

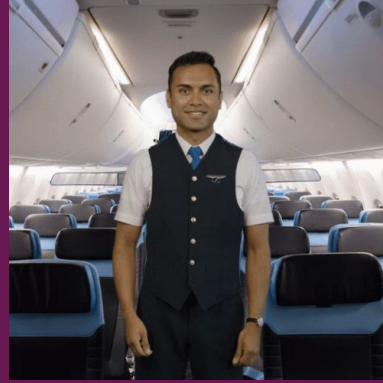
WELCOME
Adult Leaders



10 Important Things We Learned in New Orleans!



Yay for Flying!



- At past Gatherings, about 25% of participants arrived by airplane; 75% arrived by bus
- This year, about 75% will fly in; 25% will arrive by bus
- Because of this shift, the Gathering will provided buses to/from hotels (cost covered by your Synod Journey fee)

Synod Journey Steamboat Lunch & Tour On Tuesday



OUR HOTEL

- Astor Crowne Plaza
 - Great Location!
 - French Quarter
- Between Convention Center and Dome (stop and rest each afternoon...)
- Across the street from Community Life Hotels
- Walgreens across the street



Accompaniment Day

- Night Before: Text from Servant Companion
- Text will confirm Launch Site and Time
- When you arrive, hear the Good News of what you'll be doing this morning!
- Debrief/Wrap Up at the Convention Center
- All projects will end by 1:00 so you have time to eat lunch

A background image of a crowd of people at a festival, with a strong yellow overlay. In the foreground, a person's hands are raised, forming a heart shape. Other people in the crowd are also visible, some with their hands raised.

Volunteers

**Be Kind and say Thank You to all the volunteers
who will make this experience possible...**

Mandatory Adult Leader Online Training

Opens May 1

No training – No wristbands

Wristband Info Line

There is a team of people (nurses, chaplains, and more) ready to help you, as needed, just call the info line

Wristband Replacement:

(if lost, broken, etc...)

\$525

Stadium Bag Policy

We are looking
into the
possibility to
provide *both*
Synod Journey
T-shirts *and*
Synod Journey
Clear Bags
(Yay!)



approved bags are:

clear, plastic, vinyl or PVC
and does not exceed:
12" x 6" x 12" or
30.5 x 15.25 x 30.5 cm

small clutch purse (non-clear)
that does not exceed 4.5" x 6.5"

*The Clear Bag Policy will be implemented at
Ernest N. Morial Convention Center and Caesars Superdome.*



QUESTIONS?

What's Next?

- February 15: \$400 payment (per person) to Synod Office is Due
- April 7: Group Building Opportunity (Locally)
- April 30: Payment due online to the Gathering
- May 1: Mandatory Gathering Adult Leader Training Opens Online
- May 15: Final Payment to Synod Office Due
- May TBD: Adult Leader Zoom Meeting: Final Itinerary
- June 15: Required Training Deadline
- July 14: Synod Journey Begins!

GO IN PEACE!

