

2026 Convocation Agenda

Monday October 5

- 3-5:15 pm Registration
- 5:30 pm Dinner
- 7 pm Plenary
 - Welcome, schedule review, housekeeping
 - Introductions
 - Ice breakers
 - Worship announcements, artwork introduction
- 7:45 Break
- 8 pm Gathering worship to be held on outdoor patio around the fire pit, weather permitting (please pack accordingly and bring your folding chair)
- 9 pm Fellowship in the lounge, lobby, ballroom

Tuesday October 6

- 7:30 am Breakfast
- 9 am Doors open for quiet reflection and meditation with artwork
- 10 am Plenary – Bp Imad Haddad, ELCJHL & Rev. Gabi Aelabouni, Middle East/North Africa desk
- 11 am Break
- 11:15 am Conversation with Bp Haddad
- 12:30 pm Lunch
- 1:15 pm Small group conversations
 - Scott Howard - Global Mission Team
 - Tara Lynn - Portico
 - Retirees meet with Retired Clergy Team
- 1:30 pm Fellowship time – offerings and sign-ups at the registration table
- 2 pm Portico one on ones with Tara Lynn – sign up at Portico table
- 2-4 pm Mini meetings (15 minutes) with Bp. Pipho - sign up at the registration table
- 5:30 pm Dinner
- 7 pm Worship
- 8:15 pm Gift exchange led by Anna Tew and Niki Harvell in the lounge.
Care to participate? Bring a wrapped 'useful office supply item(s)' – no more than \$10
Fellowship in the lounge, lobby and ballroom
Sober space alternatives - ballroom, lobby (*beverages may be brought from the lounge*)

Wednesday October 7

- 7:30 am Breakfast
- 9 am Bishop's Update – State of the Synod
- 10:30 am Break
- 10:45 am Sending worship
- Noon Depart

Meals take place in Visions restaurant; plenary sessions and worship take place in the Crystal ballroom.