

# 2010 Western Wisconsin District Convention

June 6-8, 2010 • Luther Prep School, Watertown Wisconsin

Theme: *Christ's Love, Our Calling*

## NOTES

- This mailing has been sent to all active and retired male called workers and all congregations in the Western Wisconsin District. Please feel free to make copies.
- Since this will be a *convention*, each congregation should plan on sending a lay delegate besides the usual male called workers.
- Convention reports should be printed out. Send any reports you want printed for distribution via e-mail to Roger Kobleske (rkoblesk@lps.wels.net) by **May 21, 2010**. If you wish to print the report yourself make 400 copies minimum.
- Please fill out and send in the enclosed forms with appropriate payments. The green form (convention registration) goes to Luther Prep School. The yellow form (district dues) goes to the district secretary. Make additional copies of forms as needed. Note: District dues are not charged to retired workers.
- A memorial has been printed in the delegate handbook. Please have a look at this before convention. We will begin discussing it on Sunday night.

## CONVENTION AGENDA

### **SUNDAY, JUNE 6, 2010**

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| 4:00-6:00p | Registration in gym lobby   |
| 6:00-6:20  | Opening Devotion (Rev. Herb Prah)l)   |
| 6:20-6:25  | Convention Welcome and Instructions   |
| 6:25-7:05  | Presentation: The Divine Call FAQ   |
| 7:05-7:35  | Synod Report (Pres. Mark Schroeder)   |
| 7:35-7:55  | Synod Finances (Mr. Todd Poppe)   |
| 7:55-8:15  | Ministerial Education (Rev. Paul Prange)  |
| 8:15 - ??? | Introduction of Other Items:<br>- Memorial Re: Conventions / Conferences<br>- Encouragement from 2009 Synod<br>Convention Re: Smaller Circuits<br>- Floor Committees meet as needed |

### **MONDAY, JUNE 7, 2010**

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| 6:30-8:30a | Breakfast |
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| 8:30-9:45   | Communion Service in LPS Chapel<br>(Preacher: Pres. Mark Schroeder)   |
| 9:50-9:55   | Convention Welcome (Pres. Herb Prah)l)  |
| 9:55-10:05  | Elections (Rev. Ken Ewerdt)   |
| 10:05-10:25 | President's Report (Rev. Herb Prah)l)   |
| 10:25-11:10 | Presentation: <i>The Call of the Circuit Pastor</i><br>(Rev. Mark Lindner)  |
| 11:30-12:00 | Circuit Caucuses (elect circuit pastors)  |
| 12:00-1:30  | Lunch   |
| 1:30-1:45   | Devotion (Rev. Mark Lindner)  |
| 1:45-1:50   | Elections (Rev Ken Ewerdt)  |
| 1:50-2:00   | Synodical Council Rep (Mr. John Tappe)  |
| 2:00-2:20   | World Mission (Rev. Dan Koelpin)  |
| 2:20-3:00   | Presentation: <i>Our Call as Brothers</i><br>(Rev. Mike Jensen)   |
| 3:00-3:30   | Miscellaneous Reports   |
| 3:30-3:50   | Break   |
| 3:50-4:00   | NPH (Rev. John Braun)   |
| 4:00-4:10   | WELS CEF (Mr. Tim Probst)   |
| 4:10-4:50   | District Areas of Service<br>- Adult Discipleship (Rev. P. Waldschmidt)<br>- Evangelism (Rev. D. Solofra)<br>- Parish Schools (Mr. J. Lau)<br>- Special Ministries (Rev. J. Unnasch)<br>- Worship (Rev. R. Lehmann)<br>- Youth Discipleship (Rev. S. Schmeling)<br>- District Help Team (Rev. R. Agenten) |
| 4:50-5:00   | Elections (Rev Ken Ewerdt)  |
| 5:00-6:45   | Dinner  |

6:45-7:15 Planned Giving (Rev. Dave Liggett)  
 7:15-8:15 Floor Committee Reports  
 Other Reports  
 8:15 Floor Committee Work  
 Gemütlichkeit in Student Union

**TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 2010**

6:30-8:00a Breakfast  
 8:00-8:15 Devotion (Rev. Mike Jensen)  
 8:15-8:25 Home Missions (Rev. Keith Free)  
 8:25-8:35 WELS VEBA (Mr. John Flanagan)  
 8:35-9:10 Other Unfinished Business  
 9:10-10:00 Floor Committee Reports  
 10:00-10:20 Break  
 10:20-11:30 Rapid Reports  
 11:30-12:00p Closing Devotion (Pres. Matt Crass)  
 Installation of District Officers  
 12:00-1:00 Lunch  
 1:00-4:00 Circuit Pastor Orientation

Printed and/or Oral Reports

1. Board of Support - Rev Mark Lindner
2. Calvary Academy - Rev Paul Scharrer/Rev Roger Schultz
3. Campus Ministries - Rev Tom Trapp
4. Communication Services - Mr Joel Hochmuth
5. Constitution Committee - Rev Ken Ewerdt
6. District Scholarship Fund - Rev Galen Riediger
7. District Treasurer - Rev Dan Sims
8. Human Resources - Mr Roger Crawford
9. Institutional Ministries - Rev Bob Pasbrig
10. LACE - Rev Paul Kuske
11. Luther Prep - Pres Matt Crass
12. Martin Luther College - Rev Mark Zarlring
13. Planned Giving - Rev Paul Soukup
14. The Lutheran Home - Mr James Klein
15. WELS CEF - Mr James Buelow
16. WELS Kingdom Workers
17. WELS Technology - Mr Martin Spriggs
18. WELS VEBA - Mr Jon Flanagan
19. WLCFS - Rev Jim Mattek

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