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# Synod Data Toolkit for 2022: Synod 8H – West Virginia-Western Maryland

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# Annual Congregation Report

## Trends for Synod 8H – West Virginia-Western Maryland

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
<b>Number of Organized Congregations</b>	60	60	60	59	59	59	59	58
<b>Baptized Membership</b>	11,072	10,550	10,378	9,996	10,119	9,501	9,445	8,589
<b>Members Received By:</b>								
Baptism: Children	85	77	78	81	79	47	48	42
Baptism: Adults	21	21	12	13	16	10	5	8
Affirmation of Faith	96	83	86	83	86	33	47	50
Transfer	116	68	72	95	58	51	57	81
Other and Statistical Adjustment	5	4	1	16	13	3	9	11
<b>Members Removed By:</b>								
Death	119	138	139	119	122	134	114	117
Transfer	60	84	61	28	86	31	38	35
Other and Statistical Adjustment	437	745	571	626	135	579	57	351
<b>Baptized Members Confirmed</b>	41	36	40	40	33	18	23	27
<b>Confirmed Members</b>	8,464	8,360	8,129	8,016	8,057	7,287	7,642	6,963
<b>Active Participants</b>	5,082	4,674	4,648	4,481	4,788	4,299	4,037	3,727
<b>Average Attendance</b>	2,690	2,629	2,460	2,390	2,392	Not collected	Not collected	Not collected
<b>Average Attendance - On-site</b>						1,051	942	1,108
<b>Average Attendance - Online</b>						1,652	949	664
<b>Racial/Ethnic Composition of Active Participants</b>								
African American/Black	Omitted	Omitted	20	21	20	29	22	22
African National/African Caribbean	Omitted	Omitted	2	3	2	1	1	1
American Indian/Alaska Native	Omitted	Omitted	2	2	1	1	1	1
Arab/Middle Eastern	Omitted	Omitted	0	0	0	0	1	0
Asian/Pacific Islander	Omitted	Omitted	9	10	16	15	6	6
Multi-Racial/Multi-Ethnic	Omitted	Omitted	24	27	33	43	26	26
Other	Omitted	Omitted	4	4	Omitted	Omitted	Omitted	Omitted
Hispanic/Latino	Omitted	Omitted	7	13	8	6	5	6
White	Omitted	Omitted	3,834	4,328	4,611	4,189	3,960	3,650

# Annual Congregation Report

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	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
<b>Regular Giving by Members</b>	\$4,426,874	\$4,397,221	\$4,316,484	\$4,445,949	\$4,828,496	\$4,448,424	\$4,629,250	\$4,485,201
<b>Designated Giving by Members</b>	\$531,634	\$522,623	\$484,982	\$459,438	\$420,474	\$817,564	\$612,330	\$503,160
<b>Earned Income (any source)</b>	\$1,571,625	\$890,100	\$1,379,775	\$677,964	\$588,991	\$480,964	\$670,093	\$445,420
<b>Grants &amp; Partnership Support</b>	\$68,325	\$63,590	\$50,376	\$36,280	\$151,836	\$162,454	\$147,582	\$145,710
<b>Other Receipts</b>	\$660,686	\$485,672	\$457,620	\$593,633	\$309,582	\$482,490	\$267,294	\$427,694
<b>Total Receipts</b>	\$7,259,144	\$6,359,206	\$6,689,237	\$6,213,264	\$6,299,379	\$6,391,896	\$6,326,549	\$6,007,185
<b>Total Indebtedness</b>	Omitted	\$395,453	\$187,765	\$129,384	\$83,097	\$31,158	\$12,757	\$14,926
<b>Intended Mission Support</b>	Omitted	\$413,060	\$406,169	\$416,384	\$412,387	\$370,242	\$394,306	\$391,888
<b>Current Operating Expenses</b>	\$5,099,644	\$4,984,607	\$4,895,561	\$4,955,117	\$5,209,218	\$4,918,194	\$4,864,349	\$4,811,087
<b>Capital Improvements</b>	\$461,217	\$633,444	\$578,990	\$616,577	\$935,187	\$869,997	\$533,613	\$528,926
<b>Payments on Debt</b>	\$38,889	\$35,912	\$68,891	\$63,330	\$70,509	\$64,936	\$21,954	\$10,930
<b>Mission Support</b>	\$448,063	\$449,838	\$422,383	\$407,894	\$432,519	\$407,812	\$400,171	\$410,290
as % of Total Disbursements	6.98	6.99	6.57	6.46	6.24	6.25	6.47	6.68
as % of Regular Giving	10.12	10.23	9.79	9.17	8.96	9.17	8.64	9.15
<b>Other Benevolence sent directly:</b>								
To the synod	\$77,849	\$50,268	\$201,173	\$53,835	\$57,509	\$32,901	\$93,896	\$84,807
To the churchwide organization	\$11,422	\$9,500	\$15,973	\$7,010	\$7,928	\$14,049	\$8,850	\$23,941
For activity in another country	\$12,485	\$17,315	\$14,654	\$5,001	\$9,269	\$5,252	\$4,598	\$12,939
To camps	\$13,444	\$22,911	\$32,059	\$11,258	\$10,549	\$11,296	\$8,445	\$12,594
To colleges	\$25,100	\$0	\$90	\$0	\$0	\$100	\$0	\$210
To seminaries	\$9,500	\$3,400	\$3,050	\$1,000	\$520	\$2,200	\$2,128	\$3,128
To social service organizations	\$50,042	\$32,158	\$43,500	\$46,345	\$63,811	\$86,754	\$89,557	\$51,440
To campus ministry	\$3,108	\$6,378	\$7,772	\$7,205	\$5,144	\$12,135	\$14,187	\$13,385
All other benevolence	\$117,185	\$123,951	\$110,687	\$102,934	\$108,407	\$87,786	\$130,874	\$94,057
<b>Non-mission support benevolence</b>	\$320,135	\$265,881	\$428,958	\$234,588	\$263,137	\$252,473	\$352,535	\$296,501
<b>Other expenses</b>	\$46,864	\$64,523	\$33,848	\$33,939	\$16,833	\$9,148	\$12,771	\$84,899
<b>Sum of Disbursements</b>	\$6,414,812	\$6,434,205	\$6,428,631	\$6,311,445	\$6,927,403	\$6,522,560	\$6,185,393	\$6,142,633

# **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
10552	St Mark Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	824	25	59	342
06604	Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church	8H	Charleston	WV	25311	2009	402	0	0	275
06609	First Lutheran Church	8H	Parkersburg	WV	26101	2012	694	0	0	267
06632	St Mark Lutheran Church	8H	Clarksburg	WV	26301	2021	284	10	55	200
06035	St John Lutheran Church	8H	Martinsburg	WV	25401	2022	356	29	39	188
06635	Grace Lutheran Church	8H	Fairmont	WV	26554	2021	187	35	60	170
06640	St Paul Lutheran Church	8H	Morgantown	WV	26505	2022	216	14	48	123
06038	St Peter's Lutheran Church	8H	Shepherdstown	WV	25443	2022	349	100	40	115
06606	St Paul Lutheran Church	8H	Huntington	WV	25701	2022	343	70	55	110
31157	Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	222	3	54	110
10366	Faith Lutheran Church	8H	Franklin	WV	26807	2021	141	35	22	108
10492	Zion Lutheran Church	8H	Baker	WV	26801	2009	249	0	0	99
06627	St Mark Lutheran Church	8H	Oakland	MD	21550	2022	257	5	58	97
06607	St Paul Lutheran Church	8H	New Haven	WV	25265	2022	109	45	24	76
06030	St John Lutheran Church	8H	Harpers Ferry	WV	25425	2017	105	0	0	75
13210	Christ the King Lutheran Church	8H	Huntington	WV	25705	2020	107	14	28	74



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06623	Emmanuel Lutheran Church	8H	Bittinger	MD	21522	2022	157	0	27	71
10422	St John Lutheran Church	8H	Moyers	WV	26815	2021	94	0	26	67
06638	Trinity Lutheran Church	8H	Keyser	WV	26726	2019	89	0	0	65
06626	St John Lutheran Church	8H	Red House	MD	21550	2022	299	2	23	60
06037	St James Lutheran Church	8H	Shenandoah Junction	WV	25442	2022	87	0	22	50
06612	Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	277	20	35	50
06619	Messiah Lutheran Church	8H	Moundsville	WV	26041	2022	47	20	15	47
10419	New Hope Lutheran Church	8H	Minnehaha Springs	WV	24954	2021	53	19	19	46
06618	Christ Lutheran Church	8H	Vienna	WV	26105	2022	103	20	27	45
10533	Mount Hope Lutheran Church	8H	Upper Tract	WV	26866	2020	48	20	20	45
06023	Trinity Lutheran Church	8H	Martinsburg	WV	25403	2022	60	6	26	43
06026	St Thomas Lutheran Church	8H	Charles Town	WV	25414	2022	73	24	32	40
16003	Calvary Lutheran Church	8H	Brandywine	WV	26802	2021	44	40	12	38
06110	Fairview Lutheran Church	8H	Gore	VA	22637	2013	40	0	0	37
06600	St Luke Lutheran Church	8H	Beckley	WV	25801	2022	47	8	20	35
06633	St John Lutheran Church	8H	Davis	WV	26260	2022	62	50	21	35

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06104	Ebenezer Lutheran Church	8H	Rio	WV	26755	2013	57	0	0	34
06637	Church of the Covenant Lutheran Church	8H	Grafton	WV	26354	2022	52	5	32	32
06629	Mount Calvary Lutheran Church	8H	Westernport	MD	21562	2019	203	0	0	31
06639	St Johannes Lutheran Church	8H	New Milton	WV	26411	2022	56	0	15	30
06628	St John's Of Meadow Mountain Lutheran Church	8H	Swanton	MD	21561	2022	43	0	15	29
06625	Zion Lutheran Church	8H	Jennings	MD	21536	2019	109	0	0	29
30546	Cross of Grace Lutheran Church	8H	Hurricane	WV	25526	2021	35	20	15	28
06631	St Paul Lutheran Church	8H	Aurora	WV	26705	2022	177	4	21	26
10463	Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church	8H	Petersburg	WV	26847	2022	71	0	21	25
06615	Trinity Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	55	0	25	25
10546	Trinity Lutheran Church	8H	Weirton	WV	26062	2011	178	0	0	25
06634	Holy Trinity Lutheran Church	8H	Elkins	WV	26241	2022	55	0	13	24
06106	St Peter Lutheran Church	8H	Wardensville	WV	26851	2013	28	0	0	23
30659	Shepherd Of The Hills Lutheran Church	8H	McHenry	MD	21541	2022	45	13	9	20
06608	Good Shepherd Lutheran Church	8H	New Martinsville	WV	26155	2022	46	0	13	20
06614	First English Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	57	0	20	20

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02573	Holy Trinity Memorial Evangelical Lutheran Church	8H	Sharpsburg	MD	21782	2019	275	0	0	17
06105	Hebron Lutheran Church	8H	Yellow Spring	WV	26851	2013	22	0	0	17
06601	Our Saviour Lutheran Church	8H	Ravenswood	WV	26164	2016	21	0	0	15
06621	St John's Lutheran Church	8H	Accident	MD	21520	2022	59	8	6	13
10551	St James Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	345	0	14	12
06610	St Peter Lutheran Church	8H	Point Pleasant	WV	25550	2022	15	0	9	9
06622	St Paul's Lutheran Church	8H	Accident	MD	21520	2022	93	0	7	7
10462	Mount Olive Lutheran Church	8H	Moorefield	WV	26836	2010	8	0	0	6
06624	Grace Lutheran Church	8H	Friendsville	MD	21531	2022	44	0	6	5
06602	St Mark Lutheran Church	8H	Letart	WV	25253	2012	15	0	0	2

# Baptisms by Congregation



## Baptisms

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06604	Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church	8H	Charleston	WV	25311	2009	8
06640	St Paul Lutheran Church	8H	Morgantown	WV	26505	2022	4
06632	St Mark Lutheran Church	8H	Clarksburg	WV	26301	2021	4
06037	St James Lutheran Church	8H	Shenandoah Junction	WV	25442	2022	3
31157	Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	3
06601	Our Saviour Lutheran Church	8H	Ravenswood	WV	26164	2016	3
06609	First Lutheran Church	8H	Parkersburg	WV	26101	2012	3
10492	Zion Lutheran Church	8H	Baker	WV	26801	2009	3
06624	Grace Lutheran Church	8H	Friendsville	MD	21531	2022	2
06023	Trinity Lutheran Church	8H	Martinsburg	WV	25403	2022	2
06627	St Mark Lutheran Church	8H	Oakland	MD	21550	2022	2
06612	Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	2
10552	St Mark Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	2
06635	Grace Lutheran Church	8H	Fairmont	WV	26554	2021	2
06030	St John Lutheran Church	8H	Harpers Ferry	WV	25425	2017	2
06623	Emmanuel Lutheran Church	8H	Bittinger	MD	21522	2022	1
06035	St John Lutheran Church	8H	Martinsburg	WV	25401	2022	1
06038	St Peter's Lutheran Church	8H	Shepherdstown	WV	25443	2022	1
06625	Zion Lutheran Church	8H	Jennings	MD	21536	2019	1
06638	Trinity Lutheran Church	8H	Keyser	WV	26726	2019	1
06628	St John's Of Meadow Mountain Lutheran Church	8H	Swanton	MD	21561	2022	0
06621	St John's Lutheran Church	8H	Accident	MD	21520	2022	0
06622	St Paul's Lutheran Church	8H	Accident	MD	21520	2022	0
06631	St Paul Lutheran Church	8H	Aurora	WV	26705	2022	0
06600	St Luke Lutheran Church	8H	Beckley	WV	25801	2022	0

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06026	St Thomas Lutheran Church	8H	Charles Town	WV	25414	2022	0
06633	St John Lutheran Church	8H	Davis	WV	26260	2022	0
06634	Holy Trinity Lutheran Church	8H	Elkins	WV	26241	2022	0
06637	Church of the Covenant Lutheran Church	8H	Grafton	WV	26354	2022	0
06606	St Paul Lutheran Church	8H	Huntington	WV	25701	2022	0
30659	Shepherd Of The Hills Lutheran Church	8H	McHenry	MD	21541	2022	0
06619	Messiah Lutheran Church	8H	Moundsville	WV	26041	2022	0
06607	St Paul Lutheran Church	8H	New Haven	WV	25265	2022	0
06608	Good Shepherd Lutheran Church	8H	New Martinsville	WV	26155	2022	0
06639	St Johannes Lutheran Church	8H	New Milton	WV	26411	2022	0
10463	Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church	8H	Petersburg	WV	26847	2022	0
06610	St Peter Lutheran Church	8H	Point Pleasant	WV	25550	2022	0
06626	St John Lutheran Church	8H	Red House	MD	21550	2022	0
06618	Christ Lutheran Church	8H	Vienna	WV	26105	2022	0
06614	First English Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	0
06615	Trinity Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	0
10551	St James Lutheran Church	8H	Wheeling	WV	26003	2022	0
16003	Calvary Lutheran Church	8H	Brandywine	WV	26802	2021	0
10366	Faith Lutheran Church	8H	Franklin	WV	26807	2021	0
30546	Cross of Grace Lutheran Church	8H	Hurricane	WV	25526	2021	0
10419	New Hope Lutheran Church	8H	Minnehaha Springs	WV	24954	2021	0
10422	St John Lutheran Church	8H	Moyers	WV	26815	2021	0
13210	Christ the King Lutheran Church	8H	Huntington	WV	25705	2020	0
10533	Mount Hope Lutheran Church	8H	Upper Tract	WV	26866	2020	0
02573	Holy Trinity Memorial Evangelical Lutheran Church	8H	Sharpsburg	MD	21782	2019	0

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06629	Mount Calvary Lutheran Church	8H	Westernport	MD	21562	2019	0
06110	Fairview Lutheran Church	8H	Gore	VA	22637	2013	0
06104	Ebenezer Lutheran Church	8H	Rio	WV	26755	2013	0
06106	St Peter Lutheran Church	8H	Wardensville	WV	26851	2013	0
06105	Hebron Lutheran Church	8H	Yellow Spring	WV	26851	2013	0
06602	St Mark Lutheran Church	8H	Letart	WV	25253	2012	0
10546	Trinity Lutheran Church	8H	Weirton	WV	26062	2011	0
10462	Mount Olive Lutheran Church	8H	Moorefield	WV	26836	2010	0

# Congregation Reports





**Evangelical Lutheran Church in America  
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**8H West Virginia-Western Maryland 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
<b>Conference: 01 Monongahela Valley-Mountain</b>										
06621	St John's	EN	Route 2 Cove Rd	Accident, MD	Peter M. Suwak	1842	59	13	6	8
06622	St Paul's	EN	102 S Main St	Accident, MD	Peter M. Suwak	1842	93	45	7	0
06631	St Paul	EN	46 German Settlement Way	Aurora, WV		1787	177	129	21	4
06623	Emmanuel	EN	22 Maynardier Ridge Rd	Bitteringer, MD	Nancy W. Knol	1842	157	114	27	0
06632 *	St Mark	EN	1766 Milford St	Clarksburg, WV	Linda M. Muhly	1905	284	230	55	10
06633	St John	EN	315 Blackwater Ave	Davis, WV	Ruth D. Bullwinkle	1893	62	53	21	50
06634	Holy Trinity	EN	302 1st St	Elkins, WV		1904	55	52	13	0
06635 *	Grace	EN	300 Gaston Ave	Fairmont, WV	Matthew C. Holbert	1904	187	175	60	35
06624	Grace	EN	Maple St and 2nd Ave	Friendsville, MD	Peter M. Suwak	1898	44	15	6	0
06637	Church of the Covenant	EN	16 E Washington St	Grafton, WV		1870	52	52	32	5
06625 *	Zion	EN	Route 495 2 Mi S of Grantsville	Jennings, MD		1909	109	61	--	--
30659	Shepherd Of The Hills	EN	1140 Mosser Rd	McHenry, MD	Richard T. Egtvedt	2013	45	40	9	13
06640	St Paul	EN	309 Baldwin St	Morgantown, WV	Anthony D. Setley	1897	216	216	48	14
06639	St Johannes	EN	2746 Little Buck Run	New Milton, WV	Erik L. Nielsen	1852	56	54	15	0
06627	St Mark	EN	6 S 2nd St	Oakland, MD		1850	257	182	58	5
06626	St John	EN	Routes 50 and 219	Red House, MD		1790	299	189	23	2
06628	St John's Of Meadow Mountain	EN	5214 Bitteringer Rd.	Swanton, MD		1878	43	31	15	0
<b>Conference Totals:</b>							<b>2,195</b>	<b>1,651</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>146</b>
<b>Conference: 02 Ohio-Kanawha Valley</b>										
06600	St Luke	EN	700 Maxwell Hill Rd	Beckley, WV		1960	47	35	20	8
06604 *	Trinity Evangelical	EN	1600 Kanawha Blvd E	Charleston, WV	Randolf E. Richardson	1924	402	402	--	--
13210 *	Christ the King	EN	5700 US Route 60	Huntington, WV		1966	107	98	28	14
06606	St Paul	EN	721 12th Ave	Huntington, WV	Kevin L. Mackey	1907	343	343	55	70
30546 *	Cross of Grace	EN	30 Grace Dr	Hurricane, WV		2001	35	35	15	20
06602 *	St Mark	EN	5 Mi SW	Letart, WV		1860	15	15	--	--
06607	St Paul	EN	412 5th St	New Haven, WV	Anna P. Weirick	1874	109	109	24	45
06609 *	First	EN	1701 19th St	Parkersburg, WV	Ian B. Reid	1893	694	690	--	--
06610	St Peter	EN	28th & Parrish	Point Pleasant, WV		1955	15	15	9	0
06601 *	Our Saviour	EN	Walnut & Henry Sts	Ravenswood, WV		1962	21	21	--	--
06618	Christ	EN	4513 Grand Central Ave	Vienna, WV	Thomas E. Darr	1964	103	99	27	20
<b>Conference Totals:</b>							<b>1,891</b>	<b>1,862</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>177</b>

Code Key:

\* = 2022 data not available as of report run date

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<b>Conference: 03 Potomac</b>										
10492	* Zion	EN	387 Arkansaw Rd	Baker, WV		1855	249	170	--	--
16003	* Calvary	EN	5545 Sugar Grove Rd	Brandywine, WV		1974	44	36	12	40
06026	St Thomas	EN	111 S Seminary St	Charles Town, WV	Diane L. Day Amelia P. Collins	1939	73	66	32	24
10366	* Faith	EN	102 Maple Ave	Franklin, WV		1946	141	110	22	35
06110	* Fairview	EN	464 Fairview Rd.	Gore, VA		1843	40	26	--	--
06030	* St John	EN	950 Washington St	Harpers Ferry, WV	John R. Unger	1849	105	2	--	--
06638	* Trinity	EN	76 N Davis St	Keyser, WV	Sally L. Bartling	1906	89	89	--	--
06035	St John	EN	101 W Martin St	Martinsburg, WV	Matthew A. Day Sherry A. Miller	1775	356	140	39	29
06023	Trinity	EN	1643 Pitzers Chapel Rd	Martinsburg, WV	Daniel R. Collins	1880	60	60	26	6
10419	* New Hope	EN	9820 Huntersville Rd	Minnehaha Springs, WV		1895	53	42	19	19
10462	* Mount Olive	EN	S Fork Rd (Peru)	Moorefield, WV		1889	8	8	--	--
10422	* St John	EN	26 Black Thorn Rd	Moyers, WV		1882	94	84	26	0
10463	Grace Evangelical	EN	5 Pine St	Petersburg, WV	Daniel W. Warntz	1919	71	65	21	0
06104	* Ebenezer	EN	Ford Hill Rd	Rio, WV		1849	57	29	--	--
02573	* Holy Trinity Memorial Evangelical	EN	201 E Main St	Sharpsburg, MD		1768	275	151	--	--
06037	St James	EN	4328 Shepherdstown Pike	Shenandoah Junction, WV	Karen R. Erskine-Valentine	1856	87	81	22	0
06038	St Peter's	EN	110 N King St	Shepherdstown, WV	Karen R. Erskine-Valentine	1765	349	333	40	100
10533	* Mount Hope	EN	Mt Hope Rd	Upper Tract, WV		1797	48	44	20	20
06106	* St Peter	EN	Main St	Wardensville, WV		1848	28	26	--	--
06629	* Mount Calvary	EN	1 Fusner St	Westernport, MD	Sally L. Bartling	1869	203	197	--	--
06105	* Hebron	EN	3 Mi S Route 259	Yellow Spring, WV		1786	22	19	--	--
<b>Conference Totals:</b>							<b>2,452</b>	<b>1,778</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>273</b>

Code Key:

\* = 2022 data not available as of report run date

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

**8H West Virginia-Western Maryland 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
<b>Conference: 04 Upper Ohio Valley</b>										
06619	Messiah	EN	503 Lafayette Ave	Moundsville, WV	Sean P. Smith	1963	47	46	15	20
06608	Good Shepherd	EN	196 N. State Route 2	New Martinsville, WV	Sean P. Smith	1958	46	38	13	0
10546 *	Trinity	EN	3432 West St	Weirton, WV		1929	178	178	--	--
06612	Christ Evangelical	EN	2 Richmond Ave	Wheeling, WV		1909	277	270	35	20
06614	First English	EN	3536 Eoff St	Wheeling, WV		1860	57	57	20	0
31157	Grace Evangelical	EN	16 Ridgecrest Rd	Wheeling, WV	William C. Black	2015	222	192	54	3
10551	St James	EN	1409 Chapline St	Wheeling, WV	Deborah L. Gable	1856	345	220	14	0
10552	St Mark	EN	141 Kruger St	Wheeling, WV	Robert P. Schafer	1917	824	616	59	25
06615	Trinity	EN	3536 Eoff St	Wheeling, WV		1899	55	55	25	0
<b>Conference Totals:</b>							<b>2,051</b>	<b>1,672</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>68</b>
<b>Synod Totals:</b>							<b>8,589</b>	<b>6,963</b>	<b>1,108</b>	<b>664</b>

**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]

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Cong ID	Congregation Name and City	Regular Giving	Total Receipts	Total Assets	Total Indebtedness	Current Operating Expenses	Mission Support	Non-Mission Support	Total Disbursements
<b>Conference: 01 Monongahela Valley-Mountain</b>									
06621	St John's, Accident	21,504	24,618	21,000	0	31,288	2,162	0	33,450
06622	St Paul's, Accident	26,158	26,177	0	0	23,894	720	0	24,614
06631	St Paul, Aurora	30,845	43,177	1,773,149	0	19,306	5,100	5,837	30,243
06623	Emmanuel, Bittering	77,259	98,779	1,640,394	0	40,181	2,600	9,668	62,215
06632*	St Mark, Clarksburg	181,069	181,069	681,000	0	181,069	18,000	2,100	236,169
06633	St John, Davis	92,481	160,439	584,084	0	124,586	9,150	0	133,736
06634	Holy Trinity, Elkins	30,585	36,166	959,784	0	31,431	5,088	1,900	86,269
06635*	Grace, Fairmont	95,216	119,266	100,283	0	109,112	0	0	109,112
06624	Grace, Friendsville	13,504	13,504	0	0	7,458	3,624	200	11,282
06637	Church of the Covenant, Grafton	56,702	64,735	1,877,880	0	50,095	2,365	0	56,064
06625*	Zion, Jennings	15,323	16,336	0	0	18,218	720	0	18,938
30659	Shepherd Of The Hills, McHenry	43,770	46,683	9,315	0	46,975	2,862	0	49,837
06640	St Paul, Morgantown	190,584	256,837	351,933	0	177,835	16,500	14,494	252,551
06639	St Johannes, New Milton	54,065	64,048	320,552	0	60,625	5,000	940	66,565
06627	St Mark, Oakland	183,032	184,206	3,395,611	0	152,228	12,000	3,139	169,262
06626	St John, Red House	37,162	59,713	938,687	0	28,369	7,020	1,079	36,468
06628	St John's Of Meadow Mountain, Swanton	16,566	16,566	223,801	0	13,375	3,060	900	17,335
<b>Conference Totals</b>		<b>\$1,165,825</b>	<b>\$1,412,319</b>	<b>\$12,877,473</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,116,045</b>	<b>\$95,971</b>	<b>\$40,257</b>	<b>\$1,394,110</b>
<b>Conference: 02 Ohio-Kanawha Valley</b>									
06600	St Luke, Beckley	56,716	67,323	605,521	0	65,808	6,200	1,518	73,526
06604*	Trinity Evangelical, Charleston	201,360	333,648	3,214,910	0	185,392	21,800	12,515	275,421
13210*	Christ the King, Huntington	153,192	182,215	2,439,577	0	153,449	7,800	13,817	175,066
06606	St Paul, Huntington	206,545	219,730	4,194,536	0	177,727	19,420	365	197,512
30546*	Cross of Grace, Hurricane	88,268	88,293	803,520	0	22,758	9,500	804	33,062
06602*	St Mark, Letart	12,000	12,930	87,000	0	13,500	1,885	20	15,405
06607	St Paul, New Haven	109,729	126,430	527,135	0	93,144	6,650	4,808	105,748
06609*	First, Parkersburg	362,856	365,431	6,410,278	0	245,366	21,000	28,378	369,810
06610	St Peter, Point Pleasant	7,046	13,709	572,791	0	17,491	3,000	0	20,491
06601*	Our Saviour, Ravenswood	18,692	19,292	0	0	17,102	2,914	0	20,016
06618	Christ, Vienna	102,351	165,543	328,826	0	111,725	10,000	12,772	149,868
<b>Conference Totals</b>		<b>\$1,318,755</b>	<b>\$1,594,544</b>	<b>\$19,184,094</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,103,462</b>	<b>\$110,169</b>	<b>\$74,997</b>	<b>\$1,435,925</b>
<b>Conference: 03 Potomac</b>									
10492*	Zion, Baker	60,545	61,356	588,799	0	56,684	2,646	327	65,369
16003*	Calvary, Brandywine	42,058	94,602	1,425,460	0	34,471	4,800	43,106	100,454
06026	St Thomas, Charles Town	79,831	79,831	566,086	0	72,757	6,000	133	112,537

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**Form A - Congregation Finances as of December 31, 2022**

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Cong ID	Congregation Name and City	Regular Giving	Total Receipts	Total Assets	Total Indebtedness	Current Operating Expenses	Mission Support	Non-Mission Support	Total Disbursements
10366 *	Faith, Franklin	86,812	97,616	1,595,428	0	72,673	7,968	1,066	82,067
06110 *	Fairview, Gore	22,215	40,739	217,000	0	31,275	3,052	2,419	36,746
06030 *	St John, Harpers Ferry	0	0	0	0	47,697	0	0	47,697
06638 *	Trinity, Keyser	83,704	96,100	0	0	80,000	4,000	9,476	93,476
06035	St John, Martinsburg	154,008	200,827	2,593,195	0	212,516	24,000	225	309,891
06023	Trinity, Martinsburg	75,677	79,258	443,735	0	31,154	0	0	36,910
10419 *	New Hope, Minnehaha Springs	33,996	37,545	251,398	0	26,977	4,200	0	32,507
10462 *	Mount Olive, Moorefield	8,674	10,877	180,900	0	6,990	1,000	850	10,877
10422 *	St John, Moyers	65,382	77,516	1,319,130	0	53,996	8,460	6,670	72,465
10463	Grace Evangelical, Petersburg	82,958	223,353	1,946,212	1,926	60,123	4,500	9,750	209,509
06104 *	Ebenezer, Rio	38,409	39,221	147,697	0	32,613	5,568	1,062	39,243
02573 *	Holy Trinity Memorial Evangelical, Sharpsburg	23,400	25,535	0	0	52,254	4,220	1,600	58,074
06037	St James, Shenandoah Junction	80,691	96,828	1,405,488	0	87,656	7,000	8,161	130,124
06038	St Peter's, Shepherdstown	187,515	255,013	2,340,322	0	179,000	22,000	17,599	218,599
10533 *	Mount Hope, Upper Tract	26,541	27,043	344,960	0	28,162	3,500	763	32,425
06106 *	St Peter, Wardensville	16,107	29,627	300,240	0	28,048	960	643	29,651
06629 *	Mount Calvary, Westernport	19,873	20,748	0	0	51,305	1,238	984	53,727
06105 *	Hebron, Yellow Spring	5,274	23,372	500,000	0	22,629	500	485	23,614
	<b>Conference Totals</b>	<b>\$1,193,670</b>	<b>\$1,617,007</b>	<b>\$16,166,050</b>	<b>\$1,926</b>	<b>\$1,268,980</b>	<b>\$115,612</b>	<b>\$105,319</b>	<b>\$1,795,962</b>
<b>Conference: 04 Upper Ohio Valley</b>									
06619	Messiah, Moundsville	34,419	103,324	1,452,664	0	80,433	3,756	2,819	106,802
06608	Good Shepherd, New Martinsville	50,226	61,514	409,368	0	46,319	4,800	754	51,873
10546 *	Trinity, Weirton	44,146	45,184	1,243,962	0	87,576	2,625	1,030	91,231
06612	Christ Evangelical, Wheeling	87,054	98,992	4,881,784	0	94,370	0	2,100	100,280
06614	First English, Wheeling	259,812	259,812	4,000,000	0	222,936	27,500	0	250,436
31157	Grace Evangelical, Wheeling	124,362	245,391	4,461,881	0	205,241	15,557	15,980	239,969
10551	St James, Wheeling	12,000	229,000	5,416,014	0	212,547	7,200	450	222,197
10552	St Mark, Wheeling	152,944	294,260	6,431,217	13,000	245,182	16,200	26,993	289,150
06615	Trinity, Wheeling	41,988	45,838	2,476,755	0	127,996	10,900	25,802	164,698
	<b>Conference Totals</b>	<b>\$806,951</b>	<b>\$1,383,315</b>	<b>\$30,773,645</b>	<b>\$13,000</b>	<b>\$1,322,600</b>	<b>\$88,538</b>	<b>\$75,928</b>	<b>\$1,516,636</b>
	<b>Synod Totals</b>	<b>\$4,485,201</b>	<b>\$6,007,185</b>	<b>\$79,001,262</b>	<b>\$14,926</b>	<b>\$4,811,087</b>	<b>\$410,290</b>	<b>\$296,501</b>	<b>\$6,142,633</b>

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Summary of Membership Statistics Totals -- End of Year	2021	2022	Change	Percent
Congregations	59	58	-1	-1.69
Congregations - Organized	59	58	-1	-1.69
Congregations - Under Development	0	0	0	----
Congregations - Filed Form A	36	33	-3	-8.33
Baptized Members	9,445	8,589	-856	-9.06
Average Baptized Members per Congregation	160	148	-12	-7.50
Confirmed Members	7,642	6,963	-679	-8.89
Average Confirmed Members per Congregation	130	120	-9	-7.31

Analysis of Membership Gains and Losses

Baptized Members -- Received

By Baptism - Children Under Age 16	48	42	-6	-12.50
By Baptism - Adults Age 16 and Older	5	8	3	60.00
By Affirmation of Faith	47	50	3	6.38
By Transfer	57	81	24	42.11
From Other Sources and Stat Adjs	9	11	2	22.22
Baptized Members -- Total Received	166	192	26	15.66

Baptized Members -- Removed

By Death	114	117	3	2.63
By Transfer	38	35	-3	-7.89
For Other Reasons and Stat Adjs	57	351	294	515.79
Baptized Members -- Total Removed	209	503	294	140.67

Baptized Members Confirmed	23	27	4	17.39
Active Participants	4,037	3,727	-310	-7.68

Analysis of Attendance	2021	2022
Avg. # wks congregations worshipped (on-site)	26	33
Avg. # wks congregations worshipped (online)	21	24
Total avg. weekly worship attendance (on-site)	942	1,108
Total avg. weekly worship attendance (online)	949	664
Avg. att. per congregation (on-site)	23	26
Avg. att. per congregation (online)	32	23
Average att. as a percentage of baptized membership (on-site)	9.97	12.90
Average att. as a percentage of baptized membership (online)	10.05	7.73

Vitality - Congregation Description (Averages)

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

Excitement About the Future	3.59
Positive Force in the Community	3.88
Ready to Try Something New	3.47

Vitality - Congregation Strengths (Averages)

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

Seeking/Using Member Gifts	3.41
Live Out Faith in Their Daily Lives	3.58

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Summary of Financial Statistics	2021	2022	Change	Percent	Statistical Analysis	
Totals -- End of Year					Averages per Congregation Reporting	
Total Receipts	6,326,549	6,007,185	-319,364	-5.05	Total Receipts (/57)	105,389.21
Total Disbursements	6,185,393	6,142,633	-42,760	-0.69	Total Disburse (/58)	105,907.47
Total Indebtedness on Dec 31	12,757	14,926	2,169	17.00	Total Indebtedness (/2)	7,463.00
Projected Mission Support	394,306	391,888	-2,418	-0.61		
Average Total Giving / Bapt Member	554.96	580.78	25.82	4.65	Percent Congs With No Debt	96.55
Average Total Giving / Conf Member	685.89	716.41	30.52	4.45		
<b>Detail of Financial Statistics - Receipts</b>						
Regular Giving	4,629,250	4,485,201	-144,049	-3.11		
Designated Giving	612,330	503,160	-109,170	-17.83		
Earned Income (any source)	670,093	445,420	-224,673	-33.53		
Grants (any source)	147,582	145,710	-1,872	-1.27		
All Other Receipts	267,294	427,694	160,400	60.01		
<b>Detail of Financial Statistics - Disbursements</b>					<b>Percent of Total Disbursements</b>	
Current Operating Expenses	4,864,349	4,811,087	-53,262	-1.09	Current Operating Expenses	78.32
Capital Improvements	533,613	528,926	-4,687	-0.88	Capital Improvements	8.61
Payments on Debts	21,954	10,930	-11,024	-50.21	Payments on Debts	0.18
Mission Support	400,171	410,290	10,119	2.53	Mission Support	6.68
Other Synod Benevolence	93,896	84,807	-9,089	-9.68	Other Synod Benevolence	1.38
Other CWO Benevolence	8,850	23,941	15,091	170.52	Other CWO Benevolence	0.39
Benevolence - Another Country	4,598	12,939	8,341	181.40	Benevolence - Another Country	0.21
Benevolence - Camps	8,445	12,594	4,149	49.13	Benevolence - Camps	0.21
Benevolence - Campus Ministry	14,187	13,385	-802	-5.65	Benevolence - Campus Ministry	0.22
Benevolence - Colleges	0	210	210	----	Benevolence - Colleges	0.00
Benevolence - Seminaries	2,128	3,128	1,000	46.99	Benevolence - Seminaries	0.05
Benevolence - Social Service	89,557	51,440	-38,117	-42.56	Benevolence - Social Service	0.84
Benevolence - Direct Recipient	130,874	94,057	-36,817	-28.13	Benevolence - Direct Recipient	1.53
Subtotal Non-Mission Supt Benev	352,535	296,501	-56,034	-15.89	Subtotal Non-Mission Supt Benev	4.83
Other Expenses & Realized Losses	12,771	84,899	72,128	564.78	Other Expenses & Realized Losses	1.38

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Congregations Reporting Ethnic Active Participants					Percent of Congregations Reporting Ethnic Active Participants	
	2021	2022	Change	Percent		
African American/Black	10	10	0	0.00	African American/Black	17.24
African National/African Caribbean	1	1	0	0.00	African National/African Caribbean	1.72
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	1	0	0.00	American Indian/Alaska Native	1.72
Arab/Middle Eastern	1	0	-1	-100.00	Arab/Middle Eastern	0.00
Asian/Pacific Islander	6	6	0	0.00	Asian/Pacific Islander	10.34
Latino/Hispanic	5	6	1	20.00	Latino/Hispanic	10.34
Multiracial	11	10	-1	-9.09	Multiracial	17.24
White	58	57	-1	-1.72	White	98.28

Total Ethnic Active Participants					Percent Ethnic Active Participants	
	2021	2022	Change	Percent		
African American/Black	22	22	0	0.00	African American/Black	0.59
African National/African Caribbean	1	1	0	0.00	African National/African Caribbean	0.03
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	1	0	0.00	American Indian/Alaska Native	0.03
Arab/Middle Eastern	1	0	-1	-100.00	Arab/Middle Eastern	0.00
Asian/Pacific Islander	6	6	0	0.00	Asian/Pacific Islander	0.16
Latino/Hispanic	5	6	1	20.00	Latino/Hispanic	0.16
Multiracial	26	26	0	0.00	Multiracial	0.70
White	3,960	3,650	-310	-7.83	White	98.33



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(32 Congs Filed)

	Yes	No	No Resp	Students
<b>C30 - Educational Ministry</b>				
Did this congregation have Christian education on-site	21	10	1	
Was Christian education offered online	2	10	20	
Total number of students				287
Did this congregation have vacation Bible school on-site	6	26	0	
Was vacation Bible school offered online	0	9	23	
Total number of students				125

	Definitely untrue	Hardly true	Somewhat true	Mostly true	Definitely true	Unsure	No response
<b>C33 - As part of the worship service, this congregation provides written or verbal instructions to help visitors fully participate.</b>	0	0	1	5	26	0	0
<b>C34 - Someone in this congregation follows up with first-time visitors within one week.</b>	3	9	8	3	6	3	0
<b>C35 - Visitors who worship in this congregation typically attend more than once.</b>	0	0	17	11	3	1	0
<b>C36 - In the past year, this congregation has discussed how to remain active in the local community.</b>	0	1	6	8	17	0	0
<b>C37 - In the past year, this congregation has implemented strategies for engaging new people.</b>	1	8	12	3	8	0	0
<b>C38 - This congregation displays a public statement of inclusion (in the bulletin, banner and/or website).</b>	5	8	6	4	8	1	0
<b>C42 - In the past year, online worship has been an effective way to engage new people in the life of this congregation.</b>	4	6	9	4	5	3	1

**C39 - Website contains current information**

Yes	18
No	2
No website	12
No response to any	0

**C40 - Social media profile contains current information**

Yes	27
No	1
No social media profile	4
No response to any	0

**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	9
Slightly	14
Moderately	6
Extremely	2
No response to any	1

	2022	2023 (proj.)
<b>C41 - How often did this congregation offer online worship (live or posted)?</b>		
Never	8	9
Less than once a month	1	0
Once a month	0	0
Several times a month	4	4
Every week	19	19
No response	0	0

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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	Paiute	Ukrainian
Czech	Japanese	Portuguese	Urdu
Danish	Kiswahili	Sign	Vietnamese
Dinka	Korean	Slovak	
English 32	Lakotah	Spanish	

**C32 - Disability Assistance Provided**

Wheelchair Accessibility	27
Braille Worship Materials	0
Large Print Worship Materials	22
Assistive Hearing Devices	14
Sign Language Interpreters	0
Mental Health Ministries	4
Ministry with People with Developmental Disabilities	1
Specialized Faith Formation for Children or Adults (ADHD, autism, dyslexia, etc.)	0
No Response to Any	0

**Evangelical Lutheran Church in America  
Summary of Congregations That Did Not File 2022 Report Form A**

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Last Year Filed	Cong ID	Cong Status	Baptized Members	Congregation Name	City, State	Minister	Phone
2009	06604	Org	402	Trinity Evangelical	Charleston, WV	Randolf E. Richardson	(304)342-5212
2009	10492	Org	249	Zion	Baker, WV		(304)897-6574
2010	10462	Org	8	Mount Olive	Moorefield, WV		(304)434-2351
2011	10546	Org	178	Trinity	Weirton, WV		(304)748-2940
2012	06602	Org	15	St Mark	Letart, WV		(304)882-3111
2012	06609	Org	694	First	Parkersburg, WV	Ian B. Reid	(304)428-6174
2013	06104	Org	57	Ebenezer	Rio, WV		(304)874-3860
2013	06105	Org	22	Hebron	Yellow Spring, WV		(304)874-3860
2013	06106	Org	28	St Peter	Wardensville, WV		(304)874-3860
2013	06110	Org	40	Fairview	Gore, VA		(304)874-3860
2016	06601	Org	21	Our Saviour	Ravenswood, WV		(304)273-2340
2017	06030	Org	105	St John	Harpers Ferry, WV	John R. Unger	(304)535-3105
2019	02573	Org	275	Holy Trinity Memorial Evangelical	Sharpsburg, MD		(301)730-5625
2019	06625	Org	109	Zion	Jennings, MD		(301)689-3794
2019	06629	Org	203	Mount Calvary	Westernport, MD	Sally L. Bartling	(301)359-3504
2019	06638	Org	89	Trinity	Keyser, WV	Sally L. Bartling	(304)788-3200
2020	10533	Org	48	Mount Hope	Upper Tract, WV		(304)358-2438
2020	13210	Org	107	Christ the King	Huntington, WV		(304)736-1402
2021	06632	Org	284	St Mark	Clarksburg, WV	Linda M. Muhly	(304)624-6138
2021	06635	Org	187	Grace	Fairmont, WV	Matthew C. Holbert	(304)366-4667
2021	10366	Org	141	Faith	Franklin, WV		(304)358-2438
2021	10419	Org	53	New Hope	Minnehaha Springs, WV		(304)799-9954
2021	10422	Org	94	St John	Moyers, WV		(304)358-2458
2021	16003	Org	44	Calvary	Brandywine, WV		(304)249-5316
2021	30546	Org	35	Cross of Grace	Hurricane, WV		(304)562-0616

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