

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN DEAF ASSOCIATION



Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
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[The Evangelical Lutheran Deaf Association](#) is comprised of member Deaf churches, Deaf ministries and individuals within the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA).

Prior to the year 2000, it was clear that a nationwide organization was needed that could provide support, education and information sharing among the churches and ministry services within the ELCA. ELDA was formed. To help accomplish this, a new position was needed within the ELCA to coordinate and help strengthen the churches and ministries serving the Deaf and hard of hearing in the United States. A resolution was created and passed, see below. The churches began meeting at conferences every two years, a newsletter was created to keep the churches networked and communicating with each other, and now, ELDA is on the Web!

ELDA is also on Facebook.

Information about [ELDA conferences](#) is available

ELDA's newsletters are [online](#)