeting
- 18 Boundaries Training 9am-12pm
- 23 Retired Rostered Ministers Brunch, 10am (Trinity Lutheran, Moorhead)
- 26-28 Eastern North Dakota Fall Youth Retreat (Castaway Club)
- 27 Synod Lay Minister & Mentor Retreat
- 28 Small Church Saturday Book Club, 9am (Zoom)

OCTOBER

- 2 New to the Synod Lunch
- 7 "When Healing Hurts" Text Study, 5pm (Zoom)
- 10-11 Synod Council Meeting
- **16** World Food Day
- 18 Vital Church: "Why Lutheran? Why Church?" 10am-4pm (Red Willow Ministries & Zoom)
- **19** Endowment Sunday
- 23 First Third of Life Ministry Brunch
- 26 Small Church Saturday Book Club
- **30** Dean's Meeting

NOVEMBER

- 2-3 Synod Lay Ministry Mentor's Retreat
- **6** Professional Development Day: Antiracism
- 11 Stewardship Starters Quarterly Webinar: "Thanking Your Volunteers"
- 23 Small Church Saturday Book Club, 9am (Zoom)
- 27-28 Synod Office Closed (Thanksgiving)

DECEMBER

4 Senior Pastor Lunch

4 Synod Council Meeting

24-31 Synod Office Closed

JANUARY

1 Synod Office Closed (New Years Day)

12-14 Region 3 Quality of Call Event (Alexandria, MN)

22 Deans Meeting

24 Small Church Saturday Book Club

24 Vital Church: Hard Conversations and Civic Engagement (Zoom)

25 Reconciling in Christ (RIC) Sunday

27 Stewardship Starters Quarterly Webinar: "Church Council Treasurer Tips & Tricks," 6pm

FEBRUARY

12 Giving Hearts Day

21 Synod Council Meeting

MARCH

5 Deans Meeting

10 "When Healing Hurts" Text Study, 5pm (Zoom)

17 "When Healing Hurts" Text Study, 5pm (Zoom)

APRIL

3 Synod Office Closed (Good Friday)

16 Joint Theological Day

18 Synod Council Meeting

26-28 First Call Core Event

30 Deans Meeting

MAY

1 Candidacy Committee Meeting

5 Synod Council Meeting

5 Spring Stewardship Day: Stewardship and the Summer Slump (In-person and Zoom)

25 Synod Office Closed (Memorial Day)

JUNE

2 "When Healing Hurts" Text Study, 5pm (Zoom)

5-7 Synod Assembly (Holiday Inn, Fargo)

8-9 Synod Office Closed