



Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod

Pastor, teacher, and staff minister call report

7/14/2015 - 7/20/2015

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 Joel T Sutton	Open Bible LC Whiteriver AZ	Latin America Admin Committee Pastor	5/27/2015
Rev Thomas S Naumann	Peridot LC Peridot AZ Grace LC San Carlos AZ	Our Redeemer LC Wabasha MN Grace LC Nelson WI Pastor Dual parish	6/14/2015
Rev Carl W Leyrer	Divine Savior LC Doral FL	Latin America Admin Committee Costa Maya Ministries Costa Maya Mexico Pastor	6/18/2015
Rev Frederick J Guldborg	Star of Bethlehem LC Winston Salem NC	Christ LC Eden Prairie MN Pastor	6/28/2015
Rev Caleb R Bassett	St Stephen LC Fallbrook CA	Grace LC Sahuarita AZ Associate Pastor	6/28/2015
Rev Jonathan E Scharf	Abiding Grace LC Covington GA	Mt Calvary LC Waukesha WI Associate Pastor	6/29/2015
Rev Troy S Swenson	St Lucas LC Kewaskum WI	St Paul's LC Franklin WI Associate Pastor	6/29/2015
Rev John T Strackbein	Holy Cross LC Oklahoma City OK	Palabra de Vida Detroit MI Pastor	6/30/2015

Rev Stephen P Kuehl	Shepherd of Peace LC Powell OH	St Paul's LC Norfolk NE Beautiful Savior LC O'Neill NE Pastor	7/1/2015
Rev Joshua M Krieger	Immanuel LC Medford WI	St Peter LC Dorr MI Pastor	7/1/2015
Rev Jordan P Ertl	Our Saviour's LC Bismarck ND	St John LC Sturgis MI Pastor	7/2/2015
Rev Matthew P Westra	Living Promise LC Morristown TN	Cross of Glory LC Peoria AZ Associate Pastor Vistancia outreach	7/5/2015
Rev Paul A Bowe	Immanuel LC Waupaca WI	Our Savior LC San Antonio TX Pastor	7/5/2015
Rev Keith A Schleis	St Paul's LC Menomonie WI	Abiding Faith LC Smyrna TN Pastor	7/5/2015
Rev Philip P Kiecker	Gethsemane LC Raleigh NC	Cross of Christ LC Coon Rapids MN Associate Pastor	7/6/2015
Rev Benjamin P Schaefer	First German LC Manitowoc WI	Salem LC Loretto MN Pastor	7/7/2015
Rev David A Kehl	Atonement LC Milwaukee WI	Multi-Language Publications El Paso TX Pastor Asian Coordinator	7/8/2015
Rev Caleb Kurbis	Living Savior LC Asheville NC	Mission Establishment Tyler TX Pastor	7/8/2015
Rev Jonathan F Bergemann	Trinity LC Woodbridge VA	St John LC Milwaukee WI Associate Pastor	7/9/2015
Rev Caleb Kurbis	Living Savior LC Asheville NC	Cross of Christ LC Kingman AZ Pastor	7/9/2015
Rev Donald G Swartz	Mt Olive LC Monroe WI	Immanuel LC Watertown WI Pastor Retirement call, dual with St Mark Richwood WI	7/11/2015
Rev Jonathan P Kehren	Hope LC Penryn CA	Jerusalem LC Morton Grove IL Pastor	7/12/2015
Rev Stephen C Lehmann	Mt Olive LC Iron Mountain MI	Redeemer LC Tucson AZ Associate Pastor	7/12/2015

Rev David A Koelpin	Living Savior LC Littleton CO	Fox Valley Lutheran High School Appleton WI Teacher Religion	7/14/2015
Rev Wayne L Fischer	Shiloh Lutheran Retreat Center Pittsburg TX	St Paul's LC Valley City ND Pastor Retirement call	7/19/2015
Teachers	Current call	New call	Date issued
Mrs Rachel B Diehm		First LS La Crosse WI Teacher Grades 7-8 Release Time; one-year part time call	6/28/2015
Mr Ryan Radloff		Zion LS Columbus WI Teacher Grades 7-8; one-year call	6/28/2015
Mr Samuel Panning		Divine Peace LS Largo MD Upper Grades; one-year call	7/5/2015
Mr Brandon Gierach		Cross of Christ LS Coon Rapids MN Grades 5-6; one-year call	7/6/2015
Mrs Cheryl A Root		St Mark LS De Pere WI Teacher Grade 4; one-year call	7/9/2015
Mr Peter A Iles		Wisconsin LS-Elementary School (3-5) Racine WI Teacher Grade 6; one-year call	7/9/2015
Mrs Wendy L Seelhoff		Trinity LS Bangor MI Teacher Grades 1-3; half time call	7/12/2015
Ms Marla R Ohrmundt		Reformation LS San Diego CA Teacher Grades 7-8; one-year call	7/12/2015
Mrs Kathrine M Wordell	Holy Word Christian Academy Austin TX	Holy Word Christian Academy Austin TX Teacher Grades 5-8; one-year call	7/12/2015
Mrs Sarah C Horn		St John LS Watertown WI Teacher Grades 5-6; one-year call	7/14/2015
Mrs Samantha J List		Trinity LS Marinette WI	7/19/2015

Teacher Grades 3-5;
limited duration call

Mrs Keturah E Hochmuth

Immanuel LS
Manitowoc WI
Teacher

7/19/2015

Mrs Erin Schwartz

Star of Bethlehem LS
New Berlin WI
Grades 5-8 Language
Arts; one-year half time
call

7/19/2015

Staff Ministers

Current call

New call

Date issued

Mr David R Enter

Living Water LC
Oshkosh WI
Staff Minister Staff
Minister

7/12/2015

CALLS ACCEPTED

Pastors

Current call

New call

Date accepted

Rev David H Wietzke

Christ LC
Grand Island NE

Crown of Life LC
Pueblo West CO
Pastor

7/18/2015

Teachers

Current call

New call

Date accepted

Ms Deanna Aiken

Friedens LS
Kenosha WI
4K; one-year half time
call

7/14/2015

Mrs Rebecca K Gorte

Friedens LS
Kenosha WI
Teacher Flex and Music;
half time call

7/14/2015

Mrs Rachael L Hinz

St Matthew's LS
Oconomowoc WI
Teacher
Departmentalized
Classes; three quarter
time call

7/14/2015

Miss Margaret G
Rasmussen

Wisconsin LS-Elementary
School (3-5)
Racine WI
Teacher Grade 4; one-
year call

7/14/2015

Mrs Jennifer Vik

St. Paul LS
Fort Atkinson WI
Grades 7-8

7/14/2015

Mr Josiah D Willitz

Illinois Lutheran High
School
Crete IL

7/14/2015

Teacher Music; one-year call

Ms Jacalyn Ocampo

Zion LS
Columbus WI
Kindergarten; one-year call

7/16/2015

Mr Merlin A Meitner

St Paul's First LS
North Hollywood CA
Teacher Grade 5; one-year call

7/17/2015

Mr Nathan K Dittrich

Immanuel LS
Medford WI
Teacher

7/17/2015

Mrs Kirstie D Klug

Lakewood LS
Lakewood WA
Teacher Kindergarten-Grade 1

7/18/2015

Mrs Caitlin S Zietlow

St Philip LS
Milwaukee WI
Teacher Kindergarten; one-year call

7/20/2015

Staff Ministers

Current call

New call

Date accepted

Miss Rachel J Niemi

Christ Our Savior LC
Rockford MI
Minister of Music; one-year call

7/16/2015

Mr Mark S Meyer

Immanuel LC
Greenville WI
Staff Minister Technology Director

7/18/2015

CALLS DECLINED

Pastors

Current call

New call

Date declined

Rev Kenneth J Fisher Jr

Wisconsin Lutheran High School
Milwaukee WI

Manitowoc Lutheran High School
Manitowoc WI
President

7/16/2015

Rev Mark R Gartner

St Luke LC
Watertown WI

Trinity LC
Kaukauna WI
Pastor

7/18/2015

Rev Shaun M Arndt

Good Shepherd LC
Holmen WI

Trinity LC
Jenera OH
Pastor

7/19/2015

Rev Aaron J Dolan

First LC
Racine WI

Shepherd of the Bay LC
Lusby MD
Pastor

7/19/2015

RESIGNED

Teachers	Current call	Date resigned
Mrs Rachel L Arnold	St Matthew LS Stoddard WI	7/12/2015