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Tell the Next Generation Conference

"Guided by God's Truth" November 8, 2025 Lutheran High School - St. Charles

Schedule

8:15 a.m. Registration – Welcome Center & Refreshments in The Commons

9:00 a.m. Welcome & Introductions (presentation of certificates to coaches) – The Commons

9:15 a.m. Plenary I: Life in God's Way: Worldview

Rev. Dr. Todd Biermann, Executive Director – Concordia Center for the Family

9:55 a.m. Break

10:05 a.m. Sectional A

Sectional	Title	Facilitator
A-1	Family Discipleship in Small Congregations	Dan Hall
A-2	Scrolling Minds: Hidden Impact of Social Media	DCE Christina Stackle
A-3	Equipping Parents to Lead Homes in Faith Formation	Hannah Knehans, DFLM
A-4	Bible, Catechism and Hymnal: Key for Growing Faith at Home	DCE Pam Nummela
A-5	Family Camp	Rev. Dr. W. Mart & Cheryl Thompson

10:50 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m. Plenary II: Life in God's Way: Family Discipleship

Rev. Dr. Todd Biermann, Executive Director - Concordia Center for the Family

11:45 a.m. Lunch in The Commons

12:30 p.m. Plenary III: Life in God's Way: For ALL of Life

Rev. Dr. Todd Biermann, Executive Director - Concordia Center for the Family

1:15 p.m. Break

1:25 p.m. Sectional B

Sectional	Title	Facilitator
B-1	Understanding the Next Generation	DCE Charity Smith
B-2	Developing a Culture of Family Discipleship	Rev. Andy Becker
B-3	Faith & Life Survey: Identify Needs to Enhance Family Discipleship	Matthew Knehans
B-4	Teach Faith at Home Milestones	Rev. Steve Andrews, Jr.
B-5	Partners in Parenting: Nurturing Faith and Families from the Start	DCE Maggie Tritten

2:05 p.m. Break

2:15 p.m. Sectional C

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Sectional	Title	Facilitator
C-1	Advent & Lent Family Devotions	Rev. Dr. Lee Hagan
C-2	How to Reach Out in a Secular Age	Rev. Dr. Chad Lakies
C-3	Parenting Middle Schoolers: How to Foster Emotional and Spiritual Health	Dr. Laura Fleetwood
C-4	Speaking with One Voice: Teaching the Faith in the Home, Congregation & School	Rev. Dr. Gregory Truwe
C-5	Family Discipleship Facilitators Gathering	DCE Pam Nummela (moderator)

3:00 p.m. Closing – The Commons

