

2023-24 VA Synod Youth Events

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Roanoke College Lutheran Visit Day

Sep. 2, 2023

For **high school youth and parents** to learn about our church's college and about discerning the Christian calling to higher education.

Lost and Found

Nov. 17-19, 2023

For **7th and 8th graders** and their adult advisors at Eagle Eyrie Conference Center, Lynchburg, VA.
Early Registration discount ends Oct. 23, 2023.

Winter Celebration

Feb. 2-4, 2024

For **9th through 12th graders** and their adult advisors at Eagle Eyrie Conference Center, Lynchburg, VA.
Early Registration discount ends Jan. 8, 2024.

Seventh Day

Mar. 2-3, 2024

For **5th and 6th graders** and their adult advisors at Eagle Eyrie Conference Center, Lynchburg, VA.
Early Registration discount ends Feb. 5, 2024.

Bishop's Day

March 2024

For **youth discerning a call to ministry** and their pastors - watch for details and preregistration information on the synod website starting later in 2023.

Youth Assembly

Details TBD

Each congregation of the Synod is invited to send two delegates to the Youth Assembly at Roanoke College! Delegates can be in **grades 7th through 12th**. Congregations may register an additional delegate if there is space. Look for updates on the Synod website early in 2023.

Kairos

Jun. 23-28, 2024

For **rising 9th through 12th graders**, held at Roanoke College. Application forms will be available starting Feb. 5, 2024 and are due back to the Synod office by Apr. 22, 2024.

National Youth Gathering

Jul. 16-20, 2024

Every 3 years, the ELCA hosts youth from all across the country and US territories for the National Youth Gathering. Those having completed **grades 8 through 12 by June 2023, as well as young adults** can participate. In 2024, the gathering will be held in New Orleans, LA. The event includes large group gatherings, service opportunities, discussion time, and lots more fun. Youth and young adults should contact congregation leaders for more info. You can also visit the gathering site at elca.org/gathering

LAUNCH

Jul. 7-11, 2024

For **just graduated high school seniors**, held at Roanoke College. Registration deadline is Jun. 3, 2024.

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Scan this QR code to access the VA Synod Youth Ministry webpage.



Contact **Dave Delaney**, Synod Director for Youth and Young Adult Ministry, for more info. email: delaney@vasynod.org

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