Together in Hope: LEADING-WITH-PURPOSE

2025 Annual Conference | KANSAS CITY, MO

REGISTRATION QUESTIONS

GREETINGS FROM EPISCOPAL PARISH NETWORK!

We're excited you're joining us for the **40th Annual Episcopal Parish Network Conference** in Kansas City, **FEBRUARY 25-28, 2025.** We've planned engaging keynote sessions, pre-conferences, and workshops to make your time meaningful. Below, you'll find helpful details as you register.

CONFERENCE DATES

The conference kicks off with the Episcopal Preaching Foundation lunch on Tuesday, February 25, at 12:00 PM CT. It concludes on Friday, February 28, around 12:00 PM CT.

PRE-CONFERENCE SESSIONS

Pre-conferences begin at 2:00 PM CT on February 25 and are open to all. These gatherings focus on specific roles, allowing for networking and intense learning. Some sessions, like the Rector & Dean Pre-conference, are role-specific, while others are open to anyone interested in similar topics. For example, the Vestry, Warden, and Lay Leader Pre-conference welcomes all lay leaders. The From Leadership to Empowerment Pre-conference is open to anyone who may not align with other rolebased sessions. Pre-conference cohorts continue through Tuesday and Wednesday morning with shared meals and networking.

KEYNOTE CONVERSATIONS

The five keynote sessions are automatically included in your registration. These conversations are designed for all attendees.

WORKSHOP TRACKS

Choose from six workshop tracks covering leadership, financial resiliency, innovation, strategy, inclusiveness, and property management to craft an agenda that suits your interests.

WOMEN CLERGY GATHERING

The WCG will take place on Wednesday, February 26, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM at the conference hotel. Open to women, women-identified, and non-binary clergy, this event includes a light lunch. Registration for WCG is free, and participants will receive details about a preconference online gathering in January.

EXHIBIT HALL

Located next to the mainstage, the Exhibit Hall will host vendors and solution providers. The Opening Reception will be held here, and we encourage you to visit the sponsors who help keep registration costs low.

MEALS

Breakfast is available Wednesday through Friday near the Exhibit Hall. The Episcopal Preaching Foundation will host a lunch on Tuesday, February 25, which requires early registration due to limited space. Wednesday lunch is provided for the Women Clergy Gathering. On Thursday, lunch will be a networking opportunity with a gift card for a local restaurant.

FIRST-TIME ATTENDEES

If this is your first time attending, you'll receive an invitation to a webinar two weeks before the event.

GROUP DISCOUNTS

Bringing a group of five or more from your church? You'll each receive a \$50 discount for each registrant.

EARLY-BIRD PRICING

Take advantage of discounted registration before January 1, 2025. Visit our pricing table for details.

QUESTIONS

For questions, contact <u>info@episcopalparishes.org</u>. We can't wait to welcome you to Kansas City!

Faithfully yours, EPN Annual Conference Planning Committee

