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**2022 Winter Retreat**

*"Rejoice & Be Glad"*

**January 22**

St. Paul's/Grand Island

**2022 Autumn Renewal**

*"Walking in the Light of God"*

**October 8,**

St. Paul's Lutheran, Grand Island

**2023 Winter Retreat**

**January 14**

St. Paul's/Grand Island

**2023 Biennial Convention  
and Gathering**

**October 6—8, 2023**

Carol Joy Holling Conference &  
Retreat Center, Ashland

**2023 Spring Gatherings**

**March 11,** Central, St. John's  
Shell Creek/Columbus

**April 1,** Metro East, St. Michael/  
Omaha

**April 15,** Northeast, Our Savior  
Lutheran/Wayne

**April 22,** Southern Prairie, First  
Lutheran/Kearney

**March 25,** Southeast, Zion/  
Pickrell

**April 29,** Midlands, United  
Lutheran/Lincoln

**TBD,** High Plains

*Due the ongoing pandemic, all  
Spring Gathering dates and/or  
locations are subject to  
change.*

**12th Triennial Gathering  
September 21-24, 2023  
Phoenix, AZ**



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**June 24-25, 2022** (Axtell)

**October 7, 2022** (Grand Island)

**January 2023** (TBD)

**May 2023** (TBD)

**August 2023** (TBD)

**October 2023** (TBD)