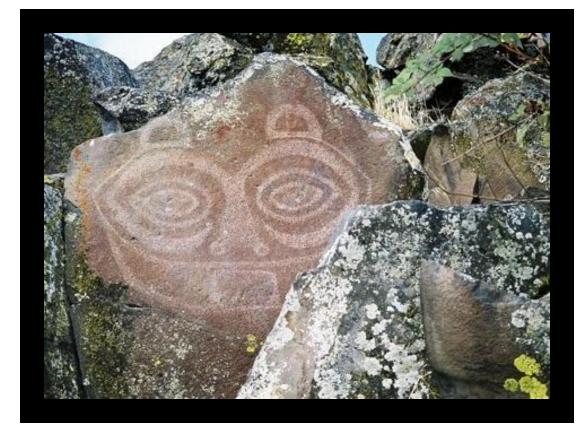
Standing on Sacred Ground



EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF EASTERN OREGON

52nd ANNUAL CONVENTION October 11-17, 2022

Online and in Pendleton, Oregon



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Draft Schedule

Virtual Meetings

Tuesday, October 11

- 5:00pm Eastern Oregon Episcopal Foundation Annual Meeting
- 5:30pm Eastern Oregon Episcopal Foundation Trustees' Meeting
- 6:00pm Budget Meeting

Wednesday, October 12

5:00pmERD Meeting6:00pmBusiness Meeting I

Thursday, October 13

6:00pm Business Meeting II

In Person Gatherings

Friday, October 14 at Church of the Redeemer, Pendleton

- 4:00pm Registration
- 6:30pm Welcome and Bishop's Address
- 7:30pm Compline

Saturday, October 15 at Blue Mountain Community College

8:00am	Registration
8:30am	Morning Prayer
9:00am	Program
10:30	Break
10:45	Program
Noon	Noon Day Prayer and Necrology

12:15pm	Lunch
1:15pm	Program
2:30	Break
2:45	Program
4:00	Break until Banquet
5:30pm	Social Hour
6:00pm	Banquet
	Ascension Banner and Basket Raffle
	Bishop's Crosses

Sunday, October 16 at Church of the Redeemer

9:00am	Eucharist Rehearsal
	Clergy Vesting
	Clergy Photo
10:00am	Eucharist

A Greeting from The Bishop

Welcome Dear Friends,

What a joy and privilege to invite you back in-person to our Annual Diocesan Convention!

I am so very grateful for all of you and your ministry during these past two and a half years of the Covid Pandemic. It was certainly a trying and exhausting period, but our Clergy, pastoral leaders, and Congregations as a whole have been faithful, attentive, creative and caring during it all. I could not be more proud of the way we have held together with and for one another, and for our communities. Well done, thou amazing, good and faithful servants!

And now we have such an opportunity to come back together with a renewed commitment to walk with Jesus in the "Way of Love", as we embrace more deeply our efforts in becoming the Beloved Community.

Our focus this year will be addressing the history of and ongoing affects of the colonization of the Americas by Northern Europeans, vis a vis the Doctrine of Discovery. Our intent will be to know how our own histories and that of our Christian heritage contributed to this horrific treatment of the Native peoples who shared this land for millennia, and how we might enter into repentance, reconciliation and reparation with the original people's of Eastern Oregon. We will do so with the gracious help of our own group who have been working on the major resolution repudiating the above referenced Doctrine, and with Indigenous speakers who will guide and challenge us. And we will do so in the name of Jesus, and in obedience to our baptismal promises.

It is my hope that many within the Diocese, and beyond, will join us as well virtually as we embark on this faithful journey of creating Beloved Community.

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