



## Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod

### Pastor, teacher, and staff minister call report

**7/9/2019 - 7/15/2019**

The call report details when pastors, teachers, and staff ministers change positions within WELS. The Conference of Presidents oversees and coordinates the calling process.

#### NO DECISION REPORTED

Pastors	Current call	New call	Date issued
Rev Steven Mischke	Peace LC Granger IN	St Matthew LC Winona MN Pastor; Part-Time Call	6/2/2019
Rev David Salinas	Sure Foundation LC Woodside NY	Grace LC Vail AZ & Benson AZ Associate Pastor	6/2/2019
Dr Kenneth Cherney Jr	Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary Mequon WI	Hmong Asian Missionary	6/11/2019
Rev Andrew Bauer	New Life LC Lake Zurich IL	Our Savior LC Sun City AZ Pastor	6/12/2019
Rev James Werner	Reformation LC San Diego CA	Divine Peace LC Largo MD Pastor	6/16/2019
Rev Gregory Hein	Peace LC Gilbert AZ	Martin Luther LC Oshkosh WI Associate Pastor; Shared Time with UW-Oshkosh Campus Ministry	6/16/2019
Rev Paul Meier	Immanuel LC Neenah WI	Trinity LC Marshfield WI Pastor	6/16/2019
Rev Douglas Engelbrecht	Trinity LC Neenah WI	St John LC Wrightstown WI Associate Pastor; Retirement Call	6/16/2019

Rev Stephen Lehmann	Mt Olive LC Iron Mountain MI	CrossWalk Lutheran Ministries Laveen AZ Pastor	6/17/2019
Rev Spencer Biga	St Matthew LC Freeland MI	St John LC Saginaw MI & St Matthew LC Freeland MI Pastor	6/18/2019
Rev Justin Dauck	St Paul LC Roscoe SD St John LC Bowdle SD	Prince of Peace LC Yuma AZ Pastor	6/19/2019
Rev Stephen Kuehl	Shepherd of Peace LC Powell OH	Beautiful Savior LC Fort Wayne IN Pastor	6/20/2019
Rev David Boettcher	St John LC Wetaskiwin AB Canada Mighty Fortress LC Red Deer AB Canada	Immanuel LC Johnson Creek WI Pastor	6/20/2019
Rev Matthew Reis	Trinity LC Bangor MI	Trinity LC Coleman WI Pastor	6/23/2019
Rev Mark Paustian	Martin Luther College New Ulm MN	Immanuel LC Greenville WI Associate Pastor	6/23/2019
Rev David Kipfmiller	Retired	Hope LC Portland MI Pastor; Retirement Call	6/23/2019
Rev Jeffrey Mahnke	St Peter LC - Schofield Campus Schofield WI	Good Shepherd LC Beloit WI Pastor	6/23/2019
Rev Michael Neumann	St Paul LC Alexandria MN	Zion LC Marathon WI St John LC Edgar WI Pastor	6/23/2019
Rev James Grabitske	Trinity LC Buffalo MN St Paul LC Montrose MN	St Mark LC Wallace MI Holy Cross LC Daggett MI Pastor	6/25/2019
Rev Stephen Daley	St Paul LC South Haven MI	Bethlehem LC Hortonville WI Associate Pastor	6/25/2019
Rev Joel Jaeger	Retired	Good Shepherd LC Beaver Dam WI Pastor; Quarter-Time Call	6/30/2019
Rev Nathanael Brenner	Holy Scripture LC Fort Wayne IN	Peace LC Green Lake WI Pastor	6/30/2019

Rev Shane Krause	Mt Olive LC Overland Park KS	St Paul LC Onalaska WI Associate Pastor	6/30/2019
Rev Kyle Burmeister	Beautiful Savior LC Summerville SC	Gethsemane LC Tigard OR Pastor	6/30/2019
Rev Joshua Odell	St John LC Phelps WI Christ LC Eagle River WI	St Luke LC Watertown WI Associate Pastor	6/30/2019
Rev Thadeus Flitter	Zion LC Valentine NE	Christ the Redeemer LC Barre VT Pastor	6/30/2019
Rev Todd Engel	St John LC Red Wing MN	St Paul's LC North Mankato MN Associate Pastor	6/30/2019
Pastor Nathan Loersch	Shepherd of the Lakes LC Fenton MI	Illumine LC Rock Hill SC Pastor	6/30/2019
Rev David Salinas	Sure Foundation LC Woodside NY	Christ the Lord LC Houston TX Pastor	6/30/2019
Rev Mark Kahrs	Calvary LC Glenwood MN	St Paul's LC Mound City SD Zion LC Akaska SD Pastor	7/1/2019
Rev Jacob Behnken	Good Shepherd LC Midland MI	Faith LC Antioch IL Associate Pastor	7/2/2019
Rev David Kapler	Trinity LC Mountain Home AR	Beautiful Savior LC Topeka KS Pastor	7/2/2019
Rev Mark Westra	Prince of Peace LC Fairport NY	Zion LC Chesaning MI Pastor	7/7/2019
Rev Jonathan Fischer	Resurrection LC Chesapeake VA	Trinity LC Nicollet MN Pastor	7/7/2019
Rev Joshua Shandor	King of Kings LC Little Rock AR	St Peter LC Brodhead WI Pastor	7/7/2019
Rev Paul Krueger	Shepherd of the Hills LC Winchester VA	Mt Lebanon LC Milwaukee WI Associate Pastor	7/7/2019
Rev Ryan Wolfe	Redeemer LC Mandan ND	Martin Luther LC Oshkosh WI Associate Pastor	7/7/2019
Rev William King	St Paul LC Tomah WI	Good Shepherd LC Cedar Rapids IA Pastor	7/7/2019

Rev Allen Kirschbaum	Spirit of Life LC Caledonia MI	Trinity LC Woodbridge VA Pastor	7/7/2019
Rev Aaron Duve	Holy Redeemer LC Port Huron MI	St John LC Glencoe MN Pastor	7/8/2019
Rev Nathan Buege	Victory of the Lamb LC Katy TX	Salem LC Milwaukee WI Associate Pastor	7/9/2019
Rev Mark Rieke	CRM	First LC La Crescent MN Pastor	7/9/2019
Rev Benjamin Zuberbier	Trinity LC Eugene OR	Zion LC Columbus WI Associate Pastor	7/9/2019
Rev Michael Schroeder	Living Hope LC Wildomar CA	The Springs LC Sparks NV Pastor	7/9/2019
Rev Joseph Fricke	St Paul LC Mauston WI	Board for Home Missions Mission Counselor	7/9/2019
Rev Joseph Johnson	Amazing Grace LC Portland OR	Goodview Trinity LC Goodview MN Pastor	7/10/2019
Rev Brian Krueger	Bloomington LC Bloomington MN	St John's LC Pardeeville WI Pastor	7/10/2019
Rev Joel Sauer	St Peter's LC Sturgeon Bay WI	Atonement LC Milwaukee WI Associate Pastor	7/11/2019

<b>Teachers</b>	<b>Current call</b>	<b>New call</b>	<b>Date issued</b>
Ms Dianne Martin	Salem LS Colorado Springs CO	Immanuel LS La Crosse WI ECM Teacher	6/2/2019
Mrs Carol Campbell		Emmanuel LC Tempe AZ ECM Teacher	6/23/2019
Mrs Stephanie Sitzman		Emanuel Redeemer LS Yale MI Teacher; Kindergarten- Grade 2, Part-Time, One- Year Call	6/23/2019
Mrs Rebecca Fricke		St Paul LS Wonewoc WI Teacher; Kindergarten, One Year Call	6/26/2019
Mrs Jacquelyn Engelbrecht		St John LS Lannon WI Teacher; Grades 3-4, Half-Time, Limited Duration Call	6/27/2019

Mr Brian Haack		Faith LC Fond du Lac WI Teacher; Grade 7, One-Year, Limited Duration Call	6/30/2019
Mrs Rachel Timmermann		Holy Trinity Lutheran Preschool Wyoming MI Teacher; Pre-Kindergarten, Part-Time Call	6/30/2019
Mrs Rebecca Guenther		St Paul's LC New Ulm MN ECM Teacher	7/6/2019
Mrs Ruth Bourman		Mt Lebanon LC Milwaukee WI Teacher; K5, One Year Call	7/7/2019
Miss Hannah Zabel		First LS La Crosse WI Teacher; Grades 7-8	7/7/2019
Mrs Naomi Porth		Pilgrim LC Menomonee Falls WI Teacher Grades 5-6	7/7/2019
Ms Jennifer Werre		Zion LS Columbus WI Teacher; Grades 7-8, Remedial, One-Year Call	7/9/2019
Mrs Anita Krienke	Mt Olive LS Mankato MN	Mt Olive LS Overland Park KS Teacher; Grade 1, Grades 7 & 8	7/12/2019

## CALLS ACCEPTED

Pastors	Current call	New call	Date accepted
Rev David Koelpin	Living Savior LC Littleton CO	New Mission Folsom CA Pastor	7/6/2019
Rev Paul Jansen	St Michael's LC Fountain City WI	Salem LC Ann Arbor MI Pastor	7/10/2019

  

Teachers	Current call	New call	Date accepted
Miss Alissa Ambroso	Winnebago Lutheran Academy Fond du Lac WI	Winnebago Lutheran Academy Fond du Lac WI Teacher; Social Studies	6/21/2019
Ms Terry Steinke		Peace LS Granger IN Teacher; Upper Grades	6/23/2019

Ms Bonnie Boyle		Resurrection LS Chesapeake VA Director & Teacher; Preschool	7/1/2019
Mr Kenneth Kasten	Bethlehem LS Hortonville WI	Bethlehem LS Hortonville WI Principal; Part-Time Call	7/9/2019
Mrs Lisa Wendt	St John LS Caledonia MN	St John LS Caledonia MN Teacher; Grades 5-6, One-Year, Limited Duration Call	7/9/2019
Ms Nicole Beckendorf		St Matthew LS Stoddard WI Teacher; Preschool, Half- Time, One-Year, Provisional Call	7/9/2019
Mrs Colleen Gentele	Christ LS Eagle River WI	Christ LS Eagle River WI Teacher; Kindergarten, Part-Time Call	7/10/2019
Mr Collin Mayer	St Paul LS Franklin WI	St Paul's LC Franklin WI Teacher; Grade 6	7/10/2019
Mrs Abby Zuberbier	Emanuel LS New London WI	Emanuel LS New London WI Teacher; Upper Grades, Limited Duration Call	7/10/2019
Ms Maria Felten		St John LS Caledonia MN Teacher; Morning Preschool & Afternoon Resource Teacher, One- Year, Provisional Call	7/11/2019
Mrs Eve Headrick	Christ LS Eagle River WI	Christ LS Eagle River WI Teacher; Kindergarten, Part-Time Call	7/13/2019
Mrs Tina Holzhueter	Crown of Life Christian Academy Fort Atkinson WI	Crown of Life Christian Academy Fort Atkinson WI ECM Teacher; K4, Half- Time Call	7/14/2019
Mrs Melissa Minzlaff	St Paul LS Livonia MI	Huron Valley Lutheran High School Westland MI Teacher; Part-Time, Limited Length Call	7/15/2019

## CALLS DECLINED

Pastors	Current call	New call	Date declined
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Rev Zachary Gebert	Bethany LC - Parkway Campus Appleton WI	Faith LC Dexter MI Pastor	7/11/2019
Rev Benjamin Berger	St Paul LC Winneconne WI	Good Shepherd LC Benton Harbor MI Pastor	7/12/2019
Rev Aaron Boehm	Shepherd of the Hills LC La Mesa CA	Bethlehem LC Menomonee Falls WI Associate Pastor	7/12/2019
Rev Todd Krueger	Zion LC Eitzen MN	Zion LC Rhineland WI Associate Pastor	7/13/2019
Rev Michael Kuschel	St Matthew LC (Flora) Renville MN & Danube MN	St John (Slades Corners) LC Burlington WI Pastor	7/13/2019

<b>Teachers</b>	<b>Current call</b>	<b>New call</b>	<b>Date declined</b>
Mrs Wendy Seelhoff		Holy Trinity LS Wyoming MI Teacher; Grades 6-8	7/9/2019
Mr Kenric Peterson		St John LS Bay City MI Teacher; Grade 7-8	7/10/2019
Mrs Brenda Carpenter		Good Shepherd LS Burnsville MN Teacher; Grades 3-4	7/10/2019
Mrs Ruth Lee		Ascension Lutheran Preschool Plymouth MN ECM Teacher	7/10/2019

## **CALLED TO ETERNAL GLORY**

<b>Teachers</b>	<b>Home church</b>	<b>Death date</b>
Prof Fred Bartel	Eastside LC Madison WI	7/7/2019

## **RETIREMENT**

<b>Pastors</b>	<b>Current call</b>	<b>Date retired</b>
Rev Kenneth Pasch	Thailand Mission	7/31/2019
Rev Robert Edwards	Our Savior's LC Wausau WI	8/31/2019
Rev William Schaefer	St John's LC Milwaukee WI	12/31/2019

## LIMITED LENGTH CALL EXPIRED

Teachers	Current call	Date effective
Mr Kenneth Kasten	Trinity LS Neenah WI	6/30/2019
Miss Cassandra Doering	St John LS Montello WI	6/30/2019