



Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod

Pastor, teacher, and staff minister call report

12/22/2015 - 1/4/2016

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 Timothy C Bourman	Sure Foundation LC Woodside NY	Grace LC Sahuarita AZ Associate Pastor	12/6/2015
Rev Benjamin A Enstad	St John LC Sturgeon Bay-7NE WI	Risen Savior LC Navarre FL Pastor	12/6/2015
Rev Nathaniel J Winkel	Immanuel LC Hadar NE	Trinity LC Jenera OH Associate Pastor	12/6/2015
Rev Albert H Meier II	St Luke LC Jackson MI	Christ LC Lodi CA Pastor	12/7/2015
Rev Jeffrey A Bovee	St John's LC New Ulm MN	Emanuel LC Flint MI Pastor	12/8/2015
Rev Nathan C Buege	Victory of the Lamb LC Katy TX	Beautiful Saviour LC Carlsbad CA Pastor	12/9/2015
Rev Rodney H Rixe	Trinity LC Hoskins NE	St Paul's LC Arlington MN Pastor	12/13/2015
Rev Mark E Schutz	Hope LC Spearfish SD	Grace LC Charlotte NC Pastor	12/13/2015
Rev Abram J Degner	Christ the Lord LC-Sienna Plantation Missouri City TX Christ the Lord LC	Michigan Lutheran Seminary Saginaw MI Professor Spanish, Latin,	12/14/2015

	Houston TX	and Church History	
Rev David A Rockhoff	Friedens LC Kenosha WI	Peace LC Otsego MI Pastor	12/15/2015
Rev Paul J Hartman		Pastor Field Coordinator for Apache Mission Field Retirement Call	12/15/2015
Rev Michael D Helwig	Crown of Life LC Hubertus WI	St Paul's LC Menomonie WI Associate Pastor	12/15/2015
Rev Matthew J Brown	Beautiful Savior LC Clarksville TN	Bethany LC Hustisford WI Pastor	12/15/2015
Rev Scott A Schwertfeger	Zion LC Arlington WI	St Paul LC Onalaska WI Associate Pastor Youth and Family	12/15/2015
Rev Thomas G Unke	St Paul LC Howards Grove WI	Shepherd of the Hills LC Las Vegas NV Pastor	12/27/2015
Rev Matthew S Natsis	St Paul LC Saint James MN St John LC Darfur MN	Good Shepherd LC Livermore CA Pastor	12/27/2015
Rev Kirk E Lahmann	St John LC Burlington WI	Zion LC Mobridge SD St Jacobi LC Glenham SD Pastor	12/27/2015
Rev Andrew C Schultz	St John (Barre Mills) LC La Crosse WI	Cross of Glory LC Peoria AZ Associate Pastor	1/3/2016
Teachers	Current call	New call	Date issued

Mrs Rebecca M McGehee		Bethel LS Bay City MI Teacher Grades 1-2	11/22/2015
Ms Vanessa L King	Divine Peace LS Largo MD	First German LS Manitowoc WI Teacher Kindergarten	11/22/2015
Mr James D Weiland	St John LS Libertyville IL	St John LS Libertyville IL Teacher Grades 5-6 and Athletic Director; one- year call	11/30/2015
Mrs Heidi M Sullivan	Hope LS Penryn CA	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL Teacher Grade 4	11/30/2015
Mr Luke J Hartzell	Cross of Glory LS Peoria AZ	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy	11/30/2015

		Doral FL Teacher Grade 8 and Middle School Math & Science	
Ms Mollie E Dorn	Mt Calvary LS Redding CA	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL Teacher Grade 2	11/30/2015
Mr Bryan A Schneck	Faith LS Anchorage AK	Zion LS Monroe MI Principal and Grades 7-8	12/1/2015
Miss Sarah A Seelow	St John's LS Burlington WI	St Paul LS Lake Mills WI Teacher Grade 2	12/2/2015
Mr Craig R Hirschmann	St John LC Milwaukee WI	Martin Luther College New Ulm MN Professor Music	12/5/2015
Mr Todd M Jahns	Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School Jackson WI	Martin Luther College New Ulm MN Professor Physical education and science professor and men's basketball coach	12/5/2015
Mr Erik B Landwehr	Trinity LC Castries St Lucia Castries	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL Teacher High School Social Studies	12/6/2015
Mrs Jessica M Figueroa	St Peter LS Appleton WI	St John LC Dowagiac MI ECM Director	12/6/2015
Mr Phillip P Scriver		Christ Our Redeemer LS Aurora CO Principal and Grades 6-8	12/6/2015
Mrs Nicole M Cottman	St Philip LS Milwaukee WI	Grace LS Oshkosh WI Teacher Grade 1	12/13/2015
Miss Anne E Marquardt	Gloria Dei LS Belmont CA	Holy Trinity LS Des Moines WA ECM Director	12/13/2015
Mr Peter A Iles		Lakeside Lutheran High School Lake Mills WI Teacher Technology Coordinator	12/13/2015
Mrs Megan E Prater	Cross of Christ LS Coon Rapids MN	Cross of Christ LS Coon Rapids MN Teacher Grades 3-4	12/13/2015
Mr Brandon T Gierach	Cross of Christ LS Coon Rapids MN	Cross of Christ LS Coon Rapids MN Teacher Grades 5-6	12/13/2015
Mr Isaiah W Degner	Fox Valley Lutheran High	Arizona Lutheran	12/14/2015

	School Appleton WI	Academy Phoenix AZ Teacher Spanish	
Mr Keith J Hackbarth		St John LS Wauwatosa WI Teacher Departmentalized Classes	12/14/2015
Mr Matthew K Doering	Lakeside Lutheran High School Lake Mills WI	Evergreen Lutheran High School Tacoma WA Development Director Director of Mission Advancement	12/15/2015
Mr Dane C Mattes	Trinity LS Brillion WI	Bethany LS Hustisford WI Principal and Grades 6-8	12/15/2015
Mrs Katherine L Horn		St Paul LS Appleton WI Teacher Grade 3 and Music Director	12/16/2015
Mr David M Rust	St John LS Milwaukee WI	St John LS Milwaukee WI Principal	12/16/2015
Miss Tonya M Wolff	Apostles LS San Jose CA	Sienna Lutheran Academy Missouri City TX Teacher Grades 3-8 Departmentalized	12/17/2015
Miss Emily Y Gorzalski	Loving Shepherd LS Milwaukee WI	Mount Olive LS Appleton WI Teacher Grade 3	12/17/2015
Miss Nicole M Beglinger	St Paul LS Norfolk NE	Mount Olive LS Appleton WI Teacher 5K	12/17/2015
Mr Aaron M Hartwig	St Paul LS North Fond du Lac WI	Columbia LS The Dalles OR Principal and Grades 5-8	12/20/2015
Mr Eric A Scheuerlein	St John LS Redwood Falls MN	St Paul First LS North Hollywood CA Teacher Grade 5	12/20/2015
Mr John A Giddings	David's Star LS Jackson WI	Fox Valley Lutheran High School Appleton WI Teacher Science	12/21/2015
Miss Kaylen A Orr	Building Blocks Christian Academy Los Angeles CA	MLC Early Childhood Learning Center New Ulm MN ECM Director	12/22/2015
Mr Timothy F Pingel	Zion LS (Morrison) Greenleaf WI	Zion LS Toledo OH Teacher Grades 1-2	12/30/2015
Mr Michael A Henning Jr	St John LS	Zion LS 3K-8th Grade	1/3/2016

	Wauwatosa WI	Hartland WI Principal and Grades 7-8	
Mr Jeremy L Dennings	Trinity LS Jenera OH	Grace LC Oshkosh WI Teacher Grade 6 and Vice Principal	1/3/2016
Mr Andrew W Van Weele	Lord of Life LS Friendswood TX	Mt Olive LS Overland Park KS Principal and Grades 5-8	1/3/2016
Miss Joanna J Smith	St Paul LS Moline IL	Lord and Savior LS Crystal Lake IL Teacher Kindergarten - Grade 1	1/3/2016

Staff Ministers	Current call	New call	Date issued
Mr Matthew J Werner	Grace LC Oshkosh WI	Camp Phillip Wautoma WI Staff Minister	12/16/2015

CALLS ACCEPTED

Pastors	Current call	New call	Date accepted
Rev James M Hein	Resurrection LC Rochester MN	St Marcus LC Milwaukee WI Associate Pastor	12/21/2015
Rev Paul F Welke	St Matthew LC Winona MN	Beautiful Savior LC Austin MN Pastor	1/2/2016
Rev David G Scharf	Immanuel LC Greenville WI	Martin Luther College New Ulm MN Professor Theology	1/3/2016

Teachers	Current call	New call	Date accepted
Mrs Louise A Wendland	Luther Preparatory School Watertown WI	St John LS Watertown WI Teacher Grades 1-2 and School Music Director	12/18/2015
Mr Scott H Schomberg	Grace LS Geneva NE	St Matthew's LS Winona MN Principal and Grades 7-8	12/29/2015
Miss Kathryn M Freudenwald	St Marcus LS Milwaukee WI	Salem LS Milwaukee WI Teacher Grades 3-4; Limited Duration	12/30/2015
Mrs Cheryl L Kopp	St Paul LS Saginaw MI	Michigan Lutheran Seminary Saginaw MI Professor Geography, Art, and Art History	12/31/2015

CALLS DECLINED

Pastors	Current call	New call	Date declined
Rev Nathan C Buege	Victory of the Lamb LC Katy TX	Peace LC Sun Prairie WI Pastor	12/23/2015
Rev Aaron D Boehm	Shepherd of the Hills LC La Mesa CA	St Matthew LC Appleton WI Associate Pastor	12/23/2015
Rev Gary D Bode	Valley View LC Helena MT	Emanuel Redeemer LC Yale MI Pastor	12/28/2015
Rev Philip J Casmer	Christ the Lord LC Brookfield WI	Emanuel LC New London WI Associate Pastor	12/30/2015
Rev Kevin P Schnake	Trinity LC Omak WA	St Paul's LC Marquette MI Pastor	1/1/2016
Rev Steven A Hahm	Cross of Glory LC Baton Rouge LA	Zion LC Monroe MI Associate Pastor	1/2/2016
Teachers	Current call	New call	Date declined
Miss Terri L Miller	St Paul First LS North Hollywood CA	Zion LS Toledo OH Teacher Grades 1-2	12/20/2015
Mr Peter J Micheel	St Mark LS Eau Claire WI	Martin Luther LS Neenah WI Principal and Grades 7-8	12/22/2015
Miss Leah L Clark	Little Lambs Preschool Lowell AR	St Paul LS Wisconsin Rapids WI Teacher Grades 1-2	12/22/2015
Mr Daniel J Carran	Trinity LS Kiel WI	St John LS Waterloo WI Teacher Grades 5-6; Athletic Director and Technology	12/31/2015
Mr Benjamin L Rank	Eastside LS Madison WI	St Mark LS Green Bay WI Principal	12/31/2015
Mr Matthew M Linton	Illinois Lutheran High School Crete IL	Huron Valley Lutheran High School Westland MI Teacher History	12/31/2015
Mr Timothy P Mueller Jr	Star of Bethlehem LS New Berlin WI	Bloomington LS Bloomington MN Principal	1/2/2016

RESIGNED

Pastors	Current call	Date resigned
Rev Johnathan C Schnose	Emanuel LC Tawas City MI	12/22/2015
Rev Shiloh M Monday	Mountain of the Lord LC Wausau WI	12/31/2015

Teachers	Current call	Date resigned
Ms Julianne Condia	St Marcus LS Milwaukee WI	12/18/2015
Mr Marvel J Taylor	Siloah LS Milwaukee WI	12/22/2015

CALLED TO ETERNAL GLORY

Teachers	Home church	Death date
Mrs Ruth M Vater	St Peter LC Weyauwega WI	12/4/2015
Mr Ursel E Seidl	Our Savior LC Brookings SD	12/8/2015
Mrs Elaine E Moldenhauer	Redeemer LC Tucson AZ	12/21/2015
Mrs Anita A Boldt	Jerusalem LC Morton Grove IL	12/24/2015

RETIREMENT

Pastors	Current call	Date retired
Rev Stanley C Stein	St Lucas LC Milwaukee WI	6/30/2015
Rev Arnold J Kunde	Grace LC Durand MI	12/31/2015
Rev David B Dolan	Ministry of Christian Giving Office Waukesha WI	12/31/2015

Teachers	Current call	Date retired
Mr John G Tjernagel	Trinity LS Marinette WI	12/31/2015
Mrs Judith K Tjernagel	Trinity LS Marinette WI	12/31/2015

Mrs Betty Moser

St Peter Lutheran Preschool
Modesto CA

12/31/2015

Staff Ministers

Current call

Date retired

Mr Donald H Koch

St Paul's LC
Arlington MN

12/31/2015

POSITION ELIMINATED

Teachers

Current call

Date effective

Miss Hannah K Horn

Our Saviour LS
Lake Havasu City AZ

12/31/2015