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Come, Gather at the Lakeshore!

Eric Massanari, Executive Conference Minister

The [2025 PNMC Annual Meeting](#) will be held June 19-22 at [Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp \(FLBC\)](#) on the shores of Flathead Lake, near Kalispell, MT. We're excited to gather at an all-inclusive site like FLBC because it means our sessions, meals and lodging will all be in one location, and we can really savor the time together in this beautiful place!

We will continue with our overarching theme for 2025, "The Transforming Church." At the February CCC meeting we focused on our historical roots as Anabaptist Christians who are commemorating our 500th anniversary. At the Annual Meeting we will bring our focus to this present moment in our unfolding story, and how we are being transformed as the Body of Christ here and now. Our grounding scripture, Romans 12:2, will guide us in asking, *What does it mean to center our life on Christ, on community, and on the way of reconciliation and peacemaking, without being conformed to the patterns of this world? How do we together face into the challenges that are before us? How do we bear witness to the love of God as we care for our congregations, our neighbors and our planetary home?*

Our guest speakers include **Glen Guyton**, Executive Director of Mennonite Church USA, **Sarah Augustine**, Founder and Executive Director of The Coalition to Dismantle the Doctrine of Discovery, and **Miriam Mauritzen**, Transition Pastor of Mountain View Mennonite Church in Kalispell, MT. We hope to see you all in Montana in June!



PACIFIC NORTHWEST MENNONITE CONFERENCE **ANNUAL MEETING** JUNE 19-22, 2025 / KALISPELL, MT

***The Transforming Church: Centered On Christ,
Community and the Way of Reconciliation***

Romans 12:2

Registration is open for the 2025 PNMC Annual Meeting in Kalispell, Montana and we are looking forward with glad anticipation to welcoming you all to the gathering. If they haven't already done so, congregations should appoint delegates and encourage their delegates to register for the annual meeting in a timely manner.

Each member congregation is entitled to one delegate for each twenty-five members or fraction thereof. For example, a congregation with 80 members would be entitled to 4 delegates. In addition to these delegates, all ordained or licensed ministers whose ministerial credentials are recognized by the conference and who are under assignment to a PNMC member congregation are also delegates.

Members of PNMC congregations who are not appointed as delegates are also encouraged to register for the annual meeting. Non-delegates may participate equally in all of the worship services, workshops, keynote addresses and activities. They are also welcome to attend the delegate sessions as non-voting observers, although they may participate in the table group discussions.

-Chris Nord, PNMC Moderator

2025 PNMC Annual Meeting General Schedule:

THURSDAY, JUNE 19

- 6:30pm Arrival and registration (dinner on your own before arrival)
- Evening Anabaptism at 500 Hymn sing

FRIDAY, JUNE 20

- 7:30am Morning movement/contemplative prayer
- 8:15am Breakfast
- 9:15am Plenary session led by PNMC Board of Directors
- 12:15pm Lunch
- 1:30-3pm 90 min Workshops

Worship That Does Not Conform to the Patterns of This World

Jesus, Who Does Not Conform to the Patterns of This World

Financial Stewardship That Does Not Conform to the Patterns of This World

- 3:00pm Open time
- 6:15pm Dinner
- 7:00pm Worship – **Glen Guyton**, Executive Director of MCUSA

SATURDAY, JUNE 21

- 7:30am Morning movement/contemplative prayer
- 8:15am Breakfast
- 9:15am Plenary session led by PNMC Board of Directors
- 12:15pm Lunch
- 1:30-3pm 90 min Workshops

Leadership That Does Not Conform to the Patterns of This World (Glen Guyton)

Creation Care That Does Not Conform to the Patterns of This World (Sarah Augustine)

- 3:00pm Open time
- 5:30pm Dinner
- 7:00pm Worship - **Sarah Augustine**, Director of the Coalition to Dismantle the Doctrine of Discovery

SUNDAY, JUNE 22

- Packing up and checking out of FLBC
 - 9:00am Brunch at Mountain View Mennonite Church
 - 10:30am Worship at Mountain View Mennonite Church - Miriam Mauritzen, Transition Pastor of MVMC
- Continue looking to the website as more detailed plans emerge.*



FLBC's all-in-one costs:

\$450/person through April 30
(early bird discount)

\$500/person from May 1 to May 15
(regular rate)

\$550/person from May 16 to June 1
(late registration)

\$200/each for children ages 4-11

[REGISTER HERE.](#)

MENNONITE CHURCH USA & OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

Mennonite Church USA

In a world that demands constant labor and productivity, what if rest was not just a necessity, but an act of defiance? Mennonite Church USA invites women from across the denomination to reclaim rest as resistance at the [MC USA Women's Summit](#), a transformative one-day event on **July 8, 2025**, at the start of the **Follow Jesus '25** convention in Greensboro, North Carolina. The gathering, themed "**Beholding it Together**," is designed to affirm, support and resource women in MC USA in their callings, ministries and faith journeys. Learn more here: <https://www.mennoniteusa.org/news/womens-summit/>

Upcoming e-Bulletins:

Apr 7 (submissions due by 3/31)
Apr 21 (submissions due by 4/14)
May 5 (submissions due by 4/28)
May 19 (submissions by 5/12)

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