

EPN 2027 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Grand Hyatt Denver | St. John's Cathedral Denver

AGENDA

Tuesday FEBRUARY 23

9:00 AM – 1:00 PM
Smart Starts –
Lunch is included with your registration.

1. Communications
2. Endowment
3. Real Estate & Property
4. Stewardship

2:00 – 5:00 PM
Pre-conferences

1. Rectors and Deans
2. Senior Associates, Sub-Deans, Vice Rectors, and Vicars
3. Newly Ordained Clergy (1 – 4 years)
4. Parish Administrators
5. Church Development Professionals
6. Lay Church Staff
7. Vestry, Wardens, and Volunteer Lay Leaders
8. Canons to the Ordinary (or equivalent position)
9. Diocesan Staff Engaging Racial Justice and Healing Ministries

6:00 – 8:00 PM
Pre-Conference Cohort Dinners

Wednesday FEBRUARY 24

7:00 – 8:30 AM Breakfast (for Pre-Conference Attendees)

8:00 AM Morning Prayer

8:30 – 10:30/11:00 AM Pre-Conferences (Yesterday's Cohorts)

11:15 AM – 1:00 PM Women Clergy Gathering & Lunch

1:30 – 2:30 PM Main Stage Conversation 1:
Sean Rowe
Presented by Church Pension Group

2:30 – 3:00 PM Coffee Break & Exhibit Time

3:00 – 4:15 PM
Workshop Session 1

1. Property & Facilities
2. Giving & Funding
3. Parish Finance
4. Justice & Inclusion
5. Leadership & Strategy
6. The Future
7. Communications
8. Discipleship
9. AI
10. Operations & Governance

4:15 – 4:45 PM Coffee Break & Exhibit Time

4:45 – 5:45 PM Main Stage Conversation 2:
Guli Francis-Dehqani and Winnie Varghese
Presented by Horizons Stewardship

5:45 – 7:00 PM Opening Reception

7:00 – 9:00 PM Seminary Receptions

Where the Church Gathers

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Thursday FEBRUARY 25

7:30 – 9:00 AM Breakfast

8:00 AM Morning Prayer

9:00 – 10:15 AM
Workshop Session 2

1. Justice & Inclusion
2. Giving & Funding
3. Parish Finance
4. Property & Facilities
5. Leadership & Strategy
6. Future
7. Communications
8. Discipleship
9. AI
10. Operations & Governance

10:15 – 11:00 AM Coffee Break & Exhibit Time

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM Main Stage Conversation 3:
Ted Johnson and Linda Etim
Presented by CCS Fundraising

12:00 – 1:30 PM
Lunch on Your Own & Sponsored Lunches

2:00 – 3:15 PM
Workshop Session 3

1. Justice & Inclusion
2. Giving & Funding
3. Parish Finance
4. Property & Facilities
5. Leadership & Strategy
6. Future
7. Communications
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Thursday FEBRUARY 25 *(CONTINUED)*

3:30 – 4:30 PM Bonus Sessions

5:00 PM Buses Depart for St. John's Cathedral

6:00 – 7:00 PM Conference Worship
Celestia Experience—*Immediately following worship*

7:30 – 8:30 PM Reception at St. John's Cathedral

8:00 – 9:00 PM Buses Return to Grand Hyatt Hotel

Friday FEBRUARY 26

7:30 – 9:00 AM Breakfast

8:00 AM Morning Prayer

9:00 – 10:00 AM Main Stage Conversation 4:
Andrew Root and Stanford Adams
Presented by James B. Jordan, CPA, LLC and ACST powered by Vanco

10:00 – 10:30 AM Coffee Break & Exhibit Time

10:30 – 11:30 AM Closing Main Stage Conversation:
Gabby Thomas
Presented by Boston Common Asset Management