



Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod

Pastor, teacher, and staff minister call report

1/12/2016 - 1/18/2016

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 Benjamin A Enstad	St John LC Sturgeon Bay-7NE WI	Risen Savior LC Navarre FL Pastor	12/6/2015
Rev Abram J Degner	Christ the Lord LC-Sienna Plantation Missouri City TX Christ the Lord LC Houston TX	Michigan Lutheran Seminary Saginaw MI Professor Spanish, Latin, and Church History	12/14/2015
Rev Paul J Hartman		Pastor Field Coordinator for Apache Mission Field, Retirement Call	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
Rev Matthew J Schaewe	Huron Valley Lutheran High School Westland MI	Faith LC Sussex WI Associate Pastor	1/3/2016

Rev Andrew D Schwartz	Christ the King LC Bremerton WA	St Matthew LC Appleton WI Associate Pastor	1/3/2016
Rev John K Cook	Hope LC Indian River MI	Zion LC South Milwaukee WI Associate Pastor	1/3/2016
Rev Daniel F Lange	Light of Life LC Covington WA	Christ LC Eden Prairie MN Pastor	1/3/2016
Rev James R Hoogervorst	Trinity LC Minocqua WI	Hope LC Penryn CA Pastor	1/4/2016
Rev Theodore J Olsen	Zion LC Kiel-5NE WI	Zion LC Stetsonville WI Pastor	1/5/2016
Rev Joel R Spaude	St Peter LC Fort Collins CO	St John LC Sturgis MI Pastor	1/6/2016
Rev Brian P Hackmann	Peace LC Eagle River AK	Hope LC West Palm Beach FL Associate Pastor	1/7/2016
Rev David R Rosenau	St Mark LC Leesburg FL	Living Hope LC Brighton CO Pastor	1/7/2016
Rev Joshua C Martin	Military Services - SMB Waukesha Rhineland- Palatinate	St John's LC Jefferson WI Associate Pastor	1/10/2016
Rev Scott M Schultz	Cross of Christ LC Portage WI	Peace LC Sun Prairie WI Associate Pastor	1/10/2016
Rev Benjy E Pederson	Grace LC Spring Hill FL	Cross of Christ LC Coon Rapids MN Associate Pastor	1/10/2016
Rev Mark T Luetzow	Bethel LC Bay City MI	St John St James LC Reedsville WI Pastor	1/12/2016
Rev Emile J Burgess	Trinity LC Caledonia WI	St Paul's LC Norfolk NE Beautiful Savior LC O'Neill NE Associate Pastor	1/12/2016
Rev Joel M Naumann	St Mark LC Eau Claire WI	Emanuel Redeemer LC Yale MI Pastor	1/13/2016
Rev Scott W Bergemann	Mt Zion LC Kenosha WI	Good Shepherd LC Burnsville MN Associate Pastor	1/17/2016
Rev Matthew D Schoell	Zion LC Rhineland WI	Beautiful Savior LC Corvallis OR Pastor	1/17/2016

Teachers	Current call	New call	Date issued
Mrs Jessica M Figueroa	St Peter LS Appleton WI	St John LC Dowagiac MI ECM Director	12/6/2015
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 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
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 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 Wauwatosa WI	Zion LS 3K-8th Grade Hartland WI Principal and Grades 7-8	1/3/2016
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
Miss Amy P Hankemeier	New Hope Lutheran Academy (K-8) West Melbourne FL	St Paul LS East Troy WI Teacher Grades 3-4 and Music Coordinator	1/3/2016
Miss Rachel M Feld	Bethany LS Kenosha WI	St Paul LS Wisconsin Rapids WI Teacher Grades 1-2	1/4/2016

Rev Seth P Haakenson	Nebraska Evangelical Lutheran High School Waco NE	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL Teacher High School Religion	1/7/2016
Mr Steven J Thies	Bethel LS Bay City MI	St John LS Watertown WI Teacher Grades 5-6 and Technology Director	1/7/2016
Miss Karen A Luehring	Apostles LS San Jose CA	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL Teacher Grade 2	1/7/2016
Mr Michael B Pingel	Mt Lebanon LS-Omega Campus Gr 4-8 Milwaukee WI	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL Teacher Grade 4	1/7/2016
Miss Katherine A Huebner	St Lucas LS Milwaukee WI	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL Teacher Grade 5	1/7/2016
Mr Brad D Schaper	Luther High School Onalaska WI	Great Plains Lutheran High School Watertown SD Teacher English	1/9/2016
Miss Tanya J Tranberg	Wisconsin Lutheran High School Milwaukee WI	Great Plains Lutheran High School Watertown SD Teacher Spanish	1/9/2016
Mr Joseph J Janke	St Paul LS Menomonie WI	Manitowoc Lutheran High School Manitowoc WI Teacher English	1/9/2016
Mrs Kim Marie B Lemke	St John's LS Jefferson WI Bethany Lutheran Preschool Fort Atkinson WI	St John's LS Jefferson WI Teacher Kindergarten	1/10/2016
Mrs Rebecca R Lohrmann	St Peter's LS Plymouth MI	St Peter's LS Plymouth MI ECM Teacher	1/10/2016
Mr Timothy M Gustafson	David's Star LS Jackson WI	Martin Luther LS Neenah WI Principal and Grades 7-8	1/10/2016
Miss Sarah B Enstad	Grace LS Falls Church VA	Crown of Life LS Hubertus WI Teacher Kindergarten-Grade 2	1/10/2016
Mr Dennis D Leckwee	St Marcus LS Milwaukee WI	Trinity LS West Bend WI Principal and Grades 7-8	1/10/2016
Mr Chad T Marohn	St John LS	Peace LS	1/10/2016

	Lannon WI	Livonia MI Principal and Grades 7-8	
Mrs Heidi J Biesterfeld	Star of Bethlehem LS New Berlin WI	Garden Homes LS Milwaukee WI Teacher Grade 2	1/10/2016
Mrs Erica B Gorsegrner	Peace LS Livonia MI	Peace LS Livonia MI Teacher Grades 1-2	1/10/2016
Mr Jason L Schapekahm	St Philip LS Milwaukee WI	Risen Savior LS Milwaukee WI Teacher Grade 8	1/10/2016
Mrs Kimberly D Johnson		Shepherd of the Valley LS Westminster CO Teacher Grades 1-3	1/10/2016
Mr Theodore R Glodowski	St John LS Goodhue MN	Trinity LS Neenah WI Teacher Grades 5-6	1/10/2016
Miss Katie A Mikula	Resurrection Lutheran Preschool Verona WI	Building Blocks Christian Learning Center Mequon WI ECM Director	1/10/2016
Mr Ryan J Obry	Trinity LS Hoskins NE	St John LS Red Wing MN Principal	1/10/2016
Mr Nathan J Reich	St Paul LS Green Bay WI	St Paul LS Green Bay WI Principal and Grades 7-8	1/10/2016
Miss Jennifer L Hunt	Gethsemane LS Omaha NE	Emanuel LS New London WI Teacher Grade 2	1/11/2016
Ms Amy S Ehnert	Holy Trinity LS New Hope MN	Grace LS Oshkosh WI Teacher Grade 1	1/17/2016
Ms Kaitlyn R Wiese	St Marcus LS Milwaukee WI	Mt Lebanon LS-Alpha Campus PK-3 Milwaukee WI Teacher Grades 1-2	1/17/2016

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

Teachers	Current call	New call	Date accepted
Mr James D Weiland	St John LS Libertyville IL	St John LS Libertyville IL Teacher Grades 5-6 and	12/31/2015

		Athletic Director; one-year call	
Mrs Abbie R Strong		St Philip LS Milwaukee WI Teacher K4 / K5	1/8/2016
Mrs Gretchen M Plitzuweit	St Paul LS Green Bay WI	St Paul LS Green Bay WI Teacher Grades 3-4	1/11/2016
Ms Nicole M Beglinger	St Paul LS Norfolk NE	Mount Olive LS Appleton WI	1/14/2016
Mrs Rebecca M McGehee		Bethel LS Bay City MI Teacher Grades 1-2	1/14/2016
Mr Erik B Landwehr	Trinity LC Castries St Lucia Castries	Divine Savior Lutheran Academy Doral FL Teacher High School Social Studies	1/17/2016

CALLS DECLINED

Pastors	Current call	New call	Date declined
Rev David A Rockhoff	Friedens LC Kenosha WI	Peace LC Otsego MI Pastor	1/14/2016
Rev Matthew J Brown	Beautiful Savior LC Clarksville TN	Bethany LC Hustisford WI Pastor	1/16/2016
Rev Nathan C Buege	Victory of the Lamb LC Katy TX	Beautiful Saviour LC Carlsbad CA Pastor	1/16/2016
Rev Michael D Helwig	Crown of Life LC Hubertus WI	St Paul's LC Menomonie WI Associate Pastor	1/17/2016
Rev Scott A Schwertfeger	Zion LC Arlington WI	St Paul LC Onalaska WI Associate Pastor Youth and Family	1/17/2016

Teachers	Current call	New call	Date declined
Mrs Katherine L Horn		St Paul LS Appleton WI Teacher Grade 3 and Music Director	1/11/2016
Mr Peter A Iles		Lakeside Lutheran High School Lake Mills WI Teacher Technology Coordinator	1/11/2016

Mr Isaiah W Degner	Fox Valley Lutheran High School Appleton WI	Arizona Lutheran Academy Phoenix AZ Teacher Spanish	1/12/2016
Miss Anne E Marquardt	Gloria Dei LS Belmont CA	Holy Trinity LS Des Moines WA ECM Director	1/12/2016
Mr Eric A Scheuerlein	St John LS Redwood Falls MN	St Paul First LS North Hollywood CA Teacher Grade 5	1/14/2016
Miss Emily Y Gorzalski	Loving Shepherd LS Milwaukee WI	Mount Olive LS Appleton WI Teacher Grade 3	1/14/2016
Mr Matthew K Doering	Lakeside Lutheran High School Lake Mills WI	Evergreen Lutheran High School Tacoma WA Development Director Director of Mission Advancement	1/15/2016
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	1/17/2016
Mr Dane C Mattes	Trinity LS Brillion WI	Bethany LS Hustisford WI Principal and Grades 6-8	1/17/2016

CALLED TO ETERNAL GLORY

Teachers	Home church	Death date
Miss Marlene A Hopmann	St Paul LC Lake Mills WI	1/8/2016
Mrs Ethel E Mech	Friedens LC Kenosha WI	1/9/2016