



North Carolina Synod

Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

SYNOD BAND

The NC Synod Band is an opportunity to empower the leadership of youth and young adults as music leaders for synodical youth events. This team will:

- Provide music leadership during synodical youth events.
- Be primarily responsible for leading music at the LYO Assembly the last weekend in February and YouthQuake the first or second weekend in October.

Job Description for Team Members

- To engage in this work through the synod's core values: Jesus, Generosity, Relationship and Reconciliation.
- On years where there is an ELCA Youth Gathering, band members who are attending the event with their congregations are invited to lead music at the Gathering's Synod Day event for NC. The next Gathering is scheduled for July 16-20, 2024 in New Orleans, LA.
- To participate fully in rehearsals, events, and follow-up tasks outside of rehearsals.

Team Member Commitment

This team will meet to practice together at least twice a year, generally at YouthQuake and a Winter retreat with one overnight stay. Additionally, there will be music sent out for members to listen to and familiarize themselves with prior to practicing.

Members are selected annually through an application process. Terms generally last for 1 year. Members can apply for and serve consecutive terms.

Goals

For 2022-2023, the Synod Band will work to:

- Lead music at YouthQuake on October 1, 2022
- Lead music for the LYO Assembly on February 24-26, 2023

This team's work may conclude in consultation with the Bishop, synod staff liaison, and the Synod Band co-chairs.