



Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod

Pastor, teacher, and staff minister call report

11/29/2016 - 12/5/2016

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 Samuel J Hacker III	Grace LC Flint MI	Palos LC Palos Heights IL Pastor	11/6/2016
Rev Tyler R Peil	St John LC Stanton NE	Shepherd of the Hills LC Knoxville TN Pastor	11/6/2016
Rev Nathan R Ericson	Martin Luther LC Oshkosh WI	Cross of Glory LC Baton Rouge LA Pastor	11/6/2016
Rev Robert J Guenther	Grace LC Kenai AK	St Paul LC Saginaw MI Associate Pastor	11/6/2016
Rev Noah M Headrick	Grace LC Saint Joseph MI	Prince of Peace LC Thousand Oaks CA Pastor	11/6/2016
Rev John M Stelter	Our Savior LC Harrisonville MO	St John LC Princeton WI Pastor	11/6/2016
Rev Jonathan A Kuske	Good Shepherd LC Jacksonville FL	St Matthew LC Appleton WI Associate Pastor	11/7/2016
Rev Philip E Janke	New Hope LC Racine WI	Winnebago Lutheran Academy Fond du Lac WI Coordinator of Recruitment and Communication	11/8/2016

Rev David A Rockhoff	Friedens LC Kenosha WI	St Peter LC Dorr MI Pastor	11/9/2016
Rev David P Bostedt	Zion LC Torrance CA	East Fork LC Whiteriver AZ Canyon Day LC Whiteriver AZ Pastor	11/9/2016
Rev Kenneth L Brokmeier	Our Savior LC Brookings SD	St John's LC New Ulm MN Associate Pastor	11/13/2016
Rev Beck H Goldbeck	Manitowoc Lutheran High School Manitowoc WI	Bethany LC Manitowoc WI Associate Pastor	11/13/2016
Rev Timothy M Flunker	National Hispanic Consultant	Centennial LC Milwaukee WI Pastor	11/13/2016
Rev Benjamin B Wessel	Woodlawn LC West Allis WI	Eastside LC Madison WI Associate Pastor	11/13/2016
Rev Jason A Strong	Light of the World LC Fairbanks AK	Our Redeemer LC Yorktown VA Pastor	11/13/2016
Rev John E Seelman	Salem LC Sturgeon Bay WI	Immanuel LC Oshkosh WI Pastor	11/14/2016
Rev Scott E Wolfram	Divine Word LC Plover WI	New Life LC Rockford IL Pastor	11/14/2016
Rev Brett J Krause	Zion LC Denver CO	Fox Valley Lutheran High School Appleton WI Teacher	11/15/2016
Rev Randy K Hunter	St Andrew LC Middleton WI	Atlanta Mission Intown GA Pastor	11/17/2016
Rev Jonathan R Hein	Beautiful Savior LC Summerville SC	Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary Mequon WI Professor of Evangelism and New Testament	11/17/2016
Rev Joel M Schwartz	Peace LC Trinity FL	Amazing Grace LC Florence KY Pastor	11/17/2016
Rev Daniel M Lindner	St John's LC Minneapolis MN	New mission Victoria TX Pastor	11/18/2016
Rev Jeffrey P Mahnke	St Peter LC Schofield WI	Trinity LC Belle Plaine MN Associate Pastor	11/20/2016

Rev Joshua P Hillmann	Christ LC Beatrice NE	Immanuel LC Hadar NE Pastor	11/20/2016
Rev Adam M Bode	Riverview LC Appleton WI	Good Shepherd LC Omaha NE Pastor	11/21/2016
Rev David M Endorf	St John St Peter LC Cleveland WI	Grace LC Dalton WI Trinity LC Friesland WI Pastor	11/22/2016
Rev Brian P Hackmann	Peace LC Eagle River AK	Mountain View LC Great Falls MT Pastor	11/27/2016
Rev Dustin S Blumer	Amazing Love LC Frankfort IL	Good Shepherd LC Deltona FL Pastor	11/27/2016
Rev Jeffrey H Sonntag	Crown of Life LC Cadillac MI	Zion LC Greenleaf WI Associate Pastor	11/27/2016
Rev Snowden G Sims	St Paul's LC Columbus OH	Saint John LC St John's Antigua Pastor	11/28/2016
Rev Galen J Riediger	Christ LC West Salem WI	St Paul LC Wisconsin Rapids WI Associate Pastor	11/28/2016
Rev Carlos C Leyrer	Divine Savior LC Doral FL	Grace LC Grand Anse Saint George Grenada Pastor	11/28/2016
Rev Jesse A Stern	Peace LC Boulder CO	Gethsemane LC Oklahoma City OK Pastor	11/28/2016
Rev Kenneth L Frey	St Paul LC Appleton WI	St John LC Lake City MN Pastor	11/29/2016
Rev Timothy R Gerbing	Christ LC Pewaukee WI	Nigeria and Cameroon Missionary	11/29/2016
Rev Timothy L Bode	Abiding Savior LC Elk River MN	Trinity LC Minocqua WI Pastor	11/29/2016
Rev Joshua R Odell	St John LC Phelps WI Land O' Lakes Lutheran Outreach Land O' Lakes WI Christ LC Eagle River WI	Shepherd of the Hills LC Duluth MN Pastor	11/29/2016
Rev David A Backus	Our Savior LC Springville NY	Eternal Love LC Appleton WI Associate Pastor	11/29/2016

Rev Steven R Tews	St Peter's LC Balaton MN	Immanuel LC De Pere WI St Paul LC Greenleaf WI Pastor	11/30/2016
Rev Nicholas J Guillaume	Abiding Word LC Maineville OH	Grace LC Casa Grande AZ Pastor	12/1/2016
Rev David J Salinas	Grace LC Yakima WA	Sure Foundation LC Woodside NY Associate Pastor	12/4/2016

Teachers	Current call	New call	Date issued
Mrs Tina M Sauer	St Paul LS Green Bay WI	St Paul LS Green Bay WI Teacher; One-Year, Half-Time Call	11/1/2016
Mrs Andrea M Indahl	Arizona Lutheran Academy Phoenix AZ	Arizona Lutheran Academy Phoenix AZ Teacher; Art, One-Year Call	11/1/2016
Mrs Laura R Cherney	St Paul LS Green Bay WI	St Paul LS Green Bay WI Teacher; Permanent, Part-Time Call	11/1/2016
Mr Kirk D Schauland	St Martin's LS Watertown SD	Emanuel LS New London WI Teacher; Upper Grades and Technology Director	11/2/2016
Mrs Ginger L Austin	St John's LS Sparta WI	St John's LS Sparta WI Teacher; Grades 5-6	11/6/2016
Mr Greg T Obermiller	Trinity LS Marinette WI	St John LS Fremont WI Principal and Grades 5-8	11/6/2016
Mr Kyle M Bender	St Paul LS Beverly Hills FL	St John's LS Burlington WI Principal and Upper Grades; Departmentalized	11/7/2016
Mr Peter A Mathwig	St Peter LS Weyauwega WI	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL Teacher; High School/Middle School Math	11/7/2016
Mr Justin E Groth	St Paul LS Bangor WI	Salem LS Milwaukee WI Teacher Grade 3	11/7/2016
Mrs Beth A Kramp		Redeemer LS Fond du Lac WI	11/9/2016

ECM Teacher; Half-Time
Call

Mrs Linda A Baumann	St John LS Lomira WI	Trinity LS Jenera OH Teacher; Grades 3-4	11/13/2016
Mrs Melissa M Berg	St Paul LS Rapid City SD	St Paul LS Rapid City SD Teacher; Kindergarten	11/13/2016
Miss Karen A Luehring	Apostles LS San Jose CA	Christ-St Peter LS-West Campus Milwaukee WI Teacher; Grade 3	11/13/2016
Miss Amy P Hankemeier	New Hope Lutheran Academy West Melbourne FL	St Luke LS Oakfield WI Teacher	11/13/2016
Mrs Emily Cantwell		Mt Olive LS Overland Park KS Teacher; Grades 2-4	11/13/2016
Mr Jonathan P Stern	Word of Life LS Milwaukee WI	Siloah LS Milwaukee WI Teacher; Grade 4	11/15/2016
Mrs Rebekah A Schmidt	Shepherd of the Valley LS Menasha WI	Shepherd of the Valley LS Menasha WI Teacher; Primary Grades, One-Year, Half-Time Call	11/15/2016
Miss Joanna J Smith	St Paul LS Moline IL	Siloah LS Milwaukee WI Teacher; Grade 1	11/15/2016
Mr Andrew J Baxter	St Lucas LS Milwaukee WI	Fox Valley Lutheran High School Appleton WI Teacher; Practical/Professional Arts	11/15/2016
Ms Meghan Niemann		Garden Homes LS Milwaukee WI Teacher; Grade 2, Provisional Call	11/15/2016
Mr Chris C Poetter	Holy Cross LS Madison WI	Holy Cross LS Madison WI Principal and Grades 7-8	11/20/2016
Mr Stephen H Kamps	First LS Lake Geneva WI	Shepherd LS Albuquerque NM Teacher; Grades 3-5	11/20/2016
Mrs Kirsten R Duin	Cross of Christ LS Coon Rapids MN	St Martin's LS Watertown SD Teacher; Grade 2/ECM Director	11/20/2016
Mr Joseph R Greefkes	St Paul LS South Haven MI	Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School Jackson WI Teacher; Activities Director	11/21/2016

Miss Jennifer L Quint	First German LS Manitowoc WI	Bethany LS Kenosha WI Teacher; Kindergarten	11/21/2016
Mrs Gretchen M Plitzuweit	St Paul LS Green Bay WI	Bethlehem LS-South Menomonee Falls WI Teacher; Grade 5	11/22/2016
Mr Cory D Olson	St Croix Lutheran Grades 6-12 West Saint Paul MN	Michigan Lutheran Seminary Saginaw MI Professor of Spanish	11/22/2016
Mrs Jennifer Krauklis		Lakeside Lutheran High School Lake Mills WI Teacher; Phy Ed, Provisional Call	11/22/2016
Mr Joshua T Schmidt	Riverview LS Appleton WI	St Stephen LS Beaver Dam WI Teacher; Upper Grades Departmentalized and Athletic Director	11/27/2016
Mrs Kelly N Heldman		St James Lutheran Preschool Portage MI ECM Director; Half-Time Call	11/27/2016
Mrs Beckie L Bekemeyer		St Paul LS Plymouth NE Teacher; Grades 4-5	11/27/2016
Mr Joshua J Schoeneck	Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School Jackson WI	Martin Luther College New Ulm MN Director of Academic Computing and Online Learning	12/3/2016
Miss Kari A Munte		Martin Luther College New Ulm MN Professor of Social Sciences	12/3/2016
Mr Tyson J Zarnstorff	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL	Martin Luther College New Ulm MN Professor of Mathematics	12/3/2016
Mr Jonathan A Laabs		Martin Luther College New Ulm MN Professor of Music	12/3/2016
Mr Timothy D Grundmeier		Martin Luther College New Ulm MN Professor of History	12/3/2016
Miss Rachel R Fredrich	St Croix Lutheran Grades 6-12 West Saint Paul MN	Martin Luther College New Ulm MN Professor of Mathematics	12/3/2016
Mr James R Brohn	Morning Star LS Jackson WI	Peace LS Livonia MI Principal and Grades 7-8	12/4/2016

Mr Jacob Unke		Lord & Savior LS Crystal Lakes IL Interim Principal and Upper Grades Teacher; Limited Duration Call	12/4/2016
Mrs Jessica Bohl		Reformation LS San Diego CA Teacher; Release Time and Fine Arts, One-Year, Part-Time Call	12/4/2016
Mr Adam R Bohl	Reformation LS San Diego CA	Reformation LS San Diego CA Teacher; Grades 7-8	12/4/2016

Staff ministers	Current call	New call	Date issued
Mr Jason K Fry	CRM	Trinity LC Marinette WI Staff minister	11/13/2016
Dr Scott A Gostchock	Pilgrim LC Minneapolis MN	Grace in Action Minneapolis MN Director of Program Development	11/17/2016

CALLS ACCEPTED

Pastors	Current call	New call	Date accepted
Rev Dennis W Meier	Retired	Good Shepherd LC Beaver Dam WI Associate Pastor Retirement call	11/22/2016
Rev David J Furno	St John LC Westland MI	St John LC Lake Benton MN Pastor	12/4/2016
Rev William J Schaefer	St John's LC Milwaukee WI	St John's LC Milwaukee WI Pastor Call made permanent	12/4/2016
Rev Nathaniel T Timmermann	Salem LC Stillwater MN	Peace LC Otsego MI Pastor	12/4/2016

Teachers	Current call	New call	Date accepted
Mrs Catherine E Dusseau	St Lucas LS Milwaukee WI	St Lucas LS Milwaukee WI ECM Teacher	11/28/2016
Mr Mishaal K Al-Eisa	Rocky Mountain Lutheran High School Commerce City CO	Arizona Lutheran Academy Phoenix AZ Teacher; Spanish	11/28/2016

Ms Cheryl Belott		Wisconsin Lutheran High School Milwaukee WI Teacher; Spanish, Provisional Call	11/29/2016
Ms Emily Jiles		Wisconsin Lutheran High School Milwaukee WI Guidance, Provisional Call	12/1/2016
Prof Timothy J McEachern	Luther Preparatory School Watertown WI	Wisconsin Lutheran High School Milwaukee WI Teacher; Science	12/3/2016
Mr Seth Zimmermann	Salem LS Stillwater MN	Riverview LS Appleton WI Principal and Upper Grades; Departmentalized	12/4/2016
Mr Nathan J Hochmuth	Shoreland Lutheran High School Somers WI	Manitowoc Lutheran High School Manitowoc WI Teacher; Upper Level Math	12/4/2016
Mr Scott D Loberger	Arizona Lutheran Academy Phoenix AZ	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL Teacher; High School Social Studies and English	12/5/2016
Mr Daniel C Nolte	First LS Elkhorn WI	Shoreland Lutheran High School Somers WI Teacher; Director of Technology	12/5/2016

CALLS DECLINED

Pastors	Current call	New call	Date declined
Rev Caleb C Schoeneck	Beautiful Savior LC College Station TX	St Paul's LC Fort Atkinson WI Associate Pastor	11/28/2016
Rev Seth P Haakenson	Nebraska Evangelical Lutheran High School Waco NE	Star of Bethlehem LC Santa Maria CA Pastor	11/30/2016
Rev John D Qualmann	Immanuel LC Greenville WI	Wisconsin Lutheran Chapel Madison WI Pastor	12/1/2016
Rev Brian R Pechman	Risen Savior LC Pooler GA	St James LC Milwaukee WI Pastor	12/1/2016

Rev Joel T Sauer	St Peter's LC Sturgeon Bay WI	Abiding Love LC Cape Coral FL Pastor	12/3/2016
Teachers	Current call	New call	Date declined
Miss Hannah I Stahl	Redeemer LS Tucson AZ	St Mark Little Lions Preschool Salina KS ECM Director	11/28/2016
Prof Jonathan P Huebner	Michigan Lutheran Seminary Saginaw MI	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL Teacher; High School Math and Science	11/28/2016
Mrs Jennifer K Rannow	Peace Lutheran Preschool Holiday FL	Crown of Life LS Hubertus WI ECM Director	11/29/2016
Mr Aaron J Bauer	Garden Homes LS Milwaukee WI	Christ-St Peter LS-West Campus Milwaukee WI Teacher; Grade 4	12/1/2016
Mr Samuel D Korth	Trinity LS Belle Plaine MN	St John LS Neillsville WI Teacher; Grades 3-5	12/3/2016
Miss Alison J Kolander	Trinity LS Kaukauna WI	MLC Early Childhood Learning Center New Ulm MN ECM Teacher	12/3/2016
Mr Michael H Peek	Redeemer LS Tucson AZ	Good Shepherd LS Sioux Falls SD Principal	12/4/2016
Mr Jeffrey J Loberger	Christ the King School Palm Coast FL	Shoreland Lutheran High School Somers WI Principal	12/4/2016
Mr Luther P Curia	St Paul LS Howards Grove WI	St Paul LS Lake Mills WI Teacher; Grade 4	12/4/2016
Mr Jeffrey W Wetzal	St Paul LS Muskego WI	Wisconsin LS-Middle School (6-8) Racine WI Teacher; Grades 6-8 and Dean of Students	12/4/2016
Mr Nathan J Hochmuth	Shoreland Lutheran High School Somers WI	Luther Preparatory School Watertown WI Professor	12/4/2016
Mr Jacob L Steinmetz	Shepherd of the Valley LS Menasha WI	St Peter LS Saint Peter MN Teacher; Grades 6-8	12/4/2016

RESIGNED

Teachers	Current call	Date resigned
Mrs Melissa R Brown	Little Lambs Preschool/Childcare Deltona FL	11/30/2016
Mr Joel A Moeller	Lord and Savior LS Crystal Lake IL	12/4/2016

CALLED TO ETERNAL GLORY

Pastors	Home church	Death date
Prof Lyle W Lange		12/1/2016

Teachers	Home church	Death date
Mrs Lois E Schroeder	St John's LC New Ulm MN	11/26/2016

Staff Ministers	Home church	Death date
Mr David E Niederstadt	St John LC Hemlock MI	11/8/2016

RETIREMENT

Pastors	Current call	Date retired
Rev James H Babler	Zion LC Stetsonville WI	12/4/2016

Teachers	Current call	Date retired
Mr Carl S Nolte	Northwestern Publishing House Milwaukee WI	12/3/2016