

## **Synod Assembly Offering — May 20**

Each year our Synod (the Central States Synod) holds our annual meeting, which we call our Synod Assembly, where the business of the local church is done. The date of our Synod Assembly this year is June 7-9 in Lindsborg, Kansas, at Bethany College. Along with Pastor Dave, Chris and Paula Hahn will be attending as Salem's voting members.

A special offering is received during the Assembly to provide extra support to specific synodical ministries. This year that offering will be divided equally between Mosaic (a faith-based organization serving people with intellectual disabilities), 2018 ELCA Youth Gathering Support, and the New Synodical Ministries Fund. To help support this offering, we will receive a second offering this Sunday, May 20. Please prayerfully consider how you might support this offering.