

BOARD FOR MINISTERIAL EDUCATION, chairman

(parish pastor)

(* = incumbent)

Rev. Philip L. Kieselhorst

54 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church, Westminster, Colo.	3/1/2008	present	Pastor
Gethsemane Lutheran Church, Oklahoma City, Okla.	12/16/2001	2/29/2008	Pastor
Military Services European chaplain	6/1/1995	12/15/2001	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Second vice president	Nebraska District	7/1/2022	6/30/2024
Second vice president	Nebraska District	7/1/2020	6/30/2022
Member	Native American Administrative Committee	11/29/2012	3/1/2013
Member	Native American Administrative Committee	10/1/2010	3/1/2013
Chairman	Native American Administrative Committee	10/1/2008	9/30/2010
Secretary	Native American Administrative Committee	8/1/2007	10/1/2008
Secretary	Native American Administrative Committee	9/29/2004	7/30/2007
Member	Military contact pastor	1/1/2004	6/1/2008
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	7/17/2002	7/1/2004
Circuit pastor	Oklahoma (South Central, SC)	7/1/2002	2/29/2008
Circuit pastor	Oklahoma (South Central, SC)	4/1/2002	6/30/2002

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/2015

Rev. Steven L. Lange

52 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Hope Lutheran Church, Louisville, Ken.	7/1/1998	present	Pastor
Martin Luther College, New Ulm, Minn.	7/1/1997	6/30/1998	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	Commission on Inter-Church Relations	7/1/2015	6/30/2021
Member	Commission on Inter-Church Relations	7/1/2009	6/30/2015
Chairman	Committee on Constitutional Matters (SEW)	2/7/2007	6/30/2013
Member	Hymnal Project–Scripture Committee		present
Contact	Campus ministry pastor		present
Chairman	Committee on Constitutional Matters (SEW)		6/30/2018

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Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/28/2013

Rev. Duane A. Rodewald*

60 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Abiding Peace Lutheran Church, Simpsonville, S.C.	7/1/2004	present	Pastor
Abiding Peace Academy, Simpsonville, S.C.	7/1/2011	6/30/2014	Pastor
Michigan Lutheran Seminary, Saginaw, Mich.	5/1/1996	6/30/2004	Teacher
St Paul Lutheran Church, Tomah, Wis.	11/25/1991	4/30/1996	Pastor
Michigan Lutheran Seminary, Saginaw, Mich.	7/1/1989	11/24/1991	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Second vice president	South Atlantic District	7/1/2022	6/30/2024
Second vice president	South Atlantic District	7/1/2020	6/30/2022
Member	Synodical Council	7/1/2018	6/30/2023
Chairman	Board for Ministerial Education	8/1/2017	7/31/2023
Chairman	Board for Ministerial Education	7/1/2016	6/30/2017
Member	Synodical Council	7/1/2016	6/30/2017
Member	Board of Appeals (SA)	7/1/2016	6/30/2019
Second vice president	South Atlantic District	7/1/2016	6/30/2020
Member	Ad Hoc Commission 2	10/1/2013	5/1/2015
Member	Martin Luther College Governing Board	11/15/2012	6/30/2014
Member	Board of Appeals (SA)	7/1/2010	6/30/2016
Circuit pastor	Blue Ridge (Cottonbelt, SA)	7/1/2010	6/30/2016
Circuit pastor	Blue Ridge (Cottonbelt, SA)	6/6/2006	6/30/2008
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	3/1/2004	present

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/29/2019
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/2003

BOARD FOR MINISTERIAL EDUCATION, member

(layman—choose 3)

(* = incumbent)

Mr. Leon Brands

Congregation: Trinity, Crete, Ill.

Occupation: Retired

Previous position	Organization/Company
Education and training	Kmart
Education and training	Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan
Executive director	Lutheran Association for Church Extension (LACE)
Office manager	Physical therapy clinic

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Congregation president	Congregation
Secretary	Congregation
Treasurer	Congregation
Elder	Congregation
Spiritual growth committee member	Congregation
Planned giving counselor	WELS Ministry of Christian Giving
Business manager	Michigan Lutheran Seminary, Saginaw, Mich.
Chairman	WELS Prison Ministry Committee

Other: Attended Northwestern Preparatory School and Milwaukee Lutheran Teachers' College.

Mr. Paul Hahm*

Congregation: Prince of Peace, Fairport, N.Y.

Occupation: Retired

Previous position	Organization/Company
Project/group/technical leader	Eastman Kodak Company (34 years) developing photo product, process, and systems
Product design engineer	EKTACOLOR paper (14 years)
Special project technical leader/research scientist	(2 years)

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Charter member	Two WELS mission churches
Treasurer	Congregation
Financial secretary	Congregation
Elder	Congregation
Bible class leader	Congregation

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Congregation president	Congregation
Representative	North Atlantic District Seaway Circuit
Member	North Atlantic District Constitution Committee
Member	North Atlantic District Mission Board
Member	WELS Historical Institute
Member	WELS Board for Ministerial Education
Member	WELS Board for Home Missions

Mr. Gary Jeffers

Congregation: Cross of Glory, Peoria, Ariz.

Occupation: Development director, Grace in Action

Previous position	Organization/Company
Banker	
Financial Representative	Thrivent

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Head trustee	Congregation
Elder	Congregation
Head elder	Congregation
Usher	Congregation
Secretary	Congregation
Financial secretary	Congregation
Treasurer	Congregation
Evangelism chairman	Congregation
Board of education president	Congregation
Congregation president	Congregation
Board member	Arizona Lutheran Academy (ALA)
Chairman	HELP Foundation (that supported ALA)
	Helped start churches in the Phoenix area
	Worked with Open Sky to write a charter to get their first charter school started in the Phoenix area that has a wraparound before and after school Bible program

Mr. Benjamin Leyrer

Congregation: Nain, West Allis, Wis.

Occupation: Network administrator/technology services

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Church council member	Congregation
Board of education member	Congregation
Sunday school teacher	Congregation

Cont.

Mr. Kenneth Prost

Congregation: St. Paul, Ixonia, Wis.

Occupation: Retired

Previous position	Organization/Company
Teacher	High school mathematics
Lecturer	College mathematics

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Chairman	Congregation
Secretary	Congregation
Treasurer	Congregation
Board of elders member	Congregation
Board of evangelism member	Congregation
Delegate	District convention

Mr. Peter Sahlstrom

Congregation: Abiding Grace, Covington, Ga.

Occupation: Computer engineer, manager, entrepreneur

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Founding member	Congregation
Treasurer	Congregation
Congregation president	Congregation
Adult Bible study teacher	Congregation
Sunday school teacher	Congregation
Chairman	WELS Ministry of Christian Giving (2012-2020) for South Atlantic District

Other: Strong background in business, leadership, communication, problem solving, and getting things unstuck; licensed professional engineer with a BS in computer engineering; master's degree in business administration; master's degree in analytics; Six Sigma practitioner; certified project management professional; Toastmaster.

Mr. Brian Scheele*

Congregation: St Paul, Plymouth, Neb.

Occupation: Owner of an electrical contracting company (44 years) and owner of central pivot irrigation company (19 years)

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Elder	Congregation
Chairman	Congregation

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Trustee	Congregation
Board of education chairman	Congregation
Member	Luther Preparatory School Mission Advancement Committee
Member	WELS Board for Ministerial Education

Mr. Peter Trapp

Congregation: Peace, Hartford, Wis.

Occupation: Teacher

Previous position	Organization/Company
Teacher	Atonement Lutheran School, Milwaukee, Wis.
Athletic director	Atonement Lutheran School, Milwaukee, Wis.

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Board of child discipleship member	Congregation

Mr. Dean Waldschmidt*

Congregation: Faith, Fond du Lac, Wis.

Occupation: Owner, Fond du Lac Wilbert Burial Vaults, Midwest Express Shuttle, and overnight livery service

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Capital projects committee member	Congregation
Board of elders member	Congregation
Member	Winnebago Lutheran Academy Mission Advancement Committee
Member	WELS Board for Ministerial Education

BOARD FOR MINISTERIAL EDUCATION, member

(teacher or staff minister from the Michigan, Minnesota, Northern Wisconsin, Southeastern Wisconsin, or Western Wisconsin districts)

(* = incumbent)

Mr. Justin J. Danell

33 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
St Peter Lutheran School, Appleton, Wis.	7/1/2021	present	Teacher
Michigan Lutheran Seminary, Saginaw, Mich.	7/1/2018	6/30/2021	Teacher
St John Lutheran School, Hemlock, Mich.	7/1/2014	6/30/2018	Teacher
Luther Preparatory School, Watertown, Wis.	7/1/2013	6/30/2014	Teacher
Luther Preparatory School, Watertown, Wis.	7/1/2012	6/30/2013	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	Board of Appeals (MI)	7/1/2020	6/30/2021
Member	Commission on Lutheran Schools (MI)	10/9/2019	8/1/2021

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/29/2019

Prof. Nathan J. Kieselhorst

56 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Luther Preparatory School, Watertown, Wis.	7/1/2002	present	Teacher
St John Lutheran School, Watertown, Wis.	7/1/2001	6/30/2002	Teacher
Luther Preparatory School, Watertown, Wis.	7/1/1995	6/30/2001	Teacher
Martin Luther Prep School, Prairie Du Chien, Wis.	7/1/1993	6/30/1995	Teacher
St Paul's Lutheran School, New Ulm, Minn.	7/1/1989	6/30/1993	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	Board of Appeals	7/1/2019	6/30/2025
Member	Board of Appeals	8/1/2013	7/31/2019

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/2003

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Mr. Daniel J. Markgraf*

58 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
St John Lutheran School, Wauwatosa, Wis.	7/1/2020	present	Teacher
Beautiful Savior Lutheran School, Cincinnati, Ohio	7/1/2001	6/30/2020	Teacher
St Peter Lutheran School (Mayville), Mayville, Wis.	9/1/1990	6/30/2001	Teacher
Zion Lutheran School, Valentine, Neb.	7/1/1986	8/31/1990	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	WELS VEBA Commission	7/1/2022	6/30/2023
Member	Board for Ministerial Education	7/1/2019	6/30/2023
Member	Board of Appeals (MI)	7/1/2018	6/30/2020
Coordinator	Commission on Lutheran Schools (MI)	7/1/2016	6/30/2020
Coordinator	Commission on Lutheran Schools (MI)	12/2/2011	6/30/2016

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/1999

BOARD FOR MINISTERIAL EDUCATION, member

(teacher or staff minister from a Lutheran high school)

(* = incumbent)

Mr. David D. Gartner

52 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
West Lutheran High School, Plymouth, Minn.	7/1/2019	present	Teacher
St John Lutheran School, Redwood Falls, Minn.	7/1/1992	6/30/2019	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Coordinator	Commission on Lutheran Schools (MN)	7/1/2020	6/30/2024
Coordinator	Commission on Lutheran Schools (MN)	7/1/2017	6/30/2020

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/30/2007

Mr. Mark T. Heckendorf

51 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Winnebago Lutheran Academy, Fond du Lac, Wis.	7/1/2019	present	Teacher
Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School, Jackson, Wis.	7/1/2006	8/31/2017	Teacher
St Lucas Lutheran School, Kewaskum, Wis.	7/1/2003	6/30/2006	Teacher
Wisconsin Lutheran High School, Milwaukee, Wis.	7/1/1997	6/30/2003	Teacher
St Paul Lutheran School, Plymouth, Neb.	7/10/1994	6/30/1997	Teacher

Other service

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/2013
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/1999

Mr. Gerald G. Zeamer*

62 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School Jackson, Wis.	7/1/1999	present	Teacher
Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran School, Westminster, Colo.	7/1/1992	6/30/1999	Teacher
Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran School, Westminster, Colo.	7/1/1987	6/30/1992	Teacher
Nebraska Evangelical Lutheran High School, Waco, Neb.	7/1/1985	6/30/1987	Teacher

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Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	Board for Ministerial Education	8/1/2017	7/31/2023

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/25/2011
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/1995

BOARD FOR WORLD MISSIONS, member

(layman—choose 2)

(* = incumbent)

Mr. Richard Bakken

Congregation: Immanuel, Long Valley, N.J.

Occupation: Assistant chief information officer, Stanford University; Martin Luther College adjunct faculty

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Church music coordinator/scheduler	Congregation
Evangelism committee member	Congregation
Ensemble member for music and worship	Congregation
Organist	Congregation
Choir director and music coordinator	Congregation
Head usher	Congregation

Other: Board member of Emmanuel Music Boston; active member of the International Leadership Association; past president and communications director for the West Central Milwaukee County chapter of Thrivent Financial for Lutherans; past board member for the Milwaukee Federation of WELS Churches; past president of the USD chapter of Phi Delta Kappa International; past assistant director for Badger Boys State.

Mr. Arlin Bornschlegl*

Congregation: Resurrection, Rochester, Minn.

Occupation: Financial consultant, Thrivent Financial

Previous position	Organization/Company
Staff minister of evangelism and youth	Ascension, Rochester, Minn.
Teacher	Faith, Anchorage, Alaska
Missionary	Russia (Novosibirsk)

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Evangelism committee chairman	Congregation
Education committee chairman	Congregation
Stewardship committee chairman	Congregation
Sunday school superintendent	Congregation
Member	WELS Board for World Missions

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Other: 1994 graduate of Dr. Martin Luther College in elementary education; Master of Science in financial services degree; wife was born in Russia and in-laws from Russia have lived with him for many years.

Mr. Mark Greiner

Congregation: St. Paul, Columbus, Ohio

Occupation: Landscaper

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Elder	Congregation
Board of education member	Congregation
Trustee	Congregation
Deacon chairman	Congregation
Chairman	Congregation

Mr. Jeff Hanel

Congregation: Living Hope, Commerce City, Colo.

Occupation: Aerospace engineer, University of Colorado, Boulder–Laboratory for Atmospheric and Space Physics

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Chairman	Congregation
Vice chairman	Congregation
Treasurer	Congregation
Recording secretary	Congregation
Building team member	Congregation
Evangelism team member	Congregation
Partner	Friends of China
ESL teacher	

Other: Board member, Melody Musical Theater Group, Westminster, Colo.

Mr. Mark Schulz*

Congregation: St. Matthew, Janesville, Wis.

Occupation: Attorney/municipal judge

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Chairman	Congregation
Elder	Congregation
Member	WELS Board for World Missions

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Secretary	Asia-Pacific Rim Administrative Committee
Chairman	Asia-Pacific Rim Administrative Committee
Member	Thailand-Laos Oversight Committee
Member	WELS Kingdom Workers board of directors
Chairman	WELS Kingdom Workers board of directors
Member	CELC Planning Committee
Member	WELS Foundation
Secretary	WELS Foundation
Vice chairman	WELS Foundation

Other: Milton Youth Soccer Association president; board member for State Bar of Wisconsin Real Property, Probate, and Trust Section; undergraduate study abroad in Italy and Russian major; travel experience in developed and underdeveloped countries.

Mr. Kevin Traub

Congregation: Spirit of Life, Caledonia, Mich.

Occupation: Senior marketing director, Zondervan Publishing

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Congregation president	Congregation
Congregation mission status steering committee member	Congregation

BOARD OF APPEALS, member
(layman)

Mr. Jonathan Hood

Congregation: Grace Lutheran Church, Yakima, Wash.

Occupation: Firefighter

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Congregation chairman	Congregation
Board of education member	Congregation
Board of education chairman	Congregation
Member	Pacific Northwest District Board of Appeals

Mr. William Schaefer

Congregation: Christ the Lord Lutheran Church, Brookfield, Wis.

Occupation: Operations manager at GE Healthcare (leading teams, hiring, managing/developing teams, and driving business outcomes)

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Board of trustees member	Congregation
Board of stewardship member	Congregation
Board of member ministry member	Congregation
Usher	Congregation
Choir member	Congregation

Mr. Wesley Schroeder

Congregation: St. Paul Lutheran Church, Plymouth, Neb

Occupation: Salesperson for the electrical distribution industry for the last 37 years and manage a family cattle and crop operation.

Past and present congregation and synod service

Position	Congregation or synod service
Chairman	Congregation
Elder	Congregation
Stewardship committee member	Congregation

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Member	Nebraska Lutheran High School board
Chairman	Nebraska Lutheran High School board
Delegate	Nebraska District conventions
Delegate	Synod conventions

BOARD OF APPEALS, member
(parish pastor)

Rev. William R. Brassow

67 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Zion Lutheran Church, Osceola, Wis.	8/1/2016	present	Pastor
St Paul Lutheran Church, Saginaw, Mich.	6/17/1994	7/31/2016	Pastor
Cross of Christ Lutheran Church, Universal City, Texas	7/1/1984	6/16/1994	Pastor
Northwestern Prep School, Watertown, Wis.	7/1/1982	6/30/1984	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Circuit pastor	Eastern (Saint Croix, MN)	11/8/2018	present
Second vice president	South Central District	6/1/1992	6/1/1994
Circuit pastor	Capital (South Central, SC)	6/1/1990	6/1/1992

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/29/2019
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/1993

Rev. Ross W. Henzi

63 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Trinity Lutheran Church, Brillion, Wis.	7/23/1989	present	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Circuit pastor	Western (Manitowoc, NW)	2/1/2023	present
Circuit pastor	Western (Manitowoc, NW)	7/1/2010	6/30/2016
Second vice president	Northern Wisconsin District	7/1/2002	6/30/2008
Second vice president	Northern Wisconsin District	12/13/2001	6/30/2002
Circuit pastor	Northern (Manitowoc, NW)	6/1/1996	12/12/2001
Coordinator	Commission on Youth and Family Ministry (NW)	6/1/1992	7/31/2000

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/2015
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/2001

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Rev. David R. Rosenau

52 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
St Mark Lutheran Church, Leesburg, Fla.	8/2/2009	present	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Chairman	Committee on Constitutional Matters (SA)	7/1/2019	6/30/2023
Chairman	Board of Appeals (SA)	7/1/2018	6/30/2024
Circuit pastor	Citrus (Cypress, SA)	7/1/2018	present
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	7/1/2009	present

COMMISSION ON CONGREGATIONAL COUNSELING, chairman

(pastor, teacher, staff minister, or layman)

(* = incumbent)

Rev. Adam R. Mueller

50 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Redeemer Lutheran Church, Tucson, Ariz.	12/1/2012	present	Pastor
Peace Lutheran Church, Kokomo, Ind.	1/1/2005	11/30/2012	Pastor
Faith Lutheran Church, Kokomo, Ind.	7/1/2000	12/31/2004	Pastor
Michigan Lutheran Seminary, Saginaw, Mich.	7/1/1998	6/30/2000	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	Commission on Congregational Counseling	7/1/2018	6/30/2022
Member	Commission on Congregational Counseling	7/1/2014	6/30/2018
Member	Nominating Committee (AZ-CA)	8/1/2013	6/30/2014
Member	Campus Ministry Committee	7/1/2013	6/30/2014
Member	Commission on Evangelism (AZ-CA)	4/1/2013	present
Circuit pastor	Eastern (Chicago, SEW)	7/1/2012	12/1/2012
Member	Commission on Congregational Counseling	10/20/2010	6/30/2014
Member	Campus Ministry Committee	7/1/2007	6/30/2013
Part-time	Campus ministry pastor	1/1/2005	11/30/2012
Member	Commission on Evangelism (SEW)	8/1/2004	12/1/2012
Part-time	Campus ministry pastor		12/31/2004

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/26/2021

Prof. David G. Scharf*

44 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Martin Luther College, New Ulm, Minn.	3/1/2016	present	Pastor
Immanuel Lutheran Church, Greenville, Wis.	7/1/2005	2/28/2016	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Chairman	Commission on Congregational Counseling	7/1/2019	6/30/2023
Chairman	Commission on Congregational Counseling	8/1/2015	7/1/2019
Coordinator	Commission on Evangelism (NW)	8/1/2014	3/1/2016
Chairman	Commission on Congregational Counseling	3/13/2013	6/30/2015
Member	Commission on Congregational Counseling	1/13/2011	6/30/2015

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Member	Institute for Worship and Outreach	5/1/2010	present
Coordinator	Commission on Evangelism (NW)	8/1/2008	7/31/2014

Rev. Paul M. Seager

49 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Christ Alone Lutheran Church, Keller, Texas	1/1/2010	present	Pastor
Immanuel Lutheran Church, Fort Worth, Texas	10/15/2009	12/31/2009	Pastor
Hope Lutheran Church, Hampton, Ga.	10/1/2006	10/14/2009	Pastor
Grace Lutheran Church, Spring Hill, Fla.	7/1/2002	9/30/2006	Pastor
Martin Luther College, New Ulm, Minn.	7/1/2000	6/30/2002	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	Commission on Evangelism (SC)	10/15/2020	6/30/2022
Coordinator	Commission on Evangelism (SC)	7/1/2020	10/14/2020
Coordinator	Commission on Evangelism (SC)	8/1/2014	6/30/2020
Circuit pastor	Dallas-Fort Worth (South Central, SC)	7/1/2014	present
Member	Commission on Evangelism (SC)	3/1/2013	7/31/2014
Part-time	Campus ministry pastor	7/1/2002	9/30/2006
Member	Military contact pastor	1/1/2002	present
Circuit pastor	Dallas-Fort Worth (South Central, SC)		7/1/2014

COMMISSION ON DISCIPLESHIP, chairman

(pastor, teacher, staff minister, or layman)

(* = incumbent)

Rev. John H. Boggs*

52 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Luther Preparatory School, Watertown, Wis.	2/1/2022	present	Pastor
Divine Savior Lutheran Church—West Palm Beach, West Palm Beach, Fla.	12/1/2016	1/31/2022	Pastor
Winnebago Lutheran Academy, Fond du Lac, Wis.	7/1/2010	11/30/2016	Pastor
Michigan Lutheran Seminary, Saginaw, Mich.	6/1/2004	6/30/2010	Pastor
Saving Grace Lutheran Church, Mobile, Ala.	7/1/1999	5/31/2004	Pastor
Luther Preparatory School, Watertown, Wis.	7/1/1997	6/30/1999	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Chairman	Commission on Discipleship	6/1/2019	6/30/2023
Circuit pastor	Gold Coast (Cypress, SA)	7/1/2018	12/31/2021
Chairman	Commission on Discipleship	6/1/2018	6/1/2019
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	12/1/2016	1/31/2022
Chairman	Commission on Youth and Family Ministry	8/1/2015	5/31/2018
Member	Commission on Youth and Family Ministry	9/11/2012	8/1/2015
Member	Military contact pastor		1/1/2004

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/2015

Rev. John M. Koelpin

56 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Calvary Lutheran Church, Dallas, Texas	8/1/1993	present	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	Commission on Inter-Church Relations	7/1/2021	6/30/2025
Coordinator	Commission on Discipleship (SC)	7/1/2018	6/30/2024
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	7/1/2014	present
Member	Translation Feasibility Committee	9/1/2011	7/1/2013
Assistant circuit pastor	Dallas-Fort Worth (South Central, SC)	7/1/2008	7/1/2014

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Coordinator	Commission on Worship (SC)	7/31/2002	6/30/2008
Coordinator	Commission on Worship (SC)	6/15/1994	7/31/2002

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/26/2021
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/25/2011

Rev. Daniel M. Schroeder

53 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Christ the King Lutheran Church, Palm Coast, Fla.	2/1/2022	present	Pastor
St Peter Lutheran Church, Modesto, Calif.	11/1/2016	1/31/2022	Pastor
Northwestern Publishing House, Waukesha, Wis.	7/1/2014	10/31/2016	Pastor
Risen Savior Lutheran Church, Chula Vista, Calif.	5/1/2002	6/30/2014	Pastor
Morning Star Lutheran Church, Jackson, Wis.	7/1/1995	4/30/2002	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Circuit pastor	Golden Gate (California North, AZCA)	9/1/2021	1/31/2022
Coordinator	Commission on Discipleship (AZCA)	7/1/2019	5/20/2022
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	11/23/2016	present
Advisory	Commission on Adult Discipleship	10/1/2015	10/31/2016
Secretary	Arizona-California District	6/1/2009	6/30/2014
Member	Board of Appeals (AZCA)	7/1/2008	6/15/2009
Coordinator	Commission on Adult Discipleship (AZCA)	6/1/2007	5/31/2009
Member	Commission on Adult Discipleship (AZCA)	7/1/2004	5/31/2007
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	7/1/2003	5/31/2014
Member	Commission on Adult Discipleship (AZCA)	7/1/2002	6/30/2004
Member	Military contact pastor	7/1/2001	6/30/2014

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/25/2011

COMMISSION ON SPECIAL MINISTRIES, chairman

(pastor, teacher, staff minister, or layman)

Rev. Gerhardt H. Juergens

54 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Immanuel Lutheran Church, Lakeside, Ariz.	6/1/2023	present	Pastor
St John Lutheran Church, Tappen, N.D.	10/15/2014	5/31/2023	Pastor
Christ Lutheran Church, Bison, S.D.	7/1/2005	10/14/2014	Pastor
Christ Lutheran Church, Morristown, S.D.	7/1/2005	10/14/2014	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	Nominating Committee (DM)	7/1/2022	6/30/2026
Coordinator	Commission on Special Ministries (DM)	7/1/2014	6/30/2020
Coordinator	Commission on Special Ministries (DM)	7/1/2008	6/30/2014

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/29/2019
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/26/1999

Rev. Steven W. Wagenknecht

53 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Abiding Savior Lutheran Church, Weslaco, Texas	6/1/2012	present	Pastor
Grace Lutheran Church, Casa Grande, Ariz.	7/1/2004	5/31/2012	Pastor
Amazing Grace Lutheran Church, Boise, Idaho	2/1/2003	6/30/2004	Pastor
Puerto Rico mission	7/1/2000	1/31/2003	Pastor
Cuba mission	7/1/1999	6/30/2000	Pastor
Mexico mission	7/1/1996	6/30/1999	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Chairman	Committee on Constitutional Matters (SC)	1/6/2023	6/30/2024
Member	Nominating Committee	7/1/2020	6/30/2024
Coordinator	Commission on Special Ministries (SC)	7/1/2020	6/30/2024
Chairman	Nominating Committee (SC)	7/1/2020	6/30/2024
Member	Nominating Committee	7/1/2016	6/30/2020
Chairman	Nominating Committee (SC)	7/1/2016	6/30/2020
Chairman	Nominating Committee (SC)	3/2/2015	6/30/2016
Coordinator	Commission on Special Ministries (SC)	7/1/2014	6/30/2020

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Contact	Campus ministry pastor	6/1/2012	present
Member	Nominating Committee (AZ-CA)	7/1/2008	6/30/2012
Circuit pastor	Superstition Mountains (Black Canyon, AZ-CA)	2/7/2006	6/30/2012
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	7/1/2004	5/31/2012
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	2/1/2003	6/30/2004
Member	Military contact pastor		7/1/2004

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/29/2019

Rev. Timothy R. Wagner

45 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Riverview Lutheran Church, Appleton, Wis.	1/1/2019	present	Pastor
Lamb of God Lutheran Church, Columbus, Ohio	4/15/2012	12/31/2018	Pastor
Abiding Peace Lutheran Church, Elgin, Ill.	2/1/2007	4/14/2012	Pastor
Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Port Orange, Fla.	7/1/2005	1/31/2007	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	Commission on Worship (MI)	9/26/2017	7/31/2019
Member	Commission on Special Ministries (MI)	8/31/2016	8/12/2019
Advisory	Mission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing	9/1/2008	4/1/2012
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	2/1/2007	4/14/2012
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	7/1/2006	1/31/2007

COMMISSION ON WORSHIP, chairman

(pastor, teacher, staff minister, or layman)

Rev. Michael D. Schultz

59 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Faith Lutheran Church, Tallahassee, Fla.	7/1/2022	present	Pastor
Northwestern Publishing House, Waukesha, Wis.	12/1/2012	6/30/2022	Pastor
My Savior Lutheran Church, Warner Robins, Ga.	6/1/2002	11/30/2012	Pastor
Sola Fide Lutheran Church, Lawrenceville, Ga.	12/9/2001	11/30/2012	Pastor
Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church, Flagstaff, Ariz.	7/23/1989	12/8/2001	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	7/1/2022	present
Director	Hymnal Project Committee 2021	7/1/2013	present
Advisory	Commission on Worship	3/14/2013	5/1/2022
Member	Commission on Worship	7/1/2012	6/30/2013
Member	Martin Luther College Governing Board	7/1/2008	11/15/2012
Member	Commission on Worship	6/7/2008	6/30/2012
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	6/30/2004	6/30/2006
Chairman	Hymnal Supplement Committee	6/1/2003	7/30/2007
Member	Martin Luther College Governing Board	7/1/2002	6/30/2008
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	12/1/2001	6/26/2002
Chairman	Board for Parish Services (AZ-CA)	7/1/1998	12/1/2001
Coordinator	Commission on Youth and Family Ministry (AZ-CA)	9/9/1996	9/1/1998
Member	Institute for Worship and Outreach		present
Part-time	Campus ministry pastor		12/31/2001
Member	Legislation Committee (SA)		8/1/2013

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/26/2021
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/2003

Rev. Johnold J. Strey

47 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Crown of Life Lutheran Church, Hubertus, Wis.	9/1/2016	present	Pastor
St Mark's Lutheran Church, Citrus Heights, Calif.	6/16/2011	8/31/2016	Pastor
Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, Belmont, Calif.	7/1/2001	6/15/2011	Pastor
Gloria Dei Lutheran Elementary School, Belmont, Calif.	7/1/2008	4/30/2011	Pastor

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Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Coordinator	Commission on Worship (AZ-CA)	7/1/2012	6/30/2016
Coordinator	Commission on Worship (AZ-CA)	8/1/2006	7/1/2012
Member	Commission on Worship (AZ-CA)	7/1/2004	8/1/2006
Member	Hymnal Project–Rites Committee		present
Contact	Campus ministry pastor		4/30/2011

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/26/2021

Mr. Dale A. Witte

55 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Winnebago Lutheran Academy, Fond du Lac, Wis.	7/1/1993	present	Teacher
St Paul Lutheran School, Tomah, Wis.	1/1/1990	6/30/1993	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	Commission on Worship (NW)	8/1/2018	8/1/2021
Member	Hymnal Project–Psalmody Committee		present

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/30/2007

LUTHER PREPARATORY SCHOOL GOVERNING BOARD, chairman

(parish pastor)

(* = incumbent)

Rev. Karl M. Schultz

54 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Zion Lutheran Church, Rhinelander, Wis.	10/1/2019	present	Pastor
First Lutheran Church, Lake Geneva, Wis.	1/1/2014	9/30/2019	Pastor
Trinity Lutheran Church, Kaukauna, Wis.	5/15/2004	12/31/2013	Pastor
Immanuel Lutheran Church, Hadar, Neb.	11/1/1998	5/14/2004	Pastor
Immanuel Lutheran School, Hadar, Neb.	8/1/1999	6/30/2000	Pastor
St Peter Lutheran Church, Darwin, Minn.	7/1/1994	10/31/1998	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	10/16/2019	present
Circuit pastor	Western (Shoreland, SEW)	7/1/2016	10/8/2019
Member	Fox Valley LHS Board of Regents	6/1/2008	11/30/2013
Chairman	Committee on Constitutional Matters (NE)	7/1/2002	5/31/2004
Chairman	Committee on Constitutional Matters (NE)	9/1/2000	6/30/2002

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/28/2013

Rev. Timothy J. Spaude*

55 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
St Jacobi Lutheran Church, Greenfield, Wis.	7/1/2000	present	Pastor
Little Lambs Preschool, Universal City, Texas	7/1/1999	6/30/2000	Pastor
Cross of Christ Lutheran Church, Universal City, Texas	7/1/1994	6/30/2000	Pastor
Luther High School, Onalaska, Wis.	9/1/1992	6/30/1993	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Circuit pastor	WaMiWauG (Milwaukee Metro, SEW)	7/1/2020	present
Chairman	Luther Preparatory School Governing Board	7/1/2019	6/30/2023
Member	Board for Ministerial Education	7/1/2019	6/30/2023
Member	Luther Preparatory School Governing Board	7/1/2012	6/30/2018
Vice chairman	Luther Preparatory School Governing Board	7/1/2006	6/30/2012
Secretary	South Central District	9/1/1998	6/1/2000
Member	Commission on Evangelism (SC)	9/1/1996	6/30/2000

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Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/2011

Rev. Kevin P. Westra

56 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Hortonville, Wis.	11/1/2020	present	Pastor
Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church, Grove City, Ohio	2/15/2004	10/31/2020	Pastor
Redeemer Lutheran Church, Yakima, Wash.	11/1/1998	2/14/2004	Pastor
Trinity Lutheran Church, Wayland, Mich.	7/1/1994	10/31/1998	Pastor
Martin Luther Prep School, Prairie Du Chien, Wis.	7/1/1992	6/30/1994	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	Commission on Congregational Counseling	7/12/2022	6/30/2026
Second vice president	Northern Wisconsin District	7/1/2022	6/30/2024
Member	Luther Preparatory School Governing Board	7/1/2016	6/30/2022
Member	Ministry of Christian Giving (MI)	6/30/2008	7/1/2010
Member	Ministry of Christian Giving (MI)	7/1/2006	6/30/2008
Circuit pastor	Southern (Ohio, MI)	9/1/2005	8/24/2020
Member	Nominating Committee (PNW)	7/1/2000	6/30/2004
Circuit pastor	Sonshine (Cascades, PNW)	6/27/2000	2/17/2004
Member	Commission on Youth and Family Ministry (MI)	7/1/1996	10/31/1998

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/30/2007

MICHIGAN LUTHERAN SEMINARY GOVERNING BOARD, chairman
(parish pastor)

Rev. Jason E. Baldwin

49 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Hope Lutheran Church, Saint Charles, Mich.	9/13/2001	present	Pastor
Willow Lake Lutheran Church, Willow Lake, S.D.	7/1/2000	9/12/2001	Pastor
Faith Lutheran Church, Huron, S.D.	7/1/2000	9/12/2001	Pastor
Christian Life Resources, Hartford, Wis.	9/15/1999	5/19/2000	Lay worker

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Secretary	Michigan District	7/1/2022	6/30/2024
Secretary	Michigan District	7/1/2020	6/30/2022
Secretary	Michigan District	7/1/2018	6/30/2020
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	7/1/2000	9/12/2001

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/29/2019

Rev. Matthew A. Holtz

47 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
St Paul Lutheran Church, Appleton, Wis.	10/1/2018	present	Pastor
Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church, Greeley, Colo.	10/16/2011	9/30/2018	Pastor
Grace Lutheran Church, Prairie du Chien, Wis.	7/1/2001	10/15/2011	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	8/1/2021	present
Coordinator	Commission on Discipleship (NE)	7/1/2018	8/31/2018
Coordinator	Commission on Youth and Family Ministry (NE)	7/1/2016	6/30/2018
Coordinator	Commission on Youth and Family Ministry (NE)	7/1/2012	6/30/2016
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	10/16/2011	5/1/2020

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/25/2011

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Rev. Andrew P. Retberg

45 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
St John Lutheran Church, Saginaw, Mich.	1/1/2021	present	Pastor
St John Lutheran School, Saginaw, Mich.	7/1/2021	6/30/2022	Pastor
Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, The Woodlands, Texas	9/15/2008	12/31/2020	Pastor
Salem Lutheran Church, Scottsdale, Ariz.	7/1/2004	9/14/2008	Pastor

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	12/16/2020	present
Member	Michigan Lutheran Seminary Governing Board	2/2/2017	6/30/2020
Member	<i>Forward in Christ</i> district reporter (SC)	1/1/2010	6/30/2022
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	7/1/2004	9/14/2008

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/1/2015

WISCONSIN LUTHERAN SEMINARY GOVERNING BOARD, chairman

(parish pastor)

(* = incumbent)

Rev. Jonathan E. Scharf*

47 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Abiding Grace Lutheran Church, Covington, Ga.	7/1/2003	present	Pastor
Martin Luther College, New Ulm, Minn.	7/1/2002	6/30/2003	Teacher
Martin Luther College, New Ulm, Minn.	7/1/2001	6/30/2002	Teacher
Christian Life Resources, Hartford, Wis.	9/1/2000	6/30/2001	Lay worker

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Member	SA Mission Board (SA)	7/1/2020	6/30/2024
Chairman	Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary Governing Board	8/1/2017	7/31/2023
Member	Board for Ministerial Education	7/1/2017	6/30/2023
Member	SA Mission Board (SA)	9/1/2016	6/30/2020
Circuit pastor	Peachtree (Cottonbelt, SA)	7/1/2016	6/30/2018
Advisory	Commission on Congregational Counseling	11/10/2015	6/30/2020
Coordinator	Commission on Evangelism (SA)	8/1/2012	7/31/2017
Coordinator	Commission on Evangelism (SA)	8/1/2007	7/31/2012
Member	Commission on Evangelism (SA)	8/1/2006	7/31/2007
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	7/1/2004	present
Member	Military contact pastor		present
Member	Hymnal Project–Scripture Committee		present

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/31/2017

Rev. Kenneth L. Brokmeier

60 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Our Savior Lutheran Church, Brookings, S.D.	9/1/2000	present	Pastor
Luther Preparatory School, Watertown, Wis.	7/1/2000	8/31/2000	Teacher
St Paul Lutheran Church, Lake Mills, Wis.	7/1/1999	6/30/2000	Pastor
Luther Preparatory School, Watertown, Wis.	7/1/1995	6/30/1999	Teacher
Northwestern Prep School, Watertown, Wis.	1/1/1995	6/30/1995	Pastor
Martin Luther Prep School, Prairie Du Chien, Wis.	7/1/1990	12/31/1994	Pastor
Northwestern College, Watertown, Wis.	7/1/1988	6/30/1990	Pastor

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Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Chairman	Board of Appeals (DM)	7/1/2022	6/30/2026
Second vice president	Dakota-Montana District	7/1/2022	6/30/2024
Chairman	Ministry of Christian Giving (DM)	7/1/2020	6/30/2026
Second vice president	Dakota-Montana District	7/1/2020	6/30/2022
Second vice president	Dakota-Montana District	7/1/2020	6/30/2020
Chairman	Ministry of Christian Giving (DM)	7/1/2014	6/30/2020
Chairman	Luther Preparatory School Governing Board	8/1/2013	7/31/2019
Member	Board for Ministerial Education	8/1/2013	7/31/2019
Chairman	Campus Ministry Committee	7/1/2009	6/30/2015
Chairman	Luther Preparatory School Governing Board	8/1/2007	7/31/2013
Member	Board for Ministerial Education	8/1/2007	7/31/2013
Chairman	Campus Ministry Committee	7/1/2007	6/30/2009
Member	DM Mission Board (DM)	7/1/2004	6/30/2010
Vice chairman	Campus Ministry Committee	7/1/2003	6/30/2007
Part-time	Campus ministry pastor	9/1/2000	present

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/30/2007

Rev. Michael J. Quandt

58 years old

Service

Serving unit	From	To	Type
Redemption Lutheran Church, Saint George, Utah	9/1/2013	present	Pastor
Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary, Mequon, Wis.	9/1/2007	8/31/2013	Teacher
Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, Salt Lake City, Utah	6/16/1994	8/31/2007	Pastor
West Lutheran High School, Plymouth, Minn.	7/15/1990	6/15/1994	Teacher

Other service

Position	Board/Commission	Start date	End date
Contact	Campus ministry pastor	10/1/2022	present
Member	Nominating Committee (NE)	7/1/2020	6/30/2024
Circuit pastor	Western Slope (Western, NE)	12/2/2017	present
Advisory	Commission on Lutheran Schools	7/1/2008	7/31/2013
Member	Board for Home Missions	7/1/2006	6/30/2007
Chairman	CO Mission Board (NE)	7/1/2006	6/30/2007
Member	CO Mission Board (NE)	7/1/2002	6/30/2006
Member	CO Mission Board (NE)		6/30/2002

Event	Date
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/31/2017
Delegate to a WELS convention	7/25/2011