

## virginia synod elca - "faithful, Bold, serving"

JUNE 23 (Sunday, 6pm) - June 28 (Friday, noon), 2024 Roanoke College, Salem VA

In order for the participant's registration to be complete, this form must be completed and sent to: Kairos - Virginia Synod ELCA PO Box 70, Salem VA 24153 (It can also be sent via scan and email to delaney@vasynod.org)

## PARENT/GUARDIAN PERMISSION AND MEDICAL INFORMATION

Name of KAIROS participant (PRINT!): \_\_\_\_\_ Name of parent/guardian (PRINT!): has my permission to participate in Kairos, June 23-28, 2024, (Name of youth) sponsored by the Virginia Synod ELCA, at Roanoke College at Salem VA. I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THE STATED EXPECTATIONS FOR KAIROS (see opposite page) AND WILL SUPPORT THE EVENT LEADERS IN THE ADMINISTRATION OF THESE EXPECTATIONS. In case of an emergency, I can be contacted at: Daytime phone: ( )\_\_\_\_\_ )\_\_\_\_\_ Cell: ( )\_\_\_\_\_ Night: ( Or contact: Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime: ( )\_\_\_\_\_ Night: ( )\_\_\_\_\_ Cell: ( In the event I cannot be reached, permission is hereby granted to have the above named participant treated at an appropriate medical facility as deemed necessary. → Signature of parent or legal guardian (Date) Event Participant's Date of Birth (mo/day/yr): (please also \*read\* and sign the covenant page) Medical Insurance carrier: Policy / Contract number: Participant's Allergies / Special Medical or food conditions / other needs or information for event leaders: Participant's Medications: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Kairos participants' names, pictures, and email addresses are included in the annual Kairos yearbook that is given to each participant. Photos of youth in small groups and crowds (but not identified by name) may also appear in the photo feed on our Synod website. If you do \*not\* want your child's photo to be included you must contact event director Dave Delaney via email (delaney@vasynod.org).

## THE KAIROS COVENANT - EXPECTATIONS OF ALL PARTICIPANTS

I am aware that Kairos is envisioned as an intentional Christian Community. I want to come to this event and will help build this community by honoring the expectations of this event, which include ....

- .... striving to live out the covenant God made with me in baptism.
- .... being open to the Holy Spirit's work in deepening my faith, being open to new friendships with other Christians from around Virginia, and understanding the importance to the Kairos community of my presence and full participation in the event.
- .... treating all members of the Kairos community as children of God, who are worthy of respect.
- .... attending the entire event, from Sunday evening, June 23<sup>rd</sup> to Friday noon, June 28<sup>th</sup>, attending and participating in all large group and small group sessions and worship.
- .... committing to bring my Bible with me whenever we are using it in large and small group.
- .... committing to spend daily time in private reading and private writing in a journal.
- .... remaining on the grounds of Roanoke College throughout the event.
- .... conscientiously observing the dorm curfews and lights out times.
- .... conscientiously observing the dorm regulation not allowing coed visitation between dorms or dorm rooms.
- .... not bringing electronic media devices to the event (if you music for "open mike" we will provide it for you).
- .... OBSERVING THE CELL PHONE POLICY and otherwise keeping one's phone off during the day's activities (Large Group, Small Group, Worship, etc.) EXCEPT BY SPECIAL PERMISSION FROM THE EVENT DIRECTOR.
- .... not bringing weapons, drugs, alcohol, or tobacco to the event (other than required medications).
- .... being aware of and refraining from actions which constitute inappropriate or unwelcome touching of others, sexual. harassment, other sexual misconduct, or suggestive or inappropriate language, and maintaining relationship boundaries that are appropriate to a community-building event such as Kairos, plus <u>maintaining modest and appropriate dress</u> <u>throughout the week</u> and following the instructions of adult leaders in this regard.
- .... being aware of and refraining from insulting, discriminatory, or demeaning language and actions.
- .... respecting the privacy and safety of all participants.
- .... understanding that those who choose not to abide by these expectations may be asked to leave the event for the good of the community that is being created.

I am looking forward to KAIROS and I sign this covenant with great hopes for the Christian Community that will be formed there. By my signature, I promise to abide by the expectations of the Kairos community.

→ Participant signature:

I am pleased that *(participant name)* \_\_\_\_\_\_ is coming to Kairos and I will support the event leaders in administering the Kairos covenant.

→ Parent / Guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_

"I have reviewed this applicant's responses to the questions on the back with him/her and will also support the event leaders in administering the Kairos expectations."

→ <u>Pastor's</u> signature:

(or <u>congregation president</u> or <u>youth advisor</u> if you are currently without a pastor)