



# IA NE SD CONFERENCES OF THE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST JOINT ANNUAL MEETING (JAM) September 17-20, 2026

First Congregational UCC  
Spirit of Peace UCC  
Sioux Falls, SD

## SCHEDULE (subject to change)

### Thursday, September 17, 2026

#### Pre-Conference Workshops at Spirit of Peace UCC

- 8:00 am Registration Opens
- 8:00-9:00 am Coffee and Pastries
- 9:00-9:30 am Welcome and Opening Devotional
- 10:00 am Workshops Begin
- 12:00-1:00 pm Lunch
- 1:00-5:00 pm Continuation of Workshops

### Friday, September 18, 2026

#### First Congregational UCC

- 11:00 am-5:00 pm Registration Opens
- 11:30 am Contemplative Prayer Lunch--
- 12:00 pm United Seminary EDU Luncheon (First Congregational UCC Multi-Purpose Room)
- 12:00-5:00 pm Marketplace
- 2:00-3:00 pm Welcome and Opening Devotional
- 3:30-5:00 pm Youth Rally & Workshops I
- 5:30-6:30 pm Pizza Dinner Program
- 7:00-9:00 pm Youth Led Worship Service

Those interested please meet at the front doors of First Congregational

### Saturday, September 19, 2026

#### First Congregational UCC & Spirit of Peace UCC

- 8:00 am-5:00 pm Registration Opens
- 12:00-4:00 pm Marketplace
- 9:00 am-12:00 pm Conferences Annual Meeting
  - Iowa at First Congregational
  - Nebraska at Spirit of Peace UCC
  - South Dakota at Spirit of Peace UCC
- 12:00-1:00 pm Lunch
- 2:00-3:00 pm JAM Assembly
- 3:30-5:00 pm Youth Rally & Workshops II
- 6:00-7:00 pm Dinner (prior registration required)
- 7:30-9:00 pm Closing Worship

PLEASE NOTE:  
Transportation will be provided to Spirit of Peace for Nebraska & South Dakota Annual Meetings and then will return to First Congregational after lunch for JAM Assembly

### Sunday, September 20, 2026 - optional Worship

- 8:30/10:30 am Worship at First Congregational with Rev. Jennifer Sowell
- 10:30 am Worship at Spirit of Peace UCC with Rev. Roberto Ochoa