# 2024 Diocesan Convention Workshops Guide

**GREATER TACOMA CONVENTION CENTER** 

#### Session 1 - 10:00 - 11:00 AM

CARLA'S TOOLBELT: CONGREGATIONAL RESOURCES FOR BECOMING BELOVED COMMUNITY | ROOM 316

CONNECTING MISSION AND MONEY: AN OVERVIEW OF THE 2025 DIOCESAN OPERATING BUDGET | ROOM 405

ENGAGING CHURCH AND COMMUNITY TO SLOW CLIMATE CHANGE | ROOM 407

FIRE DEPARTMENT CHAPLAINCY | ROOM 403

GO AND DO LIKEWISE: FOLLOWING JESUS INTO OUR COMMON HUMANITY | ROOM 318

GOD'S BEAUTY IN ART | ROOM 404

REFLECTION AND IMMERSION INTO GOD'S GREAT GIFT: REST | ROOM 317

SUPPORTING PALESTINIAN CHRISTIANS: A LIVE REPORT FROM AN EPISCOPAL PRIEST IN THE WEST BANK | ROOM 315

TO KEEP OR NOT TO KEEP - THAT IS THE (FIRST) QUESTION: WHAT CONGREGATIONS NEED TO KNOW ABOUT RECORDS! | ROOM 406

#### Session 2 - 11:15 AM - 12:15 PM

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE: THEOLOGICAL REFLECTION | ROOM 316

CONTEMPLATIVE PRACTICES FOR CONGREGATIONS AND INDIVIDUALS - "THE PEACE, THE PRESENCE, IS EVERYWHERE" | ROOM 317

CONVERSATIONS WITH SKAGIT TRIBAL ELDERS | ROOM 315

LET ALL CREATION PREACH: CRAFTING SERMONS THAT GIVE VOICE TO CREATION | ROOM 405

REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT THROUGH THE DIOCESE OF OLYMPIA | ROOM 403

RITUALS OF HEALING FOR CHURCH AND HOME | ROOM 404

SOCIAL JUSTICE FOR THE LGBTQIA+ COMMUNITY IN THE CHURCH | ROOM 407

STAY IN THE CITY: HOW GOD IS TRANSFORMING OUR NEIGHBORHOOD | ROOM 318

THE LAZARUS BLUEPRINT: A GUIDE FOR CHURCHES TO EMBRACE REENTRY | ROOM 406





### Session 3 - 2:45 - 3:45 PM

BEING A PLACE OF REST FOR THE UNHOUSED | ROOM 405

"CHURCH HURT" AND PARENTING NOW | ROOM 315

COME REST, REFLECT AND REFRESH WITH GOD | ROOM 317

CREATION CARE & CLIMATE JUSTICE ROUNDTABLE | ROOM 407

EDUCATION FOR MINISTRY | ROOM 404

PAN-AFRICAN MINISTRIES: AN UPDATE ON THE GROWTH AND IMPACT OF AFRICAN CONGREGATIONS IN THE DIOCESE | ROOM 406

THE CHANGING CHURCH: YOUNG ADULTS AND THE NEXT CHAPTER OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH | ROOM 316

VOLUNTEERS: TOGETHER WE CAN | ROOM 403

WHEN THE FLOODGATES OPEN, SURF THE WAVES: FINDING JOY IN THE CHAOS OF CONGREGATIONAL LIFE | ROOM 318

## Session 4 - 4:00 - 5:00 PM

DIGITAL EVANGELISM | ROOM 315

DISABILITY JUSTICE: WHEN ALL BODIES ARE WELCOME AT CHRIST'S TABLE | ROOM 405

GROW YOUR YOUTH GROUP: BEST PRACTICES IN YOUTH MINISTRY | ROOM 318

MAKING VISIBLE THE INVISIBLE: SEAFARERS' MINISTRY IN PUGET SOUND | ROOM 406

NEIGHBORHOOD MAPPING | ROOM 404

ORIENTATION TO CONVENTION'S BUSINESS SESSIONS | ROOM 316

REST AND RENEWAL IN CENTERING PRAYER | ROOM 317

SUPPORTING GRIEVING FAMILIES | ROOM 407

WHAT IS THE LORD DOING? COMING TO JESUS, IN PRISON, AND FINDING RENEWAL – A MISSIONARY PERSPECTIVE | ROOM 403

Come to Me and I Will Give You Rest

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