

CREATING HARMONY: Art as Spiritual Practice

202ND ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE SWEDENBORGIAN CHURCH

Convention Schedule

All times listed are Eastern Time. All events listed with a ✓ will be offered in a hybrid format for virtual attendees.

Pre-Convention Program

THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 2026

3:00–5:00	Check-In for COM	<i>Executive Conference Center Lobby</i>
6:00–7:00	Dinner	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
7:00–9:00	COM Welcome Reception	<i>Overlook Dining Room</i>

FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 2026

7:00–8:30	Breakfast	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
9:00–12:00	COM Business Meeting I ✓	<i>Potomac Room</i>
12:00–1:00	Lunch	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
1:00–3:00	COM Educational Meeting ✓	<i>Potomac Room</i>
3:00–5:00	COM Business Meeting II ✓	<i>Potomac Room</i>

Convention Program

FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 2026

1:00–4:00	Display Table Set-Up	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
1:00–5:00	Convention Check-In	<i>Executive Conference Center Lobby</i>
4:00	Hotel Check-In	<i>Executive Conference Center</i>
3:00–5:00	Casual Welcome Gathering	<i>Lobby and Patio</i>
5:00–5:45	Convention Worship Singers Rehearsal	<i>TBD</i>
6:00–7:00	Dinner	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
7:30–8:00	Opening Convention & Worship ✓	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
8:00–9:30	Keynote with Bronwen Mayer Henry ✓	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
9:30–10:30	Reception & Displays Open	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>

SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 2026

7:00–8:00	Breakfast	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
8:30–11:30	Children's Program	<i>TBD</i>
9:00–11:30	Business Session I ✓	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
12:00–1:00	Lunch	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
1:00–6:00	Children's Program	<i>TBD</i>
1:30–3:00	Mini Course Session I	
	1-Practice Contemplative Creativity — Bronwen Mayer Henry	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
	2-Creative Contemplative Prayer — Rev. Jenny Caughman	<i>Thames Room</i>
	3-Living Liturgies for the New Church — Heather Garland ✓	<i>Susquehanna Room</i>
	4-Bringing Out the Best: Creativity and Dementia — Tryn Rose Seley ✓	<i>Potomac Room</i>

Convention Program Continued

3:15–5:00	Business Session II ✓	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
5:00–6:00	Displays Open / Convention Worship Singers Rehearsal	<i>TBD</i>
6:00–7:00	Dinner	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
7:30–9:00	Convention Worship & Communion ✓	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
9:00–10:00	Reception & Displays Open	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>

SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2026

7:00–8:00	Breakfast	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
7:30–8:00	Convention Worship Singers Rehearsal	<i>TBD</i>
8:30–11:45	Children's Program	<i>TBD</i>
8:00–9:00	Service of Remembrance ✓	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
9:15–11:45	Business Session III ✓	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
12:00–1:00	Lunch	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
1:00–6:00	Children's Program	<i>TBD</i>
1:30–3:00	Mini Course Session 2	
	1-Harmony at Play — Trevor the Games Man	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
	2-Through Anna's Eyes — Rev. Chris Barber	<i>Thames Room</i>
	3-The Hidden Churches of the East — Dell Rose ✓	<i>Susquehanna Room</i>
	4-Church, State, and Social Justice — Rev. Robert McCluskey ✓	<i>Potomac Room</i>
3:15–3:45	Business Session IV ✓	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
3:45–4:30	CSS Annual Meeting ✓	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
4:30–5:30	Display Tables Open	<i>TBD</i>
6:00–7:00	Dinner	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
8:00–10:00	CSS Graduation & Reception	<i>Glavin Family Chapel</i>

MONDAY, JUNE 29, 2026

7:00–8:00	Breakfast	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
8:00–12:00	Children's Program	<i>TBD</i>
8:45–10:00	Children's Program Presentation / SCYL Worship Service	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
10:15–11:45	Mini Course Session 3	
	1-Swedenborg on Temporal and Spiritual Slavery — Vincent Roy-Di Piazza	<i>St. Lawrence Meeting Room</i>
	2-The Path of Creative Vision and Practice—Pastor Lorraine Kardash	<i>Thames Room</i>
	3-Table Fellowship and the New Church — Rev. Lynn Chittick Thompson ✓	<i>Susquehanna Room</i>
	4-Artwork During Spiritual Crisis — Rev. Colin Amato ✓	<i>Potomac Room</i>
12:00–1:00	Lunch	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>

Display Tables and Banners MUST be broken down by 1:00 PM

1:30–2:00	Transportation to Boston	
2:00–9:00	Taste of Boston Outing and Dinner	
9:00	Transportation Back to Conference Center	

TUESDAY, JUNE 30, 2026

7:00–9:00	Breakfast	<i>Sorenson Commons</i>
11:00	Everyone MUST Check-out by 11:00 AM	

This is a preliminary schedule and is subject to change.