



**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**  
 as of November 1, 2023  
**EASTERN TIME ZONE**

<u>Monday, November 6</u>	<u>Tuesday, November 7</u>	<u>SINGING NEW SONGS</u>
<b>US/Canada Eastern</b>	<b>Brisbane, Australia</b>	
1:30 – 2:00 PM	4:30 – 5:00 AM	Welcome, Spiritual Centering
2:00 – 4:30 PM	5:00 – 7:30 AM	Plenary Session – <b>Singing a New Song – Gage Purdy and Thomas Conroy</b>
5:00 – 6:00 PM	8:00 – 9:00 AM	<b>Meet and Greet</b>

<u>Tuesday, November 7</u>	<u>Wednesday, November 8</u>	<u>TELLING NEW STORIES</u>
<b>US/Canada Eastern</b>	<b>Brisbane, Australia</b>	
10:00 – 10:50 AM	1:00 AM – 1:50 AM	Open Conversation
11:00 AM – 12:15 PM	2:00 – 3:15 AM	Concurrent Workshop Discussions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Marketing Our Strengths: Tools for Sharing Stories and Deepening Spirituality - Eric Clayton</b></li> <li>• <b>New Paths for Conflict Engagement - John Beck</b></li> <li>• <b>Open Conversation: Demo of ChatGPT (AI-generated text) – Michelle Collins</b></li> </ul>
1:15 – 1:30 PM	4:15 – 4:30 AM	Spiritual Centering
1:30 – 4:00 PM	4:30 – 7:00 AM	Plenary Session: <b>Planting Seeds of New Stories: Developing a Spirituality of Storytelling - Eric Clayton</b>
4:30 – 5:45 PM	7:30 – 8:45 AM	Concurrent Workshop Discussions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>When Two Are Better Than One: Creating a Covenant Partnership Between Faith Communities – Ruth Shaver</b></li> <li>• <b>Enough is Enough, When to Leave Interim Role – Melissa Douaire</b></li> <li>• <b>Open Conversation: Boundaries/Power in the Congregation – Dave Clements</b></li> </ul>
6:30 – 7:30 PM	9:30 – 10:15 AM	<b>Something FUN!</b>
8:00 – 9:15 PM	11:00 AM – 12:30 PM	Concurrent Workshop Discussions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Change – Emotional Intelligence – Power – Mary McCurty (EQHR)</b></li> <li>• <b>(Repeat) New Paths for Conflict Engagement – John Beck</b></li> <li>• <b>Transitions Beyond the Interim Period – Arlen Vernava</b></li> <li>• <b>Open Conversation: Proper Farewell/Lift up the Successor Legacy – Wayne Macpherson</b></li> </ul>

<u>Wednesday, November 8</u>	<u>Thursday, November 9</u>	<u>ENGAGING NEW WAYS</u>
<b>US/Canada Eastern</b>	<b>Brisbane, Australia</b>	
10:00 – 10:50 AM	1:00 AM – 1:50 AM	Open Conversation
11:00 AM – 12:15 PM	2:00 – 3:15 AM	Concurrent Workshop Discussions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Trust Matters: Strategies for Nurturing Trust – Michelle Collins</b></li> <li>• <b>Bridging Spirituality and Emotional Intelligence to Sustain Spiritual Wellness – Judy McSween (EQHR)</b></li> <li>• <b>Open Conversation: Bullying and Other Bad Behaviour – Pegi Ridout</b></li> <li>• <b>Worried about the Future? Facing Fears of Institutional Death – Diane Kenaston</b></li> </ul>
1:00 – 2:30 PM	4:00 – 5:30 AM	IMN Membership Meeting
3:00 – 4:15 PM	6:00 – 7:15 AM	Concurrent Workshop Discussions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Alternative Delivery Modes for Transitional Leadership – Jonathan New/Panel</b></li> <li>• <b>Deliberately Creating Community: Responding to America’s Public Health Crisis – Katrina Palan</b></li> <li>• <b>Open Conversation: Demo of AI-Generated Images (using Midjourney) – Michelle Collins</b></li> </ul>
5:45 – 6:00 PM	8:45 – 9:00 AM	Spiritual Centering
6:00 – 8:30 PM	9:00 – 11:30 AM	Plenary Session: <b>How to Do More with Less-</b> Rebekah Simon Peter

<u>Thursday, November 9</u>	<u>Friday, November 10</u>	<u>SEEKING NEW PATHS</u>
<b>US/Canada Eastern</b>	<b>Brisbane, Australia</b>	
10:00 – 10:50 AM	1:00 AM – 1:50 AM	Open Conversation
11:00 AM – 12:15 PM	2:00 – 3:15 AM	Concurrent Workshop Discussions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Resistance and Restructuring – Thomas Conroy</b></li> <li>• <b>(Repeat) Worried about the Future? Facing Fears of Institutional Death – Diane Kenaston</b></li> <li>• <b>Open Conversation: Working Across Faith Transitions – Mary Ellen Dolan</b></li> </ul>
1:15 – 1:30 PM	4:15 – 4:30 AM	Spiritual Centering
1:30 – 4:00 PM	4:30 – 7:00 AM	Plenary Session: <b>The 3 S’s of Post-Pandemic Community – Rebekah Simon Peter</b>
4:30 – 6:00 PM	7:30 – 9:00 AM	Denominational Gatherings
7:00 – 8:15 PM	10:00 AM – 11:15 AM	Concurrent Workshop Discussions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>(Repeat) Cultivating a Culture of Connection – Katrina Palan</b></li> <li>• <b>(Repeat) Trust Matters: Strategies for Nurturing Trust – Michelle Collins</b></li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “The Presbytery Project”: Applying Transitional Ministry to Judicatory Transformation – Rob McFarlane</li> </ul>
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<u>Friday, November 10</u>	<u>Saturday, November 11</u>	<u>SHARING NEW WAYS</u>
<b>US/Canada Eastern</b>	<b>Brisbane, Australia</b>	
10:00 – 10:50 AM	1:00 AM – 1:50 AM	Open Conversation
11:00 AM – 12:15 PM	2:00 – 3:15 AM	Concurrent Workshop Discussions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Accessing the Possible: An Introduction to Quantum Leadership</b>– Aliza Robinson</li> <li>• <b>So, You Think Your Church Needs To Amalgamate?</b> – Helen Prior</li> <li>• <b>Open Conversation –Ethics and Implications of Artificial Intelligence</b> – Michelle Collins</li> </ul>
1:30 – 2:45 PM	4:30 – 5:45 AM	State of Transitional Leadership
4:30 – 6:00 PM	7:30 – 9:00 AM	Plenary Session: <b>Practitioner Panel</b>
6:00 – 6:30 PM	9:00 – 9:30 AM	Closing/Spiritual Centering