



2025 DAKOTAS ANNUAL CONFERENCE

JUNE 5-8, 2025, MITCHELL, SD

Central Time Zone

Pre-Conference Webinars

Tue, May 27 @ 7 pm Webinar #1

Thu, May 29 @ 7 pm Webinar #2

Sun, June 1 @ 7 pm Webinar #3

Thursday - June 5, 2025

(at DWU Campus)

8:00 am Cabinet Meeting

9:30 am New Clergy Orientation

1:00-6:30 pm Registration Desk Open

1:00 pm CCYM Meeting
Archives & History

2:00 pm BOM Meeting
Higher Ground

3:00 pm Prior Year New Clergy

3:30 pm CCFA

4:00 pm Historical Society
Missional Links

4:30 pm First Time Attendee Orientation

5:00 pm Various Dinner Gatherings

6:00 pm Clergy Fellowship Gathering

6:30 pm Clergy Session – Part 1

8:00 pm Young Adult/ Clergy Gathering

Friday - June 6, 2025

(at DWU Campus)

7 am - 5 pm Registration Desk Open

8:30 am Opening Worship

9:15 am Plenary I

10:00 am BREAK

10:30 am Plenary II

11:45 pm LUNCH BUFFET with
Lunch-n-Learn options
Also: Extension Ministry Luncheon
Also: Clergy Spouse Luncheon

1:15 pm Plenary III – Episcopal Address

2:15 pm BREAK

2:45 pm Plenary IV - Theologian in Residence

4:30 pm Clergy Session Part 2

4:30 pm Laity Session

5:45 pm Evening Social
(Campus Party)

Saturday - June 7, 2025

(at DWU Campus)

8 am -5 pm Registration Desk Open

8:30 am Worship (Miracle Offering)

10:00 am BREAK

10:30 am Plenary V-Theologian in Residence

12:00 pm LUNCH BUFFET with
Lunch-n-Learn options
Also: Retiree Luncheon

1:45 pm Plenary VI – Historic Questions,
Retiree & Memorial Recognition

3:15 pm BREAK

3:45 pm Plenary VII

5:45 pm Dinner Recess on your own
Except: Ordinand/ Commissionee
Dinner

7:00 pm Plenary VIII

8:30 pm Adjourn for the day

Sunday - June 8, 2025

(at Mitchell Downtown First UMC)

10:00 am Celebration of Life in Ministry

Adjournment / Reception

Event Address: DAKOTA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY, 1200 W. University Ave. Mitchell, SD 57301 - 605-995-2600

Sunday Service: MITCHELL DOWNTOWN FIRST UMC, 310 N Rowley St. Mitchell, SD 57301 - 605-996-7721