



March 2012

Dear Delegate:

Welcome to the company of those who will be attending Synod Assembly 2012, the 14th Biennial Convention of the Eastern Synod – ELCIC, July 5 – 8, 2012 at Wilfrid Laurier University, 75 University Avenue West, Waterloo, Ontario.

Included with this letter are the following:

1. Registration Form
2. Delegate Information Bulletin # 1 and the Synod Assembly Travel Policy

Note: this package is being sent to all synodical rostered pastors and to those lay delegates whose Credential Forms have been received by the Eastern Synod Office.

Remember: a late registration penalty of \$100.00 will be assessed to delegates whose registration forms are postmarked after the April 20th deadline, so it is important to respond promptly.

Please read the Delegate Information Bulletin # 1 carefully. **Begin your plans for Assembly 2012 now.**

Things to do:

- Make travel arrangements as soon as possible. Those planning to travel by plane, train or bus must receive prior approval from the Assistant Convention Manager, Rev. Guenter Dahle, gdahle@elcic.ca. It is very important that delegates travelling from the Atlantic Conference contact Rev. Guenter Dahle early since special travel packages are being arranged.
- **Pastors and Interims** – If your congregation has not yet submitted a completed LAY DELEGATE CREDENTIAL FORM, please do so immediately.
- Complete the Registration Form and return **with a cheque payable to the Eastern Synod** as soon as possible.
- Pray for this Assembly, that it may be a time of blessing and inspiration for all.

If you have questions about Assembly 2012, please direct them to the Convention Manager, Rev. Jeffrey Smith, at revjeffsmith@hotmail.com

God's peace be with you.

Rev. Jeffrey Smith
Assembly Manager