

# Synodical hearing on the draft of the social statement on women and justice

*A chance to share your comments and hear others' feedback on the text of the draft statement*

The Upstate New York Synod invites you to participate in a critical step in the development of the ELCA social statement on women and justice.

**WHEN:** September 8, 2018 from 10-12

**WHERE:** St. Paul, Liverpool

**WHY:** The ELCA is writing a social statement on women and justice. We need your input on the draft: How can it be strengthened? What is the statement missing? A representative of the task force will be present to listen, and a written record of comments will be sent to the task force.

## How you can participate

- Read the draft statement, available in print or for download.
- Come to the hearing. Speak and listen.

## How to get a copy of the draft statement

- Download it at [ELCA.org/womenandjustice](http://ELCA.org/womenandjustice).
- A single complimentary copy can be ordered by calling 800-638-3522.
- For multiple copies, visit the ELCA resource e-store at [bit.ly/OrderWJDraft](http://bit.ly/OrderWJDraft).

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