



Official Notice Nominations — 2007 Synod Convention

The following report of the Committee for Convention Nominations provides nominees for many of the officer, board, and commission positions to be filled by the 2007 convention of the Synod. District membership or origin is also provided. The elections will take place during the July 14–19 convention in Houston, Texas.

The Committee for Convention Nominations expresses its appreciation to all who submitted names and all who allowed their names to be considered for nomination. In some cases, the committee was unable to provide two candidates for each position to be filled (Bylaw 3.12.3.6 [a]) due to a shortage of nominees for those positions from the nominations process.

Raymond L. Hartwig
Secretary, LCMS

SECRETARY

1 ordained minister

Ordained Minister

Philip Esala, OH; Raymond Hartwig, MO; David Mahsman, MO

VICE-PRESIDENT–FINANCE–TREASURER

1 layperson (Nominated by the LCMS Board of Directors)

Layperson

Thomas Kuchta, MO

BOARD OF DIRECTORS, LCMS

2 ordained ministers, 1 commissioned minister, 4 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

James Fandrey, EN; Vernon Gundermann, MO; Robert Kuhn, MO; Ulmer Marshall, SO; Donald Muchow, SE; Jeffrey Schrank, EN

Commissioned Ministers

Jonathan Laabs, NI; Kurt Senske, TX

Laypersons

Walter Brantz, WY; Kermit Brashear, NEB; Jeffrey Coyne, SE; Edward Dollase, TX; Gloria Edwards, CNH; Brad Hewitt, MO; Richard Peters, PSW; Irma Pinkerton, MDS; Curtis Pohl, MNS

BOARD FOR BLACK MINISTRY SERVICES

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 1 layperson

Ordained Ministers

Samuel Cosby, TX; Bertram Lewis, Sr., MI

Commissioned Ministers

Jonathan Cleveland, NOW; Aaron Dickerson, MDS

Laypersons

Ceretha Cartwright, TX; Annette Gard, IN

BOARD FOR COMMUNICATION SERVICES

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister

Ordained Ministers

David Albertin, IND; John Bush, MI; David Kluth, TX; Glenn Zander, NOW

Commissioned Ministers

David Bangert, SW; David Berger, MO

BOARD FOR DISTRICT AND CONGREGATIONAL SERVICES

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 2 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

Jon Coyne, CNH; Robert Jarvis, MNN; Bruce Keseman, SI; Jonathan Shaw, MO

Commissioned Ministers

David Brown, MI; Steven Christopher, CNH; Jill Hasstedt, SI; David Saving, KS

Laypersons

Ida Mall, RM; Patti Mitschke, TX; Cornelia Schulz, IND; K. Allan Voss, SW; Jesse Yow, Jr., CNH

BOARD FOR HUMAN CARE MINISTRIES

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister

Ordained Ministers

John Frerking, FG; Elwin Rethinasamy, AT; Bernhard Seter, ND

Commissioned Ministers

Sandra Bowers, SI; Robert Miles, MI

BOARD FOR MISSION SERVICES

2 ordained ministers, 1 commissioned minister, 2 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

Philip Kuehnert, NOW; Ralph Patrick, RM; Philip Saywrayne, AT; John Temple, MO;
James Vehling, FG

Commissioned Ministers

Roger Buck, SW; Emily Carder, SO; Jennie Waters, NI

Laypersons

Kermit Almstedt, FG; Susan Christian, RM; John Friend, PSW; Joseph Harwell, MO;
Linda Reiser, NEB; Lil Spilde, MNN

BOARD FOR PASTORAL EDUCATION

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister

Ordained Ministers

Richard Allsing, PSW; Kenton Wendorf, SW

Commissioned Ministers

Richard Cohrs, MI; Judith Meyer, SE

BOARD FOR UNIVERSITY EDUCATION

1 ordained minister

Ordained Ministers

William Ameiss, NI; David Smith, MO

COMMISSION ON THEOLOGY AND CHURCH RELATIONS

1 ordained minister (parish pastor), 1 layperson

Ordained Ministers

Brent Kuhlman, NEB; Walter Lehenbauer, MNN; Holger Sonntag, MNS

Laypersons

Jean Garton, MDS; Elizabeth Goodine, SO; Mark Kalthoff, MI; Kathy Schulz, EN

CHI BOARD OF GOVERNORS

2 ordained ministers, 1 layperson or commissioned

Ordained Ministers

Kurt Bodling, AT; Eugene Juergensen, MT; James Kalthoff, MO; Cameron MacKenzie, IND; James Rassbach, MO

Commissioned Ministers or Laypersons

Kathy Graumann, TX; Peggi Lawrence, CNH; Constance Seddon, MO

CPH BOARD OF DIRECTORS

4 laypersons

Laypersons

Heidi Abegg, SE; Robert Beumer, MO; Elaine Graff, RM; Katherine Hallock, EA; Tom Hurley, CNH; Nancy Kaul, SO; John Mollwitz, EN; Karol Selle, NW

LCMS FOUNDATION BOARD OF TRUSTEES

1 ordained minister, 1 layperson

Ordained Ministers

Richard Drews, NI; Gregory Smith, MO

Laypersons

Carol Geisler, NI; Mark Sheldon, MI

LCEF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

1 ordained or commissioned minister, 2 laypersons

Ordained or Commissioned Ministers

David Belasic, EA; Roger Krause, RM

Laypersons

Kermit Brashear, NEB; Ronald Reinking, IND; David Wuenscher, MO; Robert Wurl, ND

BOARDS OF REGENTS

Concordia University at Ann Arbor, MI

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 3 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

Donald Luhring, OH; Martin Moehring, IND; Gene Ott, IND

Commissioned Ministers

Kelly Lamkin, NW; Jeanne Ollhoff, MI

Laypersons

Sandra Hardies, MI; Kaaren Kayser, MI; Glen Piper, IND; Julie Stiegmeyer, EN

Concordia University at Austin, TX

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 3 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

Michael Dorn, TX; Steven Morfitt, TX

Commissioned Ministers

David Beringer, TX; Tim Miesner, TX

Laypersons

Albert Carrion, Jr., TX; Paul Feucht, TX; Dale Heitshusen, TX; Janet Hurta, TX;
Rebecca Kieschnick, TX; Christopher Leslie, TX

Concordia College at Bronxville, NY

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 3 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

William Flammann, EA; Arthur Scherer, SE; Dien Taylor, AT

Commissioned Ministers

H. Allen Herbst, MO

Laypersons

Alice Bruening, SE; Sharon Dever, NE; David Lord, FG; Ed Mahn, NJ

Concordia Theological Seminary—Fort Wayne, IN

2 ordained ministers, 1 commissioned minister, 1 layperson

Ordained Ministers

Jack Baumgarn, MNS; Wayne Graumann, TX; John Hill, WY; James Pragman, MNS

Commissioned Ministers

Karen Gabriel, WY; David Held, NEB

Laypersons

Johnny Buck, MT; Janet Johnson, NI; John Lang, SE; Roger Potratz, IND

Concordia University at Irvine, CA

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 3 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

Kevin Kritzer, PSW; J. L. Precup, PSW

Commissioned Ministers

Paul Brandt, PSW; Erna Schmid, MI

Laypersons

Michael Besch, EN; Melvin de la Motte, CNH; Barbara Grimm-Marshall, CNH; Gene Haertling, RM; Al Panhorst, PSW; Kathi Romsa, PSW

Concordia University Wisconsin at Mequon, WI

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 3 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

Wayne Braun, TX; Paul Devantier, SW

Commissioned Ministers

Steven Buuck, MI; Lynette Fredericksen, SW; Dwayne Jobst, SW

Laypersons

Frederick Anderson, SW; Greta Martin, SW; Robert Schjerven, TX; Craig Schmidt, SW; Robert Weber, EN

Concordia University at Portland, OR

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 3 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

Steve Eaton, NOW; Timothy Gordish, MT; Daryl Wildermuth, NOW

Commissioned Ministers

Chuck Gerken, PSW; Joel Koerschen, CNH

Laypersons

Gary Hoover, IND; Jack Menashe, NOW; Kathy Schulz, EN; Leslie Sramek, NOW

Concordia University Chicago at River Forest, IL

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 3 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

David Stein, EN; Kent Tibben, CI; William Tucker, TX

Commissioned Ministers

Michelle Bauman, IND; Thomas Buck, SW; Shirley Wallace, MI

Laypersons

Kirk Farney, NI; Greta Martin, SW; Kathleen Mills, NI; Gary Smith, IND; Merton Troeger, EN

Concordia Seminary—St. Louis, MO

2 ordained ministers, 1 commissioned minister, 1 layperson

Ordained Ministers

David Dissen, MO; Mark Grunst, MT; Ulmer Marshall, SO; William F. Meyer, MO; Ken Schurb, MO; Dennis Schwab, MO

Commissioned Ministers

Robert Libka, NI; LeRoy Wilke, MO

Laypersons

Ralph Cavalieri, NOW; Jean Garton, MDS; Alan Stumpf, SI

Concordia University at St. Paul, MN

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 3 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

Christopher Dodge, MNS; Robert Jarvis, MNN

Commissioned Ministers

Paul Crisler, MO; Harold Frerich, MNS

Laypersons

Kenneth Behm, MNN; Gregg Hein, MT; Brad Hewitt, MO; Michael Hunter II, NI;
David Teigen, MNN; Lori Utech, MO

Concordia College at Selma, AL

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 3 laypersons

Ordained Ministers

Thomas Eggebrecht, SW; Dien Taylor, AT

Commissioned Ministers

Ruth Drum, ND; Erna Schmid, MI

Laypersons

Ulysses Floyd, FG; Debbie Gallerson, SO; Glen Piper, IND

Concordia University at Seward, NE

1 ordained minister, 1 commissioned minister, 3 laypersons (2 from Seward County)

Ordained Ministers

Luke Biggs, TX; David Block, NEB; John Hill, WY

Commissioned Ministers

Vance Hinrichs, NEB; Jan Lohmeyer, TX

Laypersons

W. Stan Meyer, EN; Ronald Pfeiffer, MDS; (Seward County): William Hartmann, NEB; John Hughes, NEB; Tim Moll, NEB; Max Wake, NEB