2021 Assembly – Love Walk Flourish
Proposed Agenda
Deaconess Community of the ELCA, also serving in the ELCIC
April 7-10, 2021 via Zoom

NOTE: All times on the schedule are Central Time

Wednesday, April 7th

5:30 pm
Zoom open – informal gathering
6:00 – 7:30 pm
Opening Worship with Rite of Reception and Rite of Accompaniment
Opening of the Assembly
Announcements
7:30-8:00 pm
Zoom open – informal gathering

Thursday, April 8th

10:30 am
Zoom open – informal gathering
10:45 am
Morning Prayer
11:00 am – 12:15 pm
Plenary Session #1
Including Welcome, Affirmation of Covenant, Proposed Agenda, Parliamentary Procedure, Proposed Rules, Introductions, Reports – staff, committees, board, treasurer
Partner Greeting

Singing into the break – Sr. Ramona and Katie

15 Minute Break – Zoom will remain open

12:30 - 1:00 pm
Community Partner
1:00 - 1:15 pm
Community Prayer
Announcements

One Hour Break – Zoom will be closed

2:15 – 3:00 pm
Breakout Session led by R&R Team – Membership Conversation

Singing into the break – Sr. Ramona and Katie

Thirty Minute Break – Zoom will remain open
3:30 – 4:00 pm
Breakout Session – Question & Answer for Directing Deaconess election

Proposed March 26, 2021
Announcements

Two Hour Break – Optional Community Time

4:15 pm – 5:15 pm Optional affinity groups and/or conversations

5:30 pm
6:00 – 7:00 pm Community Game of CLUE – all guests are welcome
7:00 – 7:30 pm Zoom open – informal gathering

Evening Worship – on your own

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Friday, April 9th

10:30 am Zoom open – informal gathering
10:45 am Morning Prayer
11:00 am – 12:45 pm Plenary Session #2
  Including Elections – Board/R&R/Directing Deaconess
  Reference and Counsel: Resolution, Handbook Revisions,
  Partner Connections

Singing into the break – Sr. Ramona and Katie

15 Minute Break – Zoom will remain open

1:00 – 1:30 pm Community Partner
1:30 – 2:15 pm Community Prayer with time of sending
  Announcements

45 Minute Break – Zoom will remain open

Singing out of the break – Sr. Ramona and Katie

3:00 – 4:00 pm Breakout Session – Maine Poor People’s Campaign
  Announcements

One and Half Hour Break – Optional Community Time

Proposed March 26, 2021
4:15-5:15 pm Community Trivia

5:30 pm         Zoom open – informal gathering
6:00 – 7:00 pm  Community Celebrations – all guests are welcomed
7:00 – 7:30 pm  Zoom open – informal gathering

Evening Prayer – on your own

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Saturday, April 10th

Morning Prayer – on your own
10: 30 am        Zoom open – informal gathering
11:00 am -12:15 pm  Plenary Session #3
                Including Continued Business – Handbook Revision
                Regional Breakout Sessions
                Announcements

15 Minute Break

12:30 pm        Closing Worship
                Installation of newly elected
                Closing of the Assembly

what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness,
and to walk humbly with your God? Micah 6:8