

## 2026 Dates to Note

Date	Event
January 10	Wardens, Treasurers, Clergy Workshop 2.0 – Governance
January 13	Synod Council (Other Dates: Mar 10, Apr 14, May 19, Jun 16, Sep 22, Oct 20, Dec 8)
January 15	Clergy and Licensed Lay Workers Day (Zoom – 10:00am-12:30pm)
January 18	A Thanksgiving for Ministry with a Collation of Archdeacon and Installation of Canons
February 8-11	Bishop's Spiritual Retreat (Lutheran & Anglican Clergy)
February 12	Safe Church Training – new clergy, licensed lay workers, ordinands to diocese
February 18	<i>Ash Wednesday</i>
February 22	Freedom Sunday
March 15-18	YLTP – Youth Leadership Training Program
March 31	Online Parish Reporting Deadline
March 31	Holy Tuesday Renewal of Vows (10:30am)
April 3	<i>Good Friday</i>
April 5	<i>Easter Sunday</i>
April 19	Climate Justice Sunday (Earth Day - April 22)
April 20-24	National House of Bishops
April 28	College of Deacons Service and Dinner with Bishop Susan
May 2	Wardens, Treasurers, Clergy Workshop
May 7	Safe Church Training Refresher for clergy and licensed lay workers (1-5pm)
May 15	Deadline for Order of Niagara Nominees
May 24	Ordination to the Diaconate & Priesthood / <i>Pentecost</i>
May 28	Bishop's Company Dinner
June 1-3	Clergy and Licensed Lay Workers Retreat
June 7	Fiercely Loved – Pride Mass
June 21	National Indigenous Day of Prayer
July 28	Emancipation Sunday
September 1	Feast of the Creator
September 19	Wardens, Treasurers, Clergy Workshop 2.0 – Human Resources
September 29 at 1pm	Online Pre-Synod Meeting
September 30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
October 1 at 7pm	Online Pre-Synod Meeting
October 3	Safe Church Training for lay volunteers
October 5-9	House of Bishops
October 17	Wardens, Treasurers, Clergy Workshop 2.0 – Finance
October 18	Confirmation – All Regions
November 4	Diocesan Synod Youth Orientation
November 7	Diocesan Synod (in-person)
October 25 <b>NEW</b>	Order of Niagara – Brock, Lincoln, and Hamilton-Haldimand ( <i>previously: November 15</i> )
November 22	Order of Niagara – Greater Wellington & Trafalgar
November TBD	Cursillo Weekend
November 24	Pre-Advent Clergy & Licensed Lay Workers Day (in-person)
December 1 by 5pm	Missional Innovation Grants Deadline
December 23-Jan 1	Diocesan Office closed for Christmas Holiday; office reopens January 4