



## Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod

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

8/9/2022 - 8/15/2022

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 Frederick Schleg	Beautiful Savior LC Everett WA	Palos LC Palos Heights IL Pastor	7/10/2022
Rev Philip Schupmann	Resurrection LC Aurora IL	St Peter LC Juneau WI Pastor; Part-Time Call	7/10/2022
Rev Kenley Mann	The Lutheran Home Belle Plaine MN	St Peter LC Elmwood WI St Matthew LC Spring Valley WI Pastor	7/12/2022
Rev M John Derme	Shepherd of the Mountains LC Reno NV	Faith LC Antioch IL Associate Pastor	7/14/2022
Rev Joshua Janke	Risen Savior LC Mc Farland WI	St Luke LC Little Chute WI Pastor	7/17/2022
Rev Jason Zuehlke	Shepherd of the Lakes LC Fairmont MN	St Luke LC New Lisbon WI Pastor	7/17/2022
Rev Jason Strong	Light of the World LC Fairbanks AK	St John LC Wauwatosa WI Associate Pastor	7/19/2022
Rev James Werner	Reformation LC San Diego CA	St Paul's LC North Mankato MN Associate Pastor	7/19/2022
Rev Caleb Bassett	Redeemer LC Fallbrook CA	Shepherd of the Hills LC Inver Grove Heights MN Pastor	7/21/2022

Pastor Matthew Nowak	Trinity LC Jenera OH	Our Savior LC Kasson MN Pastor	7/24/2022
Rev Aaron Kristopeit	St Peter LC Weyauwega WI	Abiding Love LC Cape Coral FL Pastor	7/24/2022
Rev Bruce Schwark	Rockwood LC Manitowoc WI	Trinity LC Omak WA Pastor; Retirement Call	7/24/2022
Rev Stephen Lehmann	Mt Olive LC Iron Mountain MI	Water of Life LC - Caledonia Campus Racine WI Associate Pastor	7/25/2022
Rev Stephen Kruschel	St John LC Two Rivers WI	St John LC Wetaskiwin AB Canada Mighty Fortress LC Red Deer AB Canada Pastor	7/25/2022
Rev Timothy Denney	Shepherd of the Hills LC Duluth MN	Immanuel LC Neenah WI Pastor	7/26/2022
Rev Joel Pankow	Trinity LC Bay City MI	St John LC Fairfax MN Pastor	7/26/2022
Rev Daniel Walters	Good Shepherd LC Burnsville MN	Salem LC Owosso MI Associate Pastor	7/26/2022
Rev David Horton	Beautiful Savior LC Petoskey MI	Living Hope LC Peoria IL Pastor	7/27/2022
Rev Thomas Lee Wilsmann	Retired	Zion LC Ogema WI St John LC Rib Lake WI Pastor; Retirement Call	7/28/2022
Rev Tyler Peil	Prince of Peace LC Salt Lake City UT	Timothy LC Saint Louis Park MN Pastor	7/28/2022
Rev Jeffrey Schmidt	Emanuel LC Flint MI	Our Redeemer's LC Martin SD Rock of Ages LC Gordon NE Pastor	7/28/2022
Pastor Keith Schleis	Abiding Faith LC Smyrna TN	Grace LC Crivitz WI Pastor	7/31/2022
Rev Aaron Duve	Holy Redeemer LC Port Huron MI	St John LC Fremont WI Pastor	7/31/2022
Rev Timothy Blauert	St John LC Centuria WI	St Paul LC North Freedom WI Pastor	7/31/2022

	Redeemer LC Saint Croix Falls WI		
Rev Brett Krause	Zion LC Denver CO	Good Shepherd LC Holmen WI Pastor	7/31/2022
Rev David Backus	Eternal Love LC Appleton WI	Immanuel LC Salem OR Pastor	7/31/2022
Rev Nathanael Brenner	Holy Scripture LC Fort Wayne IN	Bethany LC Fort Atkinson WI Associate Pastor; Lead Campus Pastor	8/2/2022
Rev Jon Hadler	St Matthew LC Marathon WI	Immanuel LC Lakeside AZ Pastor	8/2/2022
Rev Luke Myslik	Zion LC Peshtigo WI	St John LC Whitewater WI Pastor	8/3/2022
Rev Brian Roloff	Ascension LC Plymouth MN	New Mission Start Wichita KS Pastor	8/3/2022
Rev Matthew Reis	Trinity LC Bangor MI	St John LC Sturgeon Bay WI Pastor	8/3/2022
Rev David Parsons	Holy Cross LC Tucson AZ	First German LC Manitowoc WI Associate Pastor	8/4/2022
Rev Nathan Buege	Victory of the Lamb LC Katy TX	St John LC St John's Saint John Antigua Pastor	8/4/2022
Rev Johnold Strey	Crown of Life LC Hubertus WI	Our Redeemer LC Madison WI Associate Pastor	8/7/2022
Rev Frederic Berger	St Paul's LC Plymouth NE	Immanuel LC Greenville WI Associate Pastor	8/7/2022
Rev Jeremy Belter	Shepherd of the Valley LC Westminster CO	Redeemer LC Tomahawk WI Pastor	8/7/2022
Rev Daniel Lange	Light of Life LC Covington WA	Trinity LC Watertown WI Associate Pastor	8/7/2022
Rev Andrew DeGier	Trinity LC Merrill WI	St John LC Caledonia MN Associate Pastor	8/7/2022
Rev Wolf Parsons	Divine Savior LC Shawano WI	St John's LC Dakota MN Pastor	8/7/2022

Rev John Ehlers	Cross of Glory LC Peoria AZ	Trinity LC Saline MI Associate Pastor	8/7/2022
Rev Eric Roecker	Commission on Evangelism	Resurrection LC Aurora IL Associate Pastor	8/7/2022
Rev Andrew DeGier	Trinity LC Merrill WI	Crown of Life LC Warren MI Pastor	8/7/2022
Rev James Backus	St Mark's LC Watertown WI	St Paul's LC Rapid City SD Associate Pastor	8/7/2022
Rev Clinton Kreuziger	Crown of Life LC Marietta OH	St Andrew LC Middleton WI Associate Pastor; Service & Outreach	8/7/2022
Rev Joshua Odell	Christ LC Eagle River WI	Christ Our Rock LC Rochester MN Pastor	8/8/2022
Rev Andrew Schroer	Redeemer LC Edna TX	New Mission Start Collinsville IL Pastor	8/8/2022
Rev Jeremy Schulz	Good Shepherd LC The Woodlands TX	Mt Olive LC Lincoln NE Pastor	8/8/2022
Rev Nathan Fager	St Paul LC Monroe MI	Grace LC Manitowoc WI Pastor	8/9/2022
Rev Michael Schroeder	Living Hope LC Wildomar CA	Our Redeemer LC Yorktown VA Pastor	8/9/2022
Rev Joel Hoff	Trinity LC Neenah WI	Multi-Language Productions TELL Missionary	8/9/2022
Rev Mark Voss	Immanuel LC Long Valley NJ	St John LC & Trinity LC Janesville MN Pastor	8/10/2022
Rev Paul Micheel	St Paul LC Grant Park IL	St Paul's LC Fort Atkinson WI Associate Pastor	8/11/2022
Rev Joshua Sternhagen	Living Hope LC Commerce City CO	Salem LC Woodbury MN Pastor	8/11/2022
<b>Teachers</b>	<b>Current call</b>	<b>New call</b>	<b>Date issued</b>
Miss Jamie Buss	St John LS Wrightstown WI	St John LS Wrightstown WI ECM Director	7/18/2022

Mrs Jessica Killinger	Bethel LS Bay City MI	Bethel LS Bay City MI Teacher; Kindergarten	7/28/2022
Mr David Noack		Crown of Life LS West Saint Paul MN Teacher; Grade 7, Less- Than-Half Time, Retirement Call	7/31/2022
Mr Garrett Schoch		St Croix Lutheran Academy West Saint Paul MN Teacher; Instructor & Coach, One-Year Call	8/10/2022
Mrs Kelley Gowling		St Paul LS Menomonie WI Teacher; Grade 4, Athletic Director, Provisional Call	8/14/2022

<b>Staff Ministers</b>	<b>Current call</b>	<b>New call</b>	<b>Date issued</b>
Mr Andrew Carter	Grace LC Milwaukee WI	Divine Savior LC-Delray Beach FL Delray Beach FL Congregation Staff Minister	7/21/2022

## **CALLS ACCEPTED**

<b>Pastors</b>	<b>Current call</b>	<b>New call</b>	<b>Date accepted</b>
Rev Cale Mead	Christ LC Juneau AK	New Mission Start Canton GA Pastor	7/29/2022
Prof em James Pope	Retired	Conference of Presidents Forward in Christ Executive editor; Retirement Call	8/12/2022
Rev Noah Willitz	Living Savior LC Missoula MT	Deer Valley LC Phoenix AZ Pastor	8/12/2022
Rev M Scott Martz	Living Faith LC Midlothian TX	Valley View LC Helena MT Pastor	8/14/2022
Rev Dale Hella	St Peter LC Juneau WI	St Mark's LC Watertown WI Associate Pastor; Assistant Spanish Pastor, Quarter-Time Call - St. Mark Watertown WI	8/14/2022

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Mrs Bonnie Wilcox	Evergreen Lutheran High School Tacoma WA	Evergreen Lutheran High School Tacoma WA Teacher; English, Art, One-Year, Three-Quarter Time Call	7/8/2022
Mrs Maggie Lindemann	Trinity LS West Bend WI	Trinity LS West Bend WI Teacher; Half-Time Call, Administrative Release Time Teacher	8/3/2022
Mr Jonah Gauger	Shoreland Lutheran High School Kenosha WI	Shoreland Lutheran High School Kenosha WI Director of Academic Support; Provisional Call	8/9/2022
Mr Timothy Prost	Christ-St Peter LS-West Campus Milwaukee WI	Christ-St Peter LS-West Campus Milwaukee WI Teacher; Middle School, Provisional Call	8/11/2022

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Mr Kyle Heise	Grace LC Falls Church VA	Bloomington LC Bloomington MN Congregation Staff Minister; Youth & Family Minister, Provisional Call	8/9/2022
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## **CALLS DECLINED**

<b>Pastors</b>	<b>Current call</b>	<b>New call</b>	<b>Date declined</b>
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Rev Lucas Proeber	St Paul LC Wisconsin Rapids WI	Trinity LC Neenah WI Associate Pastor	7/23/2022
Rev Joel Vogel	St Mark LC Lincoln NE	Redeemer LC Mandan ND Pastor	8/8/2022
Rev Jonathan Kehl	Crown of Life LC New Orleans LA	Trinity LC Waukesha WI Associate Pastor	8/8/2022
Rev Jeffrey Grundmeier	Immanuel LC Sault Sainte Marie MI	Peace LC King of Prussia PA Pastor	8/11/2022
Rev Donald Windsperger Jr	Zion LC Colome SD	St Paul's LC Broken Bow NE Pastor	8/12/2022
Rev Clint Rogas Jr	Abiding Faith LC Pinehurst TX	Grace LC Spring Hill FL Pastor	8/12/2022

Rev Benjy Pederson	Cross of Christ LC Coon Rapids MN	Good Shepherd LC West Bend WI Associate Pastor	8/13/2022
Rev Joel Seifert	Beautiful Savior LC Marietta GA	Riverview LC Appleton WI Associate Pastor	8/13/2022
Rev Eric Schroeder	St John LC Wauwatosa WI	New Mission Start Windsor CO Pastor	8/13/2022
Rev Nicholas Guillaume	Grace LC Casa Grande AZ	New Life LC Rockford IL Pastor	8/14/2022
Rev Tyler Shinnick	Martin Luther LC Neenah WI	St John's LC Juneau WI Associate Pastor	8/14/2022

<b>Teachers</b>	<b>Current call</b>	<b>New call</b>	<b>Date declined</b>
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Mr Ethan Jaeger		Christ-St Peter LS-West Campus Milwaukee WI Teacher; Middle School Math, One-Year Call	8/8/2022
Mr Ethan Jaeger		Risen Savior LS - Main Campus LES Milwaukee WI Teacher; Grade 5, One- Year Call	8/13/2022
Mr Ethan Jaeger		St Philip LS Milwaukee WI Teacher; Departmentalized Middle Grades, One-Year Call	8/13/2022

<b>Staff Ministers</b>	<b>Current call</b>	<b>New call</b>	<b>Date declined</b>
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Mr Scott Wagner	Christian Giving Counselor Dakota-Montana District	Mt Olive LC & LS Overland Park KS Congregation Staff Minister; Religion, Grades 5-12	8/12/2022
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## **RETIREMENT**

<b>Teachers</b>	<b>Current call</b>	<b>Date retired</b>
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Mrs Kristine Witt	Star of Bethlehem LS New Berlin WI	6/30/2022
Mrs Kimberly Edgington	St John's LS Burlington WI	6/30/2022
Mrs Linda Hering	Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School Jackson WI	6/30/2023

