
We're out beating the bushes again. . .



...for volunteers to help the Synod Assembly function smoothly. Will you please help?

A summary of what's expected is listed below.

If asked, would you be willing to serve? Prior experience is not necessary. New ideas and commitments are welcome. Ideally, each of the committees will reflect a balance of geography, gender, ethnicity, and clergy/lay. Although you don't need to be a voting member to volunteer, you do need to be registered to be selected.

There are two easy ways to volunteer this year:

- Volunteer by U. S. mail. Use the form below.
- Volunteer by e-mail. Send *all* the information below to ESpies@DeMdSynod.org. Be sure to use a subject line that says "Synod Assembly volunteer."

Info: Ellen Spies, (410)230-2860; (800)869-5492; ESpies@DeMdSynod.org.

ELECTIONS COMMITTEE	meets one or more times during the assembly to assist in the election process.
MEMORIALS COMMITTEE <i>or</i> COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AND COUNSEL	may each meet at least once before the assembly and several times during the assembly to edit and make recommendations about memorials or resolutions. Ability to write clearly and concisely is helpful. (Memorial: a request for action at the churchwide level. Resolution: comes through Reference & Counsel; calls on the synod to act.)
COMMITTEE OF PAGES	is active throughout the assembly, distributing materials and ballots to voting members and visitors. Pages need to be present for the entire assembly. Lots of walking involved; comfortable shoes are a must!
COMMUNION ASSISTANTS	are needed at various worship services throughout the assembly. If you are selected, you will be asked to assist at only one service. Both lay people and clergy are needed for this job.
USHERS	are needed at various worship services throughout the assembly. If you are selected, you will be asked to assist at only one service. Both lay people and clergy are needed for this job.

Indicate your interests with an X in the space provided. Tear off this portion and return as soon as possible to "Assembly Volunteers," DE-MD Synod, 700 Light St., Baltimore, MD 21230-3850.

NAME:

CONGREGATION:

ADDRESS:

ZIP+4:

E-MAIL:

PHONE:

ASSEMBLY VOTING MEMBER? yes no

If asked, I would be willing to serve as:

Member, Elections

Member, Reference & Counsel

Communion Assistant

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Member, Memorials

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