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Re Synod URCNA Nyack 2012 Display Tables

We are pleased with your willingness to offer our 200+ delegates to synod the chance to learn more about your organization. The planning committee has identified two major areas at Nyack College where you will be able to interact with the delegates. Opening afternoon on Monday, June 11th is when the delegates will be arriving to register. There is an ideal large open lounge area to which the delegates will be directed in order to socialize during their free time, take in the spectacular view of the Hudson River palisades and to roam amidst tables set up by yourself and folks like you from Tuesday through Friday. Since this is a major dorm building, you will be able to stay in this area for as long as you choose and delegates will have the opportunity to visit your displays even after hours.

A second area is being planned for rooms directly adjacent to where the delegates will be served their three meals. You may set up in either or both places. Or you may choose to switch from one place to the other as the days progress. The delegates are being encouraged to not make travel plans until Saturday, June 16th as synod usually doesn't finish until late on the closing day, Friday, June 15th.

For those of you who wish to offer the sale of books, we will be permitting this. However, we will insist upon your careful discretion in this matter so as not to overwhelm the delegates. Since most delegates will be traveling a distance, they would much rather be able to order something and have you ship it directly to them at a later date than to have to carry it home on an airplane themselves. On-line purchasing will also avoid a hefty 7% New York sales tax.

For planning purposes, room and board will be provided on an a-la-carte basis. A DEPOSIT OF \$200 which will be applied towards meals and lodging is requested with the enclosed registration form which we ask that you return no later than April 15th.

The theme chosen for Synod 2012 is "Living, Learning and Leading." We hope to highlight one of these concepts each day of Synod. You might consider doing the same as you put forward each of the organizations that you represent or the books that you publish.

One final thought. Due to the heavy agenda of synod, your chance to interact with the delegates will be limited to your encounter with them at your display table(s). No time will be available for you to address the general assembly.

If you have any lingering questions, please write us at the above email address. On behalf of the committee, thank you for agreeing to participate at this year's synod.

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