

By registering to attend the 2022 ELCA Youth Gathering with Epiphany Lutheran Church, I understand that I am committing to...

...living as a disciple in the community of faith at Epiphany Lutheran Church.

The ELCA Youth Gathering is an investment that Epiphany Lutheran Church is making in you and your faith formation. It is expected that those attending the Gathering will invest back into the community of faith and their own faith by actively participating in the life of Epiphany Lutheran Church through:

- Regular worship attendance
- Prayer for Epiphany Lutheran Church and for those going to the Gathering.
- Engaging the faith community at Epiphany Lutheran Church through worship, study, fellowship, and service.

...participating in group fundraising efforts.

The total estimated cost for the 2022 ELCA Youth Gathering in Minneapolis, MN is approximately \$1,500 per person. Fundraising will be a group effort, and it is our goal to fundraise at least \$1,000 per person. Each family commits to a deposit of \$250 per student. A final payment of no more than \$250 will be due on June 12, 2022.

- **October 24, 2021** - Fundraising Kickoff & Money Wall: temple talks, helping with display setup, thank you notes
- **February 5, 2022** - The BIG Event Dinner Auction: parents and students will serve on committees for planning and execution. All hands on deck!
- **Other fundraisers as determined by the group:** As needed, pending approval of the Core Leadership Team

...attending ALL Gathering Preparation Meetings

These are not simply 'meetings' - they are opportunities to grow in our faith, connect with other participants, and prepare ourselves for our experience in Minneapolis. Gathering Prep meetings are part of the Gathering experience, and attendance at all meetings is expected. Lunch is included at all meetings.

- October 17, 12:00-2:00pm - students and parents
- January 16, 12:00-2:00pm
- February 27, 12:00-2:00pm
- March 20, 12:00-2:00pm
- April 24, 12:00-2:00pm
- May 15, 12:00-2:00pm
- June 12, 12:00-2:00pm
- July 17, 12:00-2:00pm - students and parents

...attending the 2022 ELCA Youth Gathering in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

This should be a no-brainer, but your registration and deposit now is a commitment to attend the 2022 ELCA Youth Gathering. The dates for this trip are July 22-29, 2022. If you cancel at any time between now and then, you are responsible for reimbursing the church for all non-refundable costs incurred by the church up to the date of cancellation, including deposits, transportation deposits, hotel payments, and any cancellation fees, up to the total cost of \$1,500.

- **After December 1** - Transportation & Registration
- **After February 1** - Transportation & Registration + Hotel
- **After April 1** - Transportation, Registration & Hotel + Shirts & Misc. Expenses
- **After May 15** - Total Trip Cost