



Privacy Policy

Episcopal Diocese of Wyoming

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1. Who we are

This website is operated by the Episcopal Diocese of Wyoming (“we,” “us,” “our”). We collect limited information so we can provide news, event information, pastoral and diocesan communications, and services such as registrations and donations.

2. Information we collect

We collect information in the following ways:

Information you provide directly

Examples include when you: subscribe to eSpirit or other newsletters, register for an event, fill out a form, make a donation, purchase tickets or merchandise, or contact us. This may include:

- Name
- Email address
- Mailing address
- Phone number
- Registration details you submit through a form
- Donation details (see “Payments” below)

Information collected automatically

Like most websites, we and our service providers may collect limited information automatically, such as:

- IP address
- Device/browser type
- Pages you visit and links you click
- Approximate location (city/state level)
- Cookies or similar technologies (see “Cookies and analytics” below)

3. How we use information

We use information for purposes such as:

- Sending diocesan communications (including eSpirit)
- Responding to messages and requests
- Processing registrations and providing event-related communications

- Processing donations and purchases
- Improving the website and the communications we send
- Supporting internal operations, recordkeeping, and security

4. Payments and donations

If you donate or pay for tickets/merchandise online, your payment is processed by a third-party payment processor. We do not receive or store your full credit card number. Payment processors may collect and store information as described in their own privacy policies (for example, for fraud prevention and compliance). Your current policy already notes that outside vendors may process credit card transactions and access information needed to perform their function.

5. When we share information

We do **not** sell your personal information.

We may share information in the limited situations below:

A. With service providers

We use trusted vendors to run the website and services (such as website hosting, email/newsletter platforms, forms, registration tools, and payment processing). They may access information only as needed to provide services to us and are expected to keep it confidential, similar to what your existing policy states.

B. With our supporting organization: the Foundation for the Episcopal Diocese of Wyoming

When you subscribe to eSpirit, register for an event, or otherwise share contact information through diocesan communications, **we may share your contact information with the Foundation for the Episcopal Diocese of Wyoming**, our supporting organization, for purposes such as communications, stewardship, donor services, and coordination of mission support. The Diocese and the Foundation are separate 501(c)(3) organizations, and they work closely together in supporting mission and ministry in Wyoming.

C. For legal, safety, and integrity reasons

We may share information if we believe it is appropriate to comply with applicable law, respond to lawful requests, protect our rights and property, protect website users, or respond to emergencies.

6. Cookies and analytics

Cookies are small files stored on your device that help websites function and help site owners understand how visitors use their sites. We may use cookies and similar technologies to:

- Remember preferences
- Maintain site security and basic performance
- Understand website traffic and usage trends

You can usually control cookies through your browser settings. Some site features may not work properly if cookies are disabled.

7. Your choices

Email communications: You can opt out of email communications at any time by using the unsubscribe link in an email, or by contacting us using the information below.

Updating your information: You can request that we update or correct your contact information by contacting us.

8. How long we keep information

We keep information only as long as needed for the purposes described above, and as required for administrative, legal, audit, or recordkeeping needs (for example, event records or donation records).

9. Data security

We use reasonable administrative, technical, and organizational safeguards designed to protect information. No method of transmission or storage is completely secure, so we cannot guarantee absolute security.

10. Wyoming data breach notice

If we become aware of a breach involving certain “personal identifying information” (as defined by Wyoming law), we will evaluate the situation and provide notifications as required by applicable law. Wyoming’s breach notification law requires notice to affected Wyoming residents when misuse has occurred or is reasonably likely to occur, and notice must be provided as soon as possible and without unreasonable delay, subject to certain law-enforcement needs.

11. Children’s privacy

This website is not directed to children under 13, and we do not knowingly collect personal information from children under 13.

12. Links to other websites

Our website may link to third-party websites. Their privacy practices are governed by their own privacy policies, not ours.

13. Changes to this policy

We may update this policy from time to time. When we do, we will revise the “Last updated” date above.

14. Contact us

Questions or requests about this Privacy Policy can be directed to:
Communications Office

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