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Monthly newsletter of the LCMS Kansas District

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"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life." (John 3:16)





Jesus lives! The vict'ry's won!

Death no longer can appall me; Jesus lives! Death's reign is done! From the grave will Christ recall me. Brighter scenes will then commence; This shall be my confidence. (LSB 490)

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Rev. Justin Panzer, District President

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Seeking District Communicator

The LCMS Kansas District invites applications for the position of Communications Specialist (up to 28 hours per week). The Communications Specialist oversees the communications efforts of the District, including the website, Workers Together newsletter, The Lutheran Witness supplement, social media, special projects, and other duties as assigned. Visit the Communications page at kslcms.org for more information and an employment application. Application review begins May 2.

LAST CALL: Pastors Conference Call for Papers

The Pastors Conference Planning
Committee is **looking for around 12 presentations**, 60 minutes in duration, to be given on Monday of the 2022
Pastors Conference. Please submit a brief abstract and title for your presentation to Rev. Mark Lovett at <u>pastor.mdlovett@gmail.com</u> and copy
Heather Williams, <u>heather@kslcms.org</u>, no later than May 1, 2022. (That's a Sunday, but it's also the deadline.)

Alliance Defending Freedom

ADF would love to serve Kansas District congregations through the <u>ADF</u> <u>Church Alliance</u> and schools through the <u>ADF Ministry Alliance</u>. Benefits include document review to ensure that you have the highest religious liberty protections in place; attorney consultation when faced with religious liberty questions; a membership portal providing access to legal resources; and legal representation when appropriate and necessary without additional cost. Visit the <u>Congregation Resources page</u> at ksclms.org to learn more.

President's Office

April Devotion

"This is the day that the Lord has made, we will rejoice and be glad in it!" (Psalm 118:24)

Alleluia! Christ is risen! He is risen indeed! Alleluia!

We will gather in April to celebrate our Lord's Resurrection. Here we confess so boldly the words of Psalm 118:24. This is a victory day that the Lord has made. It was not an accident. It was not unplanned. This was all a part of God's divine plan for the salvation of His people.

By His death and resurrection, Christ has shut the gates of hell and opened the gates of heaven. The stone that was rejected has become the cornerstone (Ps. 118:22). Everything that was written in the past has now been fulfilled. God's plan has come to fruition.

Because of His selfless love, Christ is still our cornerstone. His Word of truth is the very foundation on which His Church was built. Everything stands and falls on His Word. It is that Word of Good News that we celebrate as God's family together not just on Easter Sunday, but on each day and every Sunday. God brings His eternal day to us through Christ on a weekly basis in worship.

Each Sunday is a song of celebration and victory. Through the Scripture readings, we hear of God's love for us in the sending of His Son. We sing hymns based in His Word that are centered on His death and resurrection. We gather to partake of the feast of His very body and blood in the bread and wine that He has prepared for us at His table—a feast that gives us a foretaste of the heavenly feast to come (Rev. 19).

But it doesn't end after worship is over on Easter Day, or after any other day of worship for that matter. In Baptism, the Lord continues to bless us as the new person comes forth daily in baptismal resurrection (Rom. 6). He continues to bring the eternal day of victory celebration to us one day at a time on this side of heaven.

To that end, I invite and encourage you to extend an invitation to worship to someone you know who doesn't have a church home or who hasn't been to church in quite some time—if they're not sitting with you in church, then they qualify! Be intentional and steadfast as you strive to reach the lost. The Word of God will not return empty or void. Let the peace of God that far surpasses all human understanding guard their hearts and minds as much as it does yours.

You see, every day is Easter Day for the Christian. Christ brings us the eternal victory celebration one day at a time. Today is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it, and in tomorrow, the next day, and the next Sunday as well!



CALL DAY SERVICES

Concordia Seminary, St. Louis

April 26, 2022

Assignments for Vicars and Deaconess Interns, 3 p.m.

Calls for Pastoral and Diaconal Ministry Candidates, 7 p.m.

csl.edu/callday

Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne

April 26 and 27, 2022 Assignments for Vicars and Deaconess Interns, April 26 at 7 p.m. (EDT) Calls for Pastoral and Diaconal Ministry Candidates, April 27 at 7 p.m. (EDT)

callday.ctsfw.edu

Calls and Vacancies

PASTORAL CALLS

Rev. Dr. Jon Bruss, St. John's, Topeka to Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne – accepted

Rev. Jon Franson, Our Savior, Bartlett and St. John, Burwell, NE to St. Paul, Coffeyville – accepted

Rev. Timothy Koch, Emanuel, Milbank, SD to Zion, Linn – accepted

Rev. Matthew Schultz, Immanuel, Niskayuna, NY to Ascension, Pratt – accepted

Rev. Troy Slater, Faith, Richmond, MO to Immanuel, Canton – pending

Rev. Don Haselhuhn, Trinity, Burlington to St. John, Purdy, MO – declined

PENDING ORDINATIONS AND/OR INSTALLATIONS

Rev. Timothy Koch at Zion, Linn – May 1

Rev. Andrew Wehling at Immanuel, Lawrence - May 8

Rev. Rocky Mease to University Lutheran Ministry Association, Wichita (Transitional Executive Director) – May 22 at 2 p.m. at Fairmount Coffee Co.

Rev. Jon Franson at St. Paul, Coffeyville – June 5

Rev. Matthew Schultz at Ascension, Pratt-July 17

CONGREGATIONS CALLING OR PREPARING TO CALL A FULL-TIME PASTOR

Canton, Immanuel (sole) Liberal, Grace (sole)

Haven, St. Paul (sole)

Herington partnership: Immanuel,

Norton, Immanuel (seminary)

Shawnee, Hope (senior)

Our Redeemer, and St. John's (sole) Topeka, St. John's (senior)
Leavenworth, Trinity (seminary) Wichita, Risen Savior (associate)

CONGREGATIONS CALLING A COMMISSIONED MINISTER

Derby, Faith (teacher)

Emporia, Messiah (DCE)

Leavenworth, St. Paul (teachers)

Linn Lutheran (teachers)

Overland Park, Bethany (DCE)

Overland Park, Christ (DCE intern)

Shawnee, Hope (teachers)

Topeka Lutheran (principal and

teachers)

COMMISSIONED MINISTER CALLS – from the field

Teacher Emma Taylor, Topeka Lutheran School to Christ, Greenfield, AZ – accepted

Teacher Isaac Taylor, Topeka Lutheran School to Christ, Greenfield, AZ – accepted

Teacher Robyn Meyer, Linn Lutheran to Trinity, Green Bay, WI – accepted

Placement CUNE Colloquy Candidate Abigail Meyer to Good Shepherd, Marysville – pending



Worker News



Trinity Lutheran Church, Leavenworth, celebrated the retirement of Director of Christian Education **Denise Sprengeler** on Sunday, April 3, 2022, following 40 years of faithful service in the LCMS. Sprengeler served Trinity for twenty years. Education Executive James Bradshaw represented the LCMS Kansas District at her sending service.

CORRECTION

We listed the wrong congregation for Rev. Tom Harmon, senior pastor at Risen Savior, Wichita, in early convention nominee materials (including our April supplement in *The Lutheran Witness*, which may have just arrived in your mailbox). The error has since been corrected in the Convention Workbook and Nominee List on our website. We regret the error and thank those who brought it to our attention.



"Quiet Waters" Retreat

Fourteen Directors of Christian Education gathered at the Kansas District Retreat Center in Herington April 3-5 for their annual retreat. The theme, "Quiet Waters," focused on a biblical study addressing rest and refreshment for these workers across the LCMS Kansas District.



Special Prayers

We give thanks to God for the acquittal of the Rev. Dr. Juhana Pohjola, bishop of the Evangelical Lutheran Mission Diocese of Finland, and Dr. Päivi Räsänen, a physician and member of the Finnish Parliament. Pohjola and Räsänen were charged with hate crimes for publishing and defending Christian teaching on human sexuality.

"I hope that this encourages us and all others who share the same struggles to confess Christ Jesus and biblical teaching with joy and boldness," said Bishop Pohjola after hearing the verdict. "After all, it is His Word and He is responsible for it and for those who testify in His name. The Lord be with you all!" (LCMS Reporter online, March 30, 2022)

We ask for God's blessings on the vicars, deaconess interns, and candidates for pastoral and diaconal ministry from our seminaries who will be receiving assignments and calls at the end of this month.

PRAYER LIST

This month, we ask you to keep in your prayers:

Those grieving the loss of loved ones, including

Family and friends of Gary "Mike" Bayer, husband of teacher Roxanne Bayer, who entered his heavenly rest March 17 Family and friends of Steven Harmon, brother of Rev. Tom Harmon, who was called home March 5

Family and friends of Evelyn Goll, mother-in-law/mother of Rev. Joel and Michela Heisterman, who was called home March 4
Family and friends of Bill Hammons, husband of Principal Cindy Hammons, who entered his heavenly rest February 9

Those dealing with recent or ongoing health issues, including Rev. Lee Hovel, Jeremy Pera, Makayla Rikli, Rev. Robert Ziegler, Steve Bremer, Paul Schmidt, Rev. Dale Dumperth, Rev. Matthew Schneider, Rev. Roland Boehnke, Carrie Meyers, Philip Wolf, Kevin Adams, Nick Adams, Rev. Richard Andrus, and Judy May

Those celebrating God's gift of a child, including Rev. Keith and Farrah Emshoff, who welcomed son Micah March 9

Congregations and schools on our Facebook prayer list in April/early May:

Churches named **St. Peter/St. Peter's** (Barnes, Holyrood, Humboldt), April 4

Trinity Family of Faith, Basehor, April 11

Churches named **Trinity** (Atchison, Burlington, Caney, Colby, Fort Scott, Hanover), April 18

Churches named **Trinity** (Garnett, Girard, Garden City, Holton, Hunter), April 25

Churches named **Trinity** (Leavenworth, McFarland, Medicine Lodge, Mission and Shawnee), May 2



From Overtures to Resolutions

Members of 2022 convention floor committees gathered at the District Office in Topeka April 1-2 to review convention overtures and prepare resolutions. Each committee includes two ordained ministers (O), two commissioned ministers (C), two lay members (L), a representative of the Board of Directors (BOD), and a staff advisor. Resolutions will be available for review in the Workbook Update that will be published in May. Floor committee open hearings on the resolutions are tentatively scheduled for 9–9:45 a.m. June 9.

PROCLAIM Floor Committee

Starting at left and around the table clockwise: Rev. Dan Galchutt (staff); Amy Schultz (C); Tom Maurer (L); Dave Bruns (BOD); Rev. Richard Lally (O); James Bauck (L); Rev. Joshua Hayes (O), Chair; Joyce Duitsman (C); and Rev. Robert Grimm, District Secretary (circulating).



TEACH Floor Committee

Starting at left and around the table: Rev. Kevin Peterson (O), Chair; Curt Engelbrecht (BOD); Jim Bradshaw (staff); Amanda Adams (C); Rev. Timothy Roth (O); Tyler Gier (L); Randy Noll (L); and Sue Kleber (C).



SHARE Floor Committee

From left and around the table: Heather Croucher (C); Adam Goodpasture (L); Rev. Michael Hageman (O); Dan Thalmann (BOD); Jeffrey Maltz (staff); Rev. Phil Hoppe (O), Chair; and Steve Mariano (L). Not pictured: Rebecca Hillman (C).



Links are now available for the Convention Workbook, hotel reservations, and delegate registration at kslcms.org/2022-convention.

CONVENTION PRAYER

Lord God, bless Your Word wherever it is proclaimed. Make it a word of power and peace to convert those not yet Your own and to confirm those who have come to saving faith. May Your Word pass from the ear to the heart, from the heart to the lip, and from the lip to the life that, as You have promised, Your Word may achieve the purpose for which You send it; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

CLICK HERE for the full calendar

Events Calendar

Out and About in Kansas (and beyond): April Staff Travel Schedule

- 3 Groundbreaking, Christ, Overland Park (Panzer)
 - Hispanic Ministry Meeting, Trinity, **Mission** & Shawnee (Galchutt)
 - Bible Study, **De Soto** (Galchutt)
- 3-5 DCE Retreat, **Herington** (Bradshaw)
- 5 Circuit Meeting, Immanuel, **Hoxie** (Galchutt)
 - Bible Study, KSU Campus Ministry, **Manhattan** (Galchutt)
- 10 Preaching at Trinity, **McFarland** (Panzer)
- 19 Circuit 13 Meeting, Immanuel, **Ellsworth** (Galchutt)
 - Circuit 3 Meeting, Redeemer, **Olathe** (Panzer)
- 19-21 NLSA Team Visit, St. John's Lutheran School, **Alma** (Bradshaw)
- 22-23 LWML Convention, **Overland Park (**Galchutt)
- 22-28 Council of Presidents Meeting, **St. Louis/Fort Wayne** (Panzer)
- 24 Preaching, Trinity, **McFarland** (Galchutt)

COMING EVENTS



July 9-13, 2022

LCMS Youth Gathering | Houston, TX

"In All Things"

Visit the <u>Kansas District page</u> for the latest updates and to register. Register by May 4!

Coordinators Debbie and Amanda are now sending out weekly updates for the Gathering. If you would like to receive these updates, please email them at nygksdistrict@gmail.com.



June 3-8, 2022

Lutheran Valley Retreat Summer Camp (High School) | Woodland Park, CO

"Finally Free"

Registration is OPEN! Final payment and forms are due May 1.

For more information, visit the <u>event</u> <u>webpage</u>.



July 18-19, 2022

Saints Alive After 55 | Bel Aire, KS

"Rejoice Always"

Special Guests: Mark Schoepp, Keynote Speaker, and Rev. Daniel Myers, Bible Study Leader.

For a registration form and more details, visit the <u>Older Adult Ministry page</u>.

While you're there, you can also get details about the Older Adult Ministry Symposium May 14 at Trinity, Mission and Shawnee (Mission Campus).

CLICK HERE for the full calendar

Find details about committee meetings, service board meetings, and other events of interest.



2022 LWML Kansas District Convention

"His Cross Is Our Compass"

April 22-24

DoubleTree Hotel Overland Park, KS

INFORMATION



Church work scholarships

are available from the Kansas District, LWML Kansas District, Kansas District LLL, and St. John's Alumni Association. Apply by June 1.

INFORMATION

ON THE RADAR

Holy Week

April 10-17

District Office closes at 2 p.m. April 14, Maundy Thursday and is closed April 15 for Good Friday. The office is also closed Monday, April 18.

Call Day & Vicarage and Internship Assignments

See Page 3 for links.

April 26, Concordia Seminary, St. Louis

April 26 & 27, Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne

Kansas District Board of Directors Meeting

May 5-6

District Office, Topeka

NOTE: This is the final meeting of the (extended) triennium.

Older Adult Ministry Events

May 14, Trinity, Mission and Shawnee (Mission Campus)

July 18-19, Saints Alive After 55

August 13-14, Messiah, Hays

Lutheran Valley Retreat Summer Camp

June 3-8

Woodland Park, CO

Kansas District Pentecost Offering

June 5

Special Focus: 25th anniversary of our partnership with Guinea.

Goal of this year's offering: Raise funds to help build a seminary in Guinea.

PASTORS: We'll be sending you details about the offering this month.

Kansas District Convention

June 9-10

Hotel Topeka at City Center (formerly the Capitol Plaza Hotel)

LCMS Youth Gathering

See Page 7 for an update.

July 9-13, 2022

Houston, TX

New Worker Orientation

July 22

District Office, Topeka

Circuit Visitor & Region Vice-President Orientation

July 28

District Office, Topeka



Event Snapshots



From the Kansas District LCMS Youth
Ministry Facebook page March 22: "The
LCMS YouthLead event [annual training]
went very well for the 4 YouthLead reps and
the 5 of us from the Kansas District LCMS.
We look forward to bringing the experience
and training home to the youth and congregations of our district!"



Pastors and church leaders from T.I.G. Ministry congregations (Trinity, Garden City; Immanuel, Lakin; and Grace, Ulysses) gathered in Ulysses March 26-27 for a "Connect to Disciple" workshop. The workshop, led by Rev. Dan Galchutt, focused on effective outreach. A key takeaway from Pastor Michael Hageman: "Nurture, nurture, nurture! Nurturing relationships will be our new focus into the future as we proclaim Christ."

SCHOOL HUDDLE

students and adults gathered at the Webster Conference Center in Salina March 25-26 for the inaugural Kansas District Middle School Huddle. Dr. Brian Young presented on the event theme, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus." Students from Concordia University, Nebraska led music. Youth participated in small group discussions and a service project, "Monkey in My Chair," focused on supporting children battling cancer. A districtwide confirmation retreat is being planned for October 2022. Stay tuned!



The eleventh annual KAIRS Early Childhood Conference was held March 5 at Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church and Preschool in Olathe, with the theme "Building Bridges Between the Classroom and the Home." The conference drew 88 attendees, including educators from 15 Kansas District centers.







DISTRICT MINISTRIES

Engaging in God's Mission

Helping Students Stay Connected to the Church through Times of Transition

Rev. Mark Boxman, Senior Pastor, Trinity, Salina & District Campus Ministry Coordinator

Our **high school seniors** are about to graduate. How exciting! Their minds are full of senior activities and ironing out all the details associated with leaving home to go to college in a few months.

As we celebrate graduations with them, pastors can also plant the seed that preparations for spiritual growth and connection to an LCMS church need to take place as well. May the Lord provide opportunities for and blessings upon these conversations.

We pray: Lord, those we have been privileged to teach, serve, and enjoy are about to go through a big transition in their lives. Place in their hearts a sincere desire to continue their growth in faith by connecting to an LCMS congregation in their college town. Bless our efforts to encourage and assist them. In Your mercy, hear our prayer. Amen.

Lutheran Early Response Team (LERT) News

Donna Williams, District Disaster Response Coordinator

LERT BASIC TRAINING EVENTS

April 9, 2022

First Lutheran Church, Plainville, KS

Registration: \$30

Register online at LCMS-LERT.org

Contact: Bob Warfel at bobatvtravel@gmail.com

April 23, 2022

St. Andrews, Wichita, KS

Registration: \$30

Register online at LCMS-LERT.org

Contact: Karen Hall at showyouhome@gmail.com

April 30, 2022

First Lutheran Church, Paola, KS

Registration: \$25

Register online at LCMS-LERT.org

Contact: Brian Mead at brian.t.mead2@gmail.com

BASIC CHAINSAW SAFETY AND OPERATION

May 21, 2022

First Lutheran Church, Paola, KS

Registration: \$35

Register online at LCMS-LERT.org

Contact: Brian Mead at <u>brian.t.mead2@gmail.com</u>

Please watch the Kansas District <u>Disaster Response webpage</u> and our Facebook pages for current information and updates.

ONGOING RESPONSES

Kentucky Tornado Recovery: Volunteer signup: https://mid-southlcms.org/we-need-volunteers/ There is still great need in this part of the country for volunteers.

Please continue to monitor the LCMS-LERT.org website for updates on current responses nationwide as well as training and deployment opportunities.

Synod & Partners

Doxology Respite Retreats

You are invited to be reenergized for your service during a "Take Heart! Renewed to Be a Blessing" respite retreat. The retreats are being offered to LCMS teachers and commissioned ministers by DOXOLOGY: The Lutheran Center for Spiritual Care and Counsel, with financial support provided by the LCMS Office of National Mission.

DOXOLOGY is offering one of these FREE respite retreats in Wichita, Kansas, July 19-21. Get all the details on the <u>event page</u>. Register by July 4!



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Million Dollar Life Match

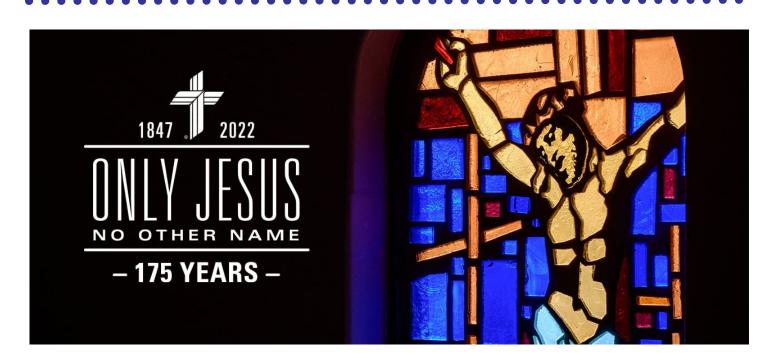
The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod is offering \$1 million in matching grants to LCMS congregations to support local pro-life efforts.

All member congregations of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) within the United States are eligible. Congregations and circuits may collaborate on a project and application.

Projects eligible for this grant include existing, expanding or new projects that support the needs of families during the beginning-of-life stage of their children. Projects must be carried out in close proximity to the Word and Sacrament ministry of the congregation.

For more information: <u>www.lcms.org/serve/grants/life-grant</u>.

The deadline for Phase 1 of the grants is April 8, 2022. Deadlines for two additional phases are July 1, 2022, and April 1, 2023.



175th Anniversary of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod April 26, 2022

The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) believes, teaches and confesses faith in Jesus Christ as taught in the Scriptures and Lutheran Confessions. For 175 years, the Holy Spirit has kept us in the one true faith and still continues to gather sinners into the Holy Christian Church by grace through faith — all on account of Christ. As we give thanks for our Synod's founding on April 26, 1847, we rejoice in the 175th-anniversary theme, "Only Jesus: No Other Name," based on Acts 4:12. **Until Jesus comes, the LCMS will continue to trust in, teach and preach Jesus Christ and Him crucified.**

Visit the <u>anniversary page</u> of lcms.org to learn more and find resources for celebrating, including a Bible study, worship resources, a reading list of LCMS history, and handouts on people who have made an impact on the LCMS throughout its history. You can also check out the April <u>Reporter</u> supplement on the 175th anniversary,

Staff Directory

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Our mission is to support and encourage the members of the District in carrying out the mission Christ has given His Church.

Submitted Announcements

YOU ARE INVITED TO A SPECIAL PRESENTATION

The Sanctity of Human Life and the

"VALUE THEM BOTH" **AMENDMENT**





An opportunity for Kansans concerned for LIFE to see guest presenters Pastor David Beauchamp, his wife Debbie Beauchamp and Brittany Jones of Kansas Family Voice

> Saturday, April 23, 2022 – 9 :30am - 11:00am Hope Lutheran Church - 6308 Quivira Rd, Shawnee

 \star Feel free to come early for refreshments \star

SCAN HERE TO REGISTER

In order to plan for seating and snacks, please register at: https://forms.gle/v2ee5JydKwhVH78k9

Job Opening

St. John's Ev. Lutheran Church, Topeka, invites applications for the position of Business Administrator. This is a full-time, salaried, exempt position; excellent benefits. A job description is available on the St. John's website in the News and Events section of the homepage.

Lutheran Lecture Series XXVI in Wichita April 30-May1

Dr. A. Andrew Das, Professor of Religious Studies at Elmhurst College, will be addressing the topic, "Remarriage in Early Christianity?" at the annual Lutheran Lecture Series at Grace Lutheran Church in Wichita April 30 and May 1. Events on Saturday, April 30, include a Divine Service, three lectures by Dr. Das, Vespers, and a beer and brat dinner. Dr. Das will lead a Bible study Sunday, May 1. Visit the event webpage on Grace's website for details.

Prof Insights Workshop Coming to Kansas

Dr. Kevin Golden of Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, will be leading a summer workshop at Messiah Lutheran, Havs on June 20-22, entitled "What Can 8th Century BC teach 21st Century AD?" Registration is through Concordia Seminary. For more information, visit the event page or contact Rev. Michael Schmidt at revschmidt@yahoo.com.

Concordia St. Paul Tuition Guarantee

Church work students (Director of Christian Education, Director of Christian Outreach, Director of Parish Music, Lutheran School Teacher) at Concordia St. Paul pay no more than \$6,000 in tuition. Pre-Seminary students (Pre-Pastoral and Pre-Deaconess) pay \$0 in tuition. For more information on CSP's tuition guarantee for church work students, contact Tom Halligan at Halligan@csp.edu.