
Synod Data Toolkit for 2022: Synod 1A - Alaska

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Trends for Synod 1A - Alaska

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Number of Organized Congregations	30	30	30	30	31	30	30	30
Baptized Membership	8,671	8,459	7,909	7,911	8,014	7,906	7,684	7,065
Members Received By:								
Baptism: Children	117	114	88	98	72	38	54	65
Baptism: Adults	19	11	3	11	6	7	6	5
Affirmation of Faith	68	85	55	49	106	12	20	76
Transfer	60	81	35	58	46	27	19	32
Other and Statistical Adjustment	62	22	33	14	117	2	4	8
Members Removed By:								
Death	63	62	46	45	70	40	51	50
Transfer	42	71	60	29	33	17	84	32
Other and Statistical Adjustment	283	389	425	156	217	171	285	456
Baptized Members Confirmed	74	69	81	77	52	15	40	14
Confirmed Members	5,918	5,739	5,457	5,729	5,681	5,795	5,866	5,327
Active Participants	6,001	6,717	6,651	5,402	5,425	4,666	3,900	3,501
Average Attendance	2,141	1,999	1,830	1,853	1,820	Not collected	Not collected	Not collected
Average Attendance - On-site						1,195	964	1,183
Average Attendance - Online						2,922	1,312	554
Racial/Ethnic Composition of Active Participants								
African American/Black	Omitted	Omitted	23	24	22	18	18	15
African National/African Caribbean	Omitted	Omitted	19	17	14	6	13	3
American Indian/Alaska Native	Omitted	Omitted	1,076	1,026	1,284	1,159	829	825
Arab/Middle Eastern	Omitted	Omitted	0	0	0	0	0	1
Asian/Pacific Islander	Omitted	Omitted	85	83	87	59	58	59
Multi-Racial/Multi-Ethnic	Omitted	Omitted	232	263	252	519	340	297
Other	Omitted	Omitted	2	54	Omitted	Omitted	Omitted	Omitted
Hispanic/Latino	Omitted	Omitted	25	20	22	29	22	16
White	Omitted	Omitted	5,149	3,915	3,711	2,876	2,620	2,285

Annual Congregation Report

Trends for Synod 1A - Alaska

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Regular Giving by Members	\$4,837,857	\$4,788,885	\$4,723,443	\$4,808,362	\$4,773,705	\$4,490,542	\$4,452,307	\$4,563,509
Designated Giving by Members	\$725,431	\$588,434	\$892,007	\$529,513	\$612,904	\$402,661	\$628,390	\$584,132
Earned Income (any source)	\$327,929	\$251,608	\$185,563	\$392,889	\$411,779	\$355,590	\$519,183	\$395,270
Grants & Partnership Support	\$238,021	\$176,426	\$149,067	\$250,124	\$199,019	\$693,761	\$283,102	\$271,537
Other Receipts	\$481,285	\$362,696	\$310,730	\$301,972	\$385,946	\$1,167,989	\$489,691	\$657,111
Total Receipts	\$6,610,523	\$6,168,049	\$6,260,810	\$6,282,860	\$6,383,353	\$7,110,543	\$6,372,673	\$6,471,559
	Omitted	\$3,452,023	\$3,206,303	\$2,838,750	\$2,658,789	\$2,746,934	\$2,451,725	\$2,090,048
Total Indebtedness								
Intended Mission Support	Omitted	\$360,212	\$842,984	\$388,519	\$505,178	\$617,341	\$655,621	\$371,519
Current Operating Expenses	\$4,993,539	\$5,108,487	\$4,984,337	\$5,036,092	\$4,965,606	\$5,028,860	\$4,955,327	\$4,942,716
Capital Improvements	\$424,337	\$194,633	\$107,592	\$227,253	\$83,109	\$79,859	\$392,384	\$848,165
Payments on Debt	\$370,912	\$383,721	\$416,102	\$416,379	\$386,921	\$429,205	\$350,754	\$388,147
Mission Support	\$397,117	\$348,086	\$402,866	\$373,759	\$376,695	\$365,091	\$356,299	\$362,713
as % of Total Disbursements	5.76	5.43	6.39	5.85	6.05	5.83	5.52	5.21
as % of Regular Giving	8.21	7.27	8.53	7.77	7.89	8.13	8.00	7.95
Other Benevolence sent directly:								
To the synod	\$93,174	\$75,820	\$50,686	\$58,776	\$51,448	\$49,407	\$70,687	\$95,771
To the churchwide organization	\$31,174	\$12,344	\$51,380	\$31,032	\$36,184	\$12,979	\$9,935	\$8,703
For activity in another country	\$23,481	\$34,568	\$19,973	\$19,156	\$9,854	\$4,368	\$5,651	\$18,710
To camps	\$2,690	\$8,544	\$3,171	\$12,634	\$8,341	\$7,710	\$1,901	\$1,174
To colleges	\$3,711	\$500	\$3,065	\$2,437	\$2,407	\$0	\$3,486	\$2,605
To seminaries	\$10,984	\$5,460	\$10,633	\$6,631	\$7,700	\$5,910	\$0	\$0
To social service organizations	\$40,808	\$70,819	\$79,950	\$68,008	\$62,316	\$67,381	\$89,381	\$74,900
To campus ministry	\$1,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,000	\$956	\$0
All other benevolence	\$84,669	\$63,773	\$37,222	\$31,697	\$44,391	\$151,388	\$52,344	\$70,580
Non-mission support benevolence	\$291,691	\$271,828	\$256,080	\$230,371	\$222,641	\$300,143	\$234,341	\$272,443
Other expenses	\$414,594	\$102,431	\$134,281	\$106,225	\$193,683	\$61,274	\$165,601	\$143,700
Sum of Disbursements	\$6,892,190	\$6,409,186	\$6,301,258	\$6,390,079	\$6,228,655	\$6,264,432	\$6,454,706	\$6,957,884

**Baptized Members,
Average Attendance,
and Active
Participants**

Baptized Members, Average Attendance (online and on-site), and Active Participants

CongID	Congregation Name	Synod	City	State	ZIP	Data Year	Baptized Members	Average Online Attendance	Average On-site Attendance	Active Participants
13031	Brevig Memorial Lutheran Church	1A	Brevig Mission (Teller)	AK	99785	2022	457	0	47	410
16014	Amazing Grace Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99516-1518	2022	466	50	67	366
16122	Good Shepherd Lutheran Church	1A	Wasilla	AK	99654-7109	2022	437	50	86	274
16326	Shepherd Of The Valley Lutheran Church	1A	Juneau	AK	99801	2022	191	20	55	252
13000	Christ Lutheran Church	1A	Soldotna	AK	99669	2022	251	62	52	200
12789	Central Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99501-5231	2022	429	11	81	195
30191	Alaska Native Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99501-5231	2022	200	0	30	150
13032	Teller Lutheran Church	1A	Teller	AK	99778	2020	187	0	12	150
12930	Petersburg Lutheran Church	1A	Petersburg	AK	99833	2022	250	0	50	140
16021	Lord Of Life Lutheran Church	1A	North Pole	AK	99705-7600	2022	114	9	28	119
07448	Christ Lutheran Church	1A	Fairbanks	AK	99709-6555	2022	218	31	47	118
16027	Thornton Memorial Lutheran Church	1A	Wales	AK	99783	2022	148	0	30	115
13003	Lutheran Church Of Hope	1A	Anchorage	AK	99517-3343	2022	90	10	32	114
04923	St Mark Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99508-4570	2022	336	45	62	92
12882	First Lutheran Church	1A	Ketchikan	AK	99901-6136	2022	218	6	45	88
12853	Fairbanks Lutheran Church	1A	Fairbanks	AK	99701-4310	2022	408	192	54	70

Baptized Members, Average Attendance (online and on-site), and Active Participants

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30001	Dillingham Trinity Lutheran Church	1A	Dillingham	AK	99576	2020	51	20	20	68
30195	River of Life ELCA Lutheran Church	1A	Chugiak	AK	99567-5601	2022	183	5	22	65
07411	Joy Lutheran Church	1A	Eagle River	AK	99577-7229	2022	284	4	70	65
04924	Resurrection Lutheran Church	1A	Juneau	AK	99801-1822	2017	101	0	0	65
16392	Trinity Lutheran Church	1A	Palmer	AK	99645-8876	2022	61	0	35	61
12990	Resurrection Lutheran Church	1A	Seward	AK	99664	2022	76	0	30	53
12790	Gloria Dei Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99502-5246	2022	134	7	40	47
07505	Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99515-3911	2022	328	5	40	45
07439	Epiphany Lutheran Church	1A	Valdez	AK	99686	2022	105	2	22	43
30568	Faith Lutheran Church	1A	Delta Junction	AK	99737	2022	26	12	22	39
12992	Shishmaref Lutheran Church	1A	Shishmaref	AK	99772	2022	608	0	40	30
04925	Sitka Lutheran Church	1A	Sitka	AK	99835-7542	2022	136	13	25	24
12914	Our Saviors Lutheran Church	1A	Nome	AK	99762	2022	530	0	25	22
16342	Island Of Faith Lutheran Church	1A	Wrangell	AK	99929	2022	42	0	14	21

Baptisms by Congregation

Baptisms

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13031	Brevig Memorial Lutheran Church	1A	Brevig Mission (Teller)	AK	99785	2022	17
16122	Good Shepherd Lutheran Church	1A	Wasilla	AK	99654-7109	2022	10
12992	Shishmaref Lutheran Church	1A	Shishmaref	AK	99772	2022	9
12853	Fairbanks Lutheran Church	1A	Fairbanks	AK	99701-4310	2022	7
12789	Central Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99501-5231	2022	6
12930	Petersburg Lutheran Church	1A	Petersburg	AK	99833	2022	4
13003	Lutheran Church Of Hope	1A	Anchorage	AK	99517-3343	2022	3
16014	Amazing Grace Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99516-1518	2022	3
12790	Gloria Dei Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99502-5246	2022	2
07448	Christ Lutheran Church	1A	Fairbanks	AK	99709-6555	2022	2
16326	Shepherd Of The Valley Lutheran Church	1A	Juneau	AK	99801	2022	2
16342	Island Of Faith Lutheran Church	1A	Wrangell	AK	99929	2022	2
30191	Alaska Native Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99501-5231	2022	1
07411	Joy Lutheran Church	1A	Eagle River	AK	99577-7229	2022	1
16392	Trinity Lutheran Church	1A	Palmer	AK	99645-8876	2022	1
04923	St Mark Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99508-4570	2022	0
07505	Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church	1A	Anchorage	AK	99515-3911	2022	0
30195	River of Life ELCA Lutheran Church	1A	Chugiak	AK	99567-5601	2022	0
30568	Faith Lutheran Church	1A	Delta Junction	AK	99737	2022	0
12882	First Lutheran Church	1A	Ketchikan	AK	99901-6136	2022	0
12914	Our Saviors Lutheran Church	1A	Nome	AK	99762	2022	0
16021	Lord Of Life Lutheran Church	1A	North Pole	AK	99705-7600	2022	0
12990	Resurrection Lutheran Church	1A	Seward	AK	99664	2022	0
04925	Sitka Lutheran Church	1A	Sitka	AK	99835-7542	2022	0
13000	Christ Lutheran Church	1A	Soldotna	AK	99669	2022	0

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07439	Epiphany Lutheran Church	1A	Valdez	AK	99686	2022	0
16027	Thornton Memorial Lutheran Church	1A	Wales	AK	99783	2022	0
30001	Dillingham Trinity Lutheran Church	1A	Dillingham	AK	99576	2020	0
13032	Teller Lutheran Church	1A	Teller	AK	99778	2020	0
04924	Resurrection Lutheran Church	1A	Juneau	AK	99801-1822	2017	0

Congregation Reports

**Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
Name and Address Summary Report as of December 31, 2022**

1A Alaska Synod, ELCA

Cong ID	Congregation Name	Lang Codes	Location Address	City, State	Ministers	Year Orgn	Bapt Mbrs	Conf Mbrs	Avg Atnd On-site	Avg Atnd Online
Conference: 01 Knik Cluster										
30195	River of Life ELCA	EN	21301 Voyles Blvd	Chugiak, AK		1994	183	93	22	5
07411	Joy	EN	10111 E Eagle River Loop Rd	Eagle River, AK	Sean C. Avery	1975	284	284	70	4
16392	Trinity	EN	10355 E Palmer Wasilla Hwy	Palmer, AK		1987	61	61	35	0
16122	Good Shepherd	EN	501 E Bogard Rd	Wasilla, AK	Richard A. Cavens	1979	437	190	86	50
Conference Totals:							965	628	213	59
Conference: 02 Southcentral Cluster										
16014	Amazing Grace	EN	10955 Elmore Rd	Anchorage, AK	Sandra C. Van Zyl Amanda K. Lindquist	1974	466	396	67	50
12789	Central	EN	1420 Cordova St	Anchorage, AK	John J. Hackler	1944	429	333	81	11
07505	Christ Our Savior	EN	1612 Oceanview Dr	Anchorage, AK	Anna E. Silco	1978	328	255	40	5
12790	Gloria Dei	EN	8427 Jewel Lake Rd	Anchorage, AK	Aaron M. Silco	1966	134	132	40	7
13003	Lutheran Church Of Hope	EN	1847 W Northern Lights Blvd	Anchorage, AK	Elizabeth E. Lowry	1957	90	68	32	10
04923	St Mark	EN	3230 Lake Otis Pkwy	Anchorage, AK	Carol A. George	1960	336	232	62	45
30001 *	Dillingham Trinity	EN	2020 Black Spruce Rd	Dillingham, AK		1988	51	38	20	20
12990	Resurrection	EN	400 3rd Ave	Seward, AK	Benjamin D. Bohart	1948	76	62	30	0
13000	Christ	EN	128 Soldotna Ave	Soldotna, AK	Meredith E. Harber	1963	251	251	52	62
Conference Totals:							2,161	1,767	424	210
Conference: 03 Interior Cluster										
30568	Faith	EN	266.5 Richardson Hwy	Delta Junction, AK	Richard I. Mauer	2002	26	26	22	12
07448	Christ	EN	1798 Iniakuk Ave	Fairbanks, AK	Dustin W. Lenz	1976	218	179	47	31
12853	Fairbanks	EN	1012 Cowles St	Fairbanks, AK	Oliver J. Bergh	1944	408	371	54	192
16021	Lord Of Life	EN	1005 Saint Nicholas Dr	North Pole, AK		1975	114	86	28	9
07439	Epiphany	EN	301 Pioneer St	Valdez, AK	Nicholas D. Schoob	1978	105	92	22	2
Conference Totals:							871	754	173	246
Conference: 04 Seward Peninsula Cluster										
30191	Alaska Native	IP EN	1420 Cordova St	Anchorage, AK	Lisa M. Hackler	1992	200	100	30	0
13031	Brevig Memorial	IP EN	#2 Port Clarence View	Brevig Mission (Teller), AK	Brian M. Crockett	1894	457	155	47	0
12914	Our Saviors	EN IP	507 Bering St	Nome, AK	Amanda D. Van Vliet-Snyder	1954	530	324	25	0
12992	Shishmaref	EN IP	1 Lagoon Dr	Shishmaref, AK		1930	608	608	40	0
13032 *	Teller	IP EN	Grantley Harbor Rd	Teller, AK	Brian M. Crockett	1950	187	84	12	0
16027	Thornton Memorial	EN IP	100 Church St	Wales, AK		1973	148	100	30	0
Conference Totals:							2,130	1,371	184	0

Code Key:

* = 2022 data not available as of report run date

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Conference: 05 Southeast Cluster										
04924 *	Resurrection	EN	740 W 10th St	Juneau, AK	Karen D. Perkins	1926	101	101	--	--
16326	Shepherd Of The Valley	EN	4212 Mendenhall Loop Rd	Juneau, AK	Tari K. Stage-Harvey	1985	191	178	55	20
12882	First	EN	1200 Tongass Ave	Ketchikan, AK		1925	218	149	45	6
12930	Petersburg	EN	406 Excel St	Petersburg, AK	Deborah A. Gelerter Timothy L. Bernard	1913	250	210	50	0
04925	Sitka	EN	224 Lincoln St	Sitka, AK	Sandra S. Rudd	1840	136	136	25	13
16342	Island Of Faith	EN	211 2nd St	Wrangell, AK	Suellen J. Bahleda	1987	42	33	14	0
Conference Totals:							938	807	189	39
Synod Totals:							7,065	5,327	1,183	554

Language Codes:

Amharic [AM]	Cantonese [CH]	French [FR]	Kiswahil [KI]	Mandarin [MA]	Slovak [SL]	Tamil [TM]
Anyuak [AN]	Creole [CL]	German [GE]	Korean [KO]	Norwegian [NO]	Spanish [SP]	Telugu [TE]
Arabic [AB]	Danish [DA]	Hmong [HM]	Lakotah [LK]	Nuer [NU]	Swahili [SA]	Thai [TH]
Batak [BA]	Dinka [DI]	Indonesian [ID]	Lao [LS]	Oromo [OR]	Swedish [SW]	Tigrinya [TG]
Burmese [BU]	English [EN]	Inupiat [IP]	Latvian [LA]	Portuguese [PR]	Tagalog [TA]	Ukrainian [UK]
Cambodian [CA]	Finnish [FI]	Japanese [JA]	Maban [MB]	Sign [SI]	Taiwanese [TI]	Vietnamese [VI]

**Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
Form A - Congregation Finances as of December 31, 2022**

1A Alaska Synod, ELCA

Cong ID	Congregation Name and City	Regular Giving	Total Receipts	Total Assets	Total Indebtedness	Current Operating Expenses	Mission Support	Non-Mission Support	Total Disbursements
Conference: 01 Knik Cluster									
30195	River of Life ELCA, Chugiak	63,936	355,951	1,544,197	226,024	149,214	3,112	700	929,372
07411	Joy, Eagle River	185,776	266,998	507,330	193,693	175,468	7,100	2,256	231,689
16392	Trinity, Palmer	122,642	122,642	0	0	233,094	0	0	233,094
16122	Good Shepherd, Wasilla	326,810	370,883	2,062,817	488,682	281,539	14,500	3,000	370,883
	Conference Totals	\$699,164	\$1,116,474	\$4,114,344	\$908,399	\$839,315	\$24,712	\$5,956	\$1,765,038
Conference: 02 Southcentral Cluster									
16014	Amazing Grace, Anchorage	432,243	495,535	0	67,226	415,148	45,000	17,000	495,490
12789	Central, Anchorage	450,997	473,520	2,115,383	0	413,569	45,768	31,295	490,632
07505	Christ Our Savior, Anchorage	104,562	134,601	362,718	212,238	86,735	5,400	15,307	129,993
12790	Gloria Dei, Anchorage	204,331	204,950	1,074,416	0	183,146	5,000	0	188,146
13003	Lutheran Church Of Hope, Anchorage	195,968	303,071	1,408,718	233,888	166,424	15,000	8,700	246,704
04923	St Mark, Anchorage	194,065	251,645	4,157,775	0	193,876	14,460	6,735	222,725
30001*	Dillingham Trinity, Dillingham	19,305	21,187	150,974	0	17,723	1,359	1,266	22,420
12990	Resurrection, Seward	90,350	108,604	0	0	109,199	9,300	0	118,499
13000	Christ, Soldotna	204,485	247,512	57,820	109,610	202,910	15,532	20,176	249,777
	Conference Totals	\$1,896,306	\$2,240,625	\$9,327,804	\$622,962	\$1,788,730	\$156,819	\$100,479	\$2,164,386
Conference: 03 Interior Cluster									
30568	Faith, Delta Junction	41,414	42,605	0	0	35,011	6,651	36,623	86,120
07448	Christ, Fairbanks	325,649	376,088	1,748,775	0	259,065	38,933	35,000	365,289
12853	Fairbanks, Fairbanks	362,621	413,123	3,185,902	500,745	229,872	20,000	20,400	421,511
16021	Lord Of Life, North Pole	115,663	126,714	1,902,138	0	94,718	11,272	2,050	108,040
07439	Epiphany, Valdez	81,369	88,728	990,747	0	119,905	5,000	500	125,405
	Conference Totals	\$926,716	\$1,047,258	\$7,827,562	\$500,745	\$738,571	\$81,856	\$94,573	\$1,106,365
Conference: 04 Seward Peninsula Cluster									
30191	Alaska Native, Anchorage	26,925	65,367	100,959	0	72,187	1,000	0	73,187
13031	Brevig Memorial, Brevig Mission (Teller)	12,218	180,440	1,044,000	0	75,932	8,000	5,000	88,932
12914	Our Saviors, Nome	40,506	109,736	1,852,458	0	77,000	5,600	1,974	85,824
12992	Shishmaref, Shishmaref	18,660	134,804	500,000	0	105,389	0	0	132,299
13032*	Teller, Teller	5,000	29,825	9,450	0	19,450	4,000	2,000	25,450
16027	Thornton Memorial, Wales	1	14,501	119,249	0	6,800	3,000	0	9,800
	Conference Totals	\$103,310	\$534,673	\$3,626,116	\$0	\$356,758	\$21,600	\$8,974	\$415,492
Conference: 05 Southeast Cluster									
04924*	Resurrection, Juneau	208,083	251,817	0	0	182,989	22,843	19,403	225,235

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1A Alaska Synod, ELCA

Cong ID	Congregation Name and City	Regular Giving	Total Receipts	Total Assets	Total Indebtedness	Current Operating Expenses	Mission Support	Non-Mission Support	Total Disbursements
16326	Shepherd Of The Valley, Juneau	167,420	290,163	2,000,000	0	185,102	17,100	5,981	348,589
12882	First, Ketchikan	203,589	586,312	2,303,571	57,942	449,757	0	7,931	464,356
12930	Petersburg, Petersburg	197,406	211,317	5,721,948	0	217,224	19,751	26,295	263,270
04925	Sitka, Sitka	115,174	144,140	1,417,666	0	130,717	13,424	0	144,141
16342	Island Of Faith, Wrangell	46,341	48,780	269,919	0	53,553	4,608	2,851	61,012
	Conference Totals	\$938,013	\$1,532,529	\$11,713,104	\$57,942	\$1,219,342	\$77,726	\$62,461	\$1,506,603
	Synod Totals	\$4,563,509	\$6,471,559	\$36,608,930	\$2,090,048	\$4,942,716	\$362,713	\$272,443	\$6,957,884

1A Alaska Synod, ELCA

Summary of Membership Statistics Totals -- End of Year	2021	2022	Change	Percent
Congregations	31	30	-1	-3.23
Congregations - Organized	30	30	0	0.00
Congregations - Under Development	1	0	-1	-100.00
Congregations - Filed Form A	26	27	1	3.85
Baptized Members	7,684	7,065	-619	-8.06
Average Baptized Members per Congregation	256	236	-21	-8.06
Confirmed Members	5,866	5,327	-539	-9.19
Average Confirmed Members per Congregation	196	178	-18	-9.19

Analysis of Membership Gains and Losses

Baptized Members -- Received

By Baptism - Children Under Age 16	54	65	11	20.37
By Baptism - Adults Age 16 and Older	6	5	-1	-16.67
By Affirmation of Faith	20	76	56	280.00
By Transfer	19	32	13	68.42
From Other Sources and Stat Adjs	4	8	4	100.00
Baptized Members -- Total Received	103	186	83	80.58

Baptized Members -- Removed

By Death	51	50	-1	-1.96
By Transfer	84	32	-52	-61.90
For Other Reasons and Stat Adjs	285	456	171	60.00
Baptized Members -- Total Removed	420	538	118	28.10

Baptized Members Confirmed	40	14	-26	-65.00
Active Participants	3,900	3,501	-399	-10.23

Analysis of Attendance	2021	2022
Avg. # wks congregations worshipped (on-site)	32	44
Avg. # wks congregations worshipped (online)	32	30
Total avg. weekly worship attendance (on-site)	964	1,183
Total avg. weekly worship attendance (online)	1,312	554
Avg. att. per congregation (on-site)	32	40
Avg. att. per congregation (online)	57	29
Average att. as a percentage of baptized membership (on-site)	12.55	16.74
Average att. as a percentage of baptized membership (online)	17.07	7.84

Vitality - Congregation Description (Averages)

Range: *Hardly at All (1) - Very Well (5)*

Excitement About the Future	3.97
Positive Force in the Community	4.28
Ready to Try Something New	3.59

Vitality - Congregation Strengths (Averages)

Range: *Poor (1) - Great (5)*

Seeking/Using Member Gifts	3.48
Live Out Faith in Their Daily Lives	3.59

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Summary of Financial Statistics	2021	2022	Change	Percent	Statistical Analysis	
Totals -- End of Year					Averages per Congregation Reporting	
Total Receipts	6,372,673	6,471,559	98,886	1.55	Total Receipts (/30)	215,718.63
Total Disbursements	6,454,706	6,957,884	503,178	7.80	Total Disburse (/30)	231,929.47
Total Indebtedness on Dec 31	2,451,725	2,090,048	-361,677	-14.75	Total Indebtedness (/9)	232,227.56
Projected Mission Support	655,621	371,519	-284,102	-43.33		
Average Total Giving / Bapt Member	661.20	728.61	67.41	10.20	Percent Congs With No Debt	70.00
Average Total Giving / Conf Member	866.13	966.33	100.20	11.57		
Detail of Financial Statistics - Receipts						
Regular Giving	4,452,307	4,563,509	111,202	2.50		
Designated Giving	628,390	584,132	-44,258	-7.04		
Earned Income (any source)	519,183	395,270	-123,913	-23.87		
Grants (any source)	283,102	271,537	-11,565	-4.09		
All Other Receipts	489,691	657,111	167,420	34.19		
Detail of Financial Statistics - Disbursements					Percent of Total Disbursements	
Current Operating Expenses	4,955,327	4,942,716	-12,611	-0.25	Current Operating Expenses	71.04
Capital Improvements	392,384	848,165	455,781	116.16	Capital Improvements	12.19
Payments on Debts	350,754	388,147	37,393	10.66	Payments on Debts	5.58
Mission Support	356,299	362,713	6,414	1.80	Mission Support	5.21
Other Synod Benevolence	70,687	95,771	25,084	35.49	Other Synod Benevolence	1.38
Other CWO Benevolence	9,935	8,703	-1,232	-12.40	Other CWO Benevolence	0.13
Benevolence - Another Country	5,651	18,710	13,059	231.09	Benevolence - Another Country	0.27
Benevolence - Camps	1,901	1,174	-727	-38.24	Benevolence - Camps	0.02
Benevolence - Campus Ministry	956	0	-956	-100.00	Benevolence - Campus Ministry	0.00
Benevolence - Colleges	3,486	2,605	-881	-25.27	Benevolence - Colleges	0.04
Benevolence - Seminaries	0	0	0	----	Benevolence - Seminaries	0.00
Benevolence - Social Service	89,381	74,900	-14,481	-16.20	Benevolence - Social Service	1.08
Benevolence - Direct Recipient	52,344	70,580	18,236	34.84	Benevolence - Direct Recipient	1.01
Subtotal Non-Mission Supt Benev	234,341	272,443	38,102	16.26	Subtotal Non-Mission Supt Benev	3.92
Other Expenses & Realized Losses	165,601	143,700	-21,901	-13.23	Other Expenses & Realized Losses	2.07

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Congregations Reporting Ethnic Active Participants					Percent of Congregations Reporting Ethnic Active Participants
	2021	2022	Change	Percent	
African American/Black	9	8	-1	-11.11	African American/Black 26.67
African National/African Caribbean	2	1	-1	-50.00	African National/African Caribbean 3.33
American Indian/Alaska Native	24	21	-3	-12.50	American Indian/Alaska Native 70.00
Arab/Middle Eastern	0	1	1	----	Arab/Middle Eastern 3.33
Asian/Pacific Islander	11	10	-1	-9.09	Asian/Pacific Islander 33.33
Latino/Hispanic	9	8	-1	-11.11	Latino/Hispanic 26.67
Multiracial	14	13	-1	-7.14	Multiracial 43.33
White	30	29	-1	-3.33	White 96.67

Total Ethnic Active Participants					Percent Ethnic Active Participants
	2021	2022	Change	Percent	
African American/Black	18	15	-3	-16.67	African American/Black 0.43
African National/African Caribbean	13	3	-10	-76.92	African National/African Caribbean 0.09
American Indian/Alaska Native	829	825	-4	-0.48	American Indian/Alaska Native 23.56
Arab/Middle Eastern	0	1	1	----	Arab/Middle Eastern 0.03
Asian/Pacific Islander	58	59	1	1.72	Asian/Pacific Islander 1.69
Latino/Hispanic	22	16	-6	-27.27	Latino/Hispanic 0.46
Multiracial	340	297	-43	-12.65	Multiracial 8.48
White	2,620	2,285	-335	-12.79	White 65.27

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	Yes	No	No Resp	Students
C30 - Educational Ministry				
Did this congregation have Christian education on-site	22	5	1	
Was Christian education offered online	8	7	13	
Total number of students				686
Did this congregation have vacation Bible school on-site	9	17	2	
Was vacation Bible school offered online	0	13	15	
Total number of students				325

	Definitely untrue	Hardly true	Somewhat true	Mostly true	Definitely true	Unsure	No response
C33 - As part of the worship service, this congregation provides written or verbal instructions to help visitors fully participate.	0	1	1	8	17	0	1
C34 - Someone in this congregation follows up with first-time visitors within one week.	1	8	6	5	6	1	1
C35 - Visitors who worship in this congregation typically attend more than once.	0	2	7	9	7	2	1
C36 - In the past year, this congregation has discussed how to remain active in the local community.	0	0	3	7	17	0	1
C37 - In the past year, this congregation has implemented strategies for engaging new people.	1	3	12	8	3	0	1
C38 - This congregation displays a public statement of inclusion (in the bulletin, banner and/or website).	3	5	5	4	8	2	1
C42 - In the past year, online worship has been an effective way to engage new people in the life of this congregation.	5	2	6	4	6	4	1

C39 - Website contains current information

Yes	20
No	3
No website	4
No response to any	1

C40 - Social media profile contains current information

Yes	22
No	2
No social media profile	3
No response to any	1

C43 - Familiarity with effort to "activate each of us, so more people know the way of Jesus and discover community, justice and love."

Not at all	15
Slightly	7
Moderately	5
Extremely	0
No response to any	1

	2022	2023 (proj.)
C41 - How often did this congregation offer online worship (live or posted)?		
Never	6	7
Less than once a month	2	1
Once a month	0	0
Several times a month	1	1
Every week	18	18
No response	1	1

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C31 Languages in which Liturgies are Regularly Conducted

Amharic	Estonian	Lao	Swahili
Anyuak	Finnish	Latvian	Swedish
Arabic	French	Maban	Tagalog
Batak	German	Mandarin	Taiwanese
Burmese	Haitian	Navajo	Tamil
Cambodian	Hmong	Norwegian	Telugu
Cantonese	Hungarian	Nuer	Thai
Cherokee	Indonesian	Oromo	Tigrinya
Creole	Inupiat 5	Paiute	Ukrainian
Czech	Japanese	Portuguese	Urdu
Danish	Kiswahili	Sign	Vietnamese
Dinka	Korean	Slovak	
English 28	Lakotah	Spanish	

C32 - Disability Assistance Provided

Wheelchair Accessibility	21
Braille Worship Materials	0
Large Print Worship Materials	21
Assistive Hearing Devices	11
Sign Language Interpreters	2
Mental Health Ministries	5
Ministry with People with Developmental Disabilities	2
Specialized Faith Formation for Children or Adults (ADHD, autism, dyslexia, etc.)	0
No Response to Any	2

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Last Year Filed	Cong ID	Cong Status	Baptized Members	Congregation Name	City, State	Minister	Phone
2017	04924	Org	101	Resurrection	Juneau, AK	Karen D. Perkins	(907)586-2380
2020	13032	Org	187	Teller	Teller, AK	Brian M. Crockett	(907)642-3500
2020	30001	Org	51	Dillingham Trinity	Dillingham, AK		(907)842-2404

Synod Total: 3 Congregation(s)