

Rough DRAFT AGENDA
ANNUAL MEETING 2026
Revive and Resist

Thursday, May 14

1:00 - 6:00 PM Continuing Education Institute Classes (CEI)

- Culturally Responsive Ministry Training: Module Two (Culture, Gender, & Sexuality)" led by Rev. Gary Brinn
- Leading with Purpose: Ministry Management led by Rev. Prabhu Sigamani
- Foundations of Worship - led by Rev. Dr. Cheryl A Lindsay, UCC Minister of Worship and Theology

5:30- 6:30pm CEI Dinner Boyd Dining Center

Friday, May 15

7:30 am- Continental Breakfast Options Available

8:00- 9:00am- Full Hot Breakfast is served Boyd Dining Center

9:00-11:45- Children's Program Open

9:00 – 11:00 CEI- Digital Ministry led by Rev Natalie Perkins Luther Hall

9:00 – 11:45 UCCNY Board Meeting Boyd Board

10:00 UCCNY Registration Desk Opens Boyd Center Lobby

12:00-1:00pm Lunch
(*CEI attendees and UCCNY Board*) Boyd Dining Center

12:30 -- 1:00 New Member Orientation

12:30-5:30- Children's Program Open

1:00 – 2:30 **Plenary I** Luther Hall

2:30- 2:45 Break

2:45- 4:00 **Plenary II** Luther Hall

- 4:15 – 5:15 Workshops (*see topics below*)
- Sing Along: Revive & Resist Luther Hall
 - Compassion Not Cruelty Boyd Board Room
 - Holding the Tension: Holy Yearning in a Time of Upheaval Morse Hall
 - Labyrinth Time Labyrinth
- 5:30 – 6:30 Dinner Boyd Dining Center
- 6:45 – 8:00 Opening Worship Luther Hall
- 8:15 pm- Trivia Competition Morse Hall
- Come test your trivia knowledge in some fun and friendly competition. DJ Trivia, a national entertainment brand, will be our hosts.*

Saturday, May 16

- 7:30 am- Continental Breakfast Options Available
- 8:00- 9:00am- Full Hot Breakfast is served Boyd Dining Center
(Check out by 10:00am)
- 8:45 – 11:00 **Plenary III** Luther Hall
- 8:45-11:00 Children’s Program Open
- 11:00- Closing Worship Luther Hall

Friday Workshops

Sing Along: Revive & Resist: Come sing accessible, spirit-filled songs inspired by “*Revive and Resist.*” All are welcome—no experience needed. Bring your voice, and feel free to bring an instrument if you’d like to play along.
Leader: Rev. Amanda Messenheimer

Compassion Not Cruelty: This workshop will tell the story of the Compassion Not Cruelty (CNC) movement. Join with others to create a strong public voice proclaiming God's justice-seeking love in these difficult days.
Leaders: Rev. Ruth Snyder, Rev. Bruce McKay & Rev. Dan Schiefeling

Holding the Tension: Holy Yearning in a Time of Upheaval: Longing for God unites us. Gather with a trained Spiritual Director in a contemplative, communal practice of discernment, as together we listen for the movement of the Holy Spirit within and among us. **Leader: Rachel Magnell, Ph.D.**