



Tuesday, October 20

9:30 - 1:00	Pastor Registration	Foyer
11:00 - 4:15	Exhibit Area Open	Paradise B/C
1:00 - 1:15	Opening Devotion	Paradise B/C
1:15 - 2:15	Plenary I: "Revisiting the Doctrine of Vocation: Luther's Instruction on the Christian Life" (Part I) Rev. Dr. Jason Lane Associate Professor of Historical Theology at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis	Paradise B/C
2:15 - 2:25	Break	

2:25 - 3:15 Sectional A (Pastors)

Sectional	Title	Presenter
A-01	Promises for the Church	Rev. Dr. R. Lee Hagan
A-02	Practice What You Preach...DAILY	Rev. Dr. Todd Biermann
A-03	Using the Small Catechism to Teach the Bible	Rev. Dr. Jacob Corzine
A-04	Pastor and Church Worker Mental Health: Caring for Those Who Serve Christ's Church	Rev. Dr. Gary Ellul
A-05	Closing a Church: It Sucks! Let's Talk About It	Rev. Jeff Dock
A-06	A Goldmine in Your Midst: Reaching Out to Veterans	Rev. Dr. Steven Hokana Rev. Craig Muehler
A-07	Strategic Planning for the Parish	Rev. Dr. Eric Kennaugh

3:15 - 3:25 Break

3:25 - 4:15 Sectional B (Pastors)

Sectional	Title	Presenter
B-01	Revival in Gen Z? How the Lutheran Church Can Respond to God's Movement in Young Adults	Rev. Brandon Boos
B-02	Working Mission in Missouri Like International Missionary	Rev. John Perling Rev. James Sharp
B-03	Discipleship in the Home	Pam Nummela
B-04	Called Together: The Relationship at the Heart of Team Ministry	Rev. Joshua Schmidt
B-05	A Trajectory for Disability Theology: Original Sin in the Lutheran Confessions	Rev. Erik Rottmann
B-06	Why Pastors Need to Leave (So They Stay): Case for Sabbaticals	Rev. James Uglum
B-07	Building a Foundation for the Future	Matthew Bergholt
B-08	The Fullness of the Gospel	Rev. Phil Cook

4:15 - 5:45 Happy Hour! Gemütlichkeit!

Windgate Plaza

Hotel Check-in - Dinner (on your own)

Wednesday, October 21

6:30 Optional Morning Walk/Run Outside Main Entrance

6:30 Breakfast (on your own)

8:00 - 6:00 Exhibit Area Open Paradise B/C

8:30 - 8:35 Announcements Paradise B/C

8:35 - 8:50 Opening Devotion Paradise B/C

8:50 - 9:50 Plenary II Paradise B/C

“Revisiting the Doctrine of Vocation: Luther’s Instruction on the Christian Life” (Part II)

Rev. Dr. Jason Lane

Associate Professor of Historical Theology at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis

9:50 - 10:10 Break

10:00 - 6:00 **Educator Registration** Foyer

*Educators can arrive anytime on Wednesday and attend any of the sessions, but lunch on Wednesday is not provided for educators.

10:10 - 11:00 Sectional C (Pastors)

Sectional	Title	Presenter
C-01	Technology: Something’s Different, Part I	Rev. Elden Kohn
C-02	Speaking with One Voice: Catechesis for the Home, Congregation, and School	Rev. Dr. Gregory Truwe
C-03	LCMS Requirements for Worker Onboarding and Retaining	Rev. Marty Hasz
C-04	The Aftermath of Forgiveness	Rev. Kirk Griebel
C-05	Spiritual Warfare and Christian Identity	Rev. Dr. Jon Furgeson
C-06	Beyond the Walls: Reimagining Your Building for Ministry Sustainability	Kellie Lohmeyer Allison Brewster (LCEF)
C-07	Anyone, Anywhere, Anytime: Equipping Everyday Believers for Mission Where They Live, Work, Learn, and Play	Rev. Matt Peeples

11:00 - 11:10 Break

11:10 - Noon Sectional D (Pastors)

Sectional	Title	Presenter
D-01	Technology: Something’s Different, Part 2	Rev. Elden Kohn
D-02	Set Apart to Serve: Mentor Training for Pastors	Rev. Peter Kirby
D-03	Esther in Hebrew and Greek – Which is More Powerful in Our Lives of Faith?	Rev. Dr. Philip Penhallegon
D-04	FORO: An Opportunity to Plug Into Mission to Extend the Kingdom of God in a Particular Place	Rev. Dr. Mark Rabe
D-05	The Mission Field of the Family	Rev. Andy Becker
D-06	Called to Be Worshipers	Rev. Kyle Wright II
D-07	MO District Mission Grant Application and Accountability	Rev. John Perling

Noon - 1:30 Pastors Lunch Windgate Hall

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1:30 - 2:20 Sectional E (Everyone)

Sectional	Title	Presenter
E-01	The God Who Rejoices Over You: Jennie Williamson and Fields of Zephaniah, a Perry County Ministry of Rest, Renewal, Refuge and Wisdom	Jennie Williamson Brian Williamson
E-02	Your Ministry Has Vitality! Revitalization Made Simple	Rev. Dr. Heath Trampe
E-03	Raising Your Children in the Faith: Key Insights for Church Worker Homes	Rev. Dr. W. Mart Thompson
E-04	Leading From the Middle: Operational Excellence in Ministry Settings (LCEF)	Kellie Lohmeyer Allison Brewster
E-05	Available to You: A Financial Assistance Program for LCMS Church Workers	Rev. Ken Krueger
E-06	Children Are a Heritage from the Lord: Toward a Procreation-Centered Approach to Marriage and Sex Education in the Church	Rev. Dr. Nicholas Hagerman
E-07	Focus on Your Financial Future (Concordia Pension, CRSP)	Keith Duesenberg Concordia Plans

2:20 - 2:30 Break

2:30 - 4:00 Plenary III Paradise B/C
 "Revisiting the Doctrine of Vocation: Luther's Instruction on the Christian Life" (Part III)
 Rev. Dr. Jason Lane
 Associate Professor of Historical Theology at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis
 6:00 Dinner (Pastors and Educators) Paradise B/C

Thursday, October 22

6:30 Optional Morning Walk/Run Outside Main Entrance
 6:30 Breakfast (on your own)
 6:30 - 8:30 **Educator Registration** Foyer
 7:30 - 5:00 Exhibit Area Open (closed during worship) Paradise B/C
 8:30 - 10:00 Worship Paradise B/C
 *Pastors are welcome to stay beyond Thursday morning's worship, but their registration doesn't include Thursday lunch.
 10:00 Break
 10:15 - 10:20 Announcements Paradise B/C
 10:20 - 11:45 Plenary: "Features of Fidelity and Flourishing Lutheran Schools" Paradise B/C
 Dr. Bernard Bull, President - Concordia University, Nebraska
 12:15 Educators Lunch Windgate Hall

1:15 - 2:05**Sectional F****(Educators)**

Sectional	Title Target audience: (Administrators, EC, Elementary, HS, School Counselors)	Presenter
F-01	A Guide to Disciplinary Discipleship (All)	Dr. Bernard Bull
F-02	Church and School: One Mission, One Ministry Partnering to Raise the Next Generation in Christ (Admin)	Elissa Beaver, Rev. Matthew Bohlmann, Rev. Ryan Taylor, Rev. Scott Schmieding, Scott Huster
F-03	Mathematizing Our Early Childhood Classrooms! (EC, Elem)	Cheryl Haun
F-04	Crisis Management Plans (Admin)	Mary Schuldheisz
F-05	Hands On Learning (EC, Elem)	Mindy English
F-06	Care for Our Hearts: Finding Hope, Grace & Peace in the Fire! (All)	Alan Wunderlich
F-07	Learning Standards Reimagined Through the Lens of Whole Child Development and Schema Play (EC)	Janelle Hendricks
F-08	Instructional Culture by Design: Turning Mission into Practice (Admin)	Jonathan Bernhardt

2:05

Break

2:15 - 3:05 p.m.**Sectional G****(Educators)**

Sectional	Title Target audience: (Administrators, EC, Elementary, HS, School Counselors)	Presenter
G-01	God is Great! The Joy of Proclaiming a Great God (Admin, EC, Elem, HS, Counselor)	Jennie Williamson
G-02	Technology: Something's Different, Part I (Admin, EC, Elem, HS, Counselor)	Rev. Elden Kohn
G-03	Partnering with Families Through Personal Faith Stories (EC, Elem)	Cheryl Haun
G-04	Navigating MOScholars as an Administrator, Parent, and Contributor (Admin)	Scott Dixon
G-05	Showing Your Shield: Using School-Wide Data to Measure the Impact of Biblical Character Formation (Admin, EC, Elem, HS)	Brandi Hallemeier
G-06	Meaningful, Actively Engaged Learning: How Playful Learning Brings Joy to Your Classroom (EC, Elem)	Andrea Lohman
G-07	Building a Positive Culture in the Middle Grades Classroom (HS)	Alexandria Newsome
G-08	Ninja Camp: 15 Minutes that Matter (Elem)	Sean Kelly Joanie Smith

3:05 Break

3:15 - 4:00 District News - Recognition of Years of Service - Shine Your Light Awards

4:00 Break

4:10 - 5:00 Sectional H (Educators)

Sectional	Title Target audience: (Administrators, EC, Elementary, HS, School Counselors)	Presenter
H-01	Leading with Emotional Intelligence: Strengthening Relationships Through Grace (Admin, EC, Elem, HS, Counselor)	Angela Shirley
H-02	Technology: Something's Different, Part II (Admin, EC, Elem, HS, Counselor)	Rev. Elden Kohn
H-03	Practice What You Teach...DAILY (Admin, EC, Elem, HS, Counselor)	Rev. Dr. Todd Biermann
H-04	Dealing With Irate and Irrational Parents and Students (Admin, Elem, HS, Counselor)	Mark Ruark Missy Adams
H-05	Catechesis for the Littlest Lambs: What Does This Mean (and look like!?) (EC)	Kelly Rottmann
H-06	Building a Foundation for the Future (LCEF) (Admin)	Matthew Bergholt
H-07	Talking to Families About Play-Based Learning (EC)	Andrea Lohman
H-08	Navigating the Jetpack: NLSA Training for Team Captains and Consultants (Admin, EC, HS)	Dr. Melissa Sandfort

5:00 Free Time, Fellowship, Dinner (on your own)

Friday, October 23

6:30	Optional Morning Walk/Run	Outside Main Entrance
6:30	Breakfast (on your own)	
8:30	Announcements	Paradise B/C
8:35	Opening Devotion	Paradise B/C
8:50	Break	

9:00 - 9:50 a.m. Sectional I (Educators)

Sectional	Title Target audience: (Administrators, EC, Elementary, HS, School Counselors)	Presenter
I-01	Learning that Sticks: Tools for the Middle School Classroom (All)	Jennifer Tanner
I-02	Approaching Difficult Conversations With Courage (Admin, EC, Elem, HS, Counselor)	Angela Shirley
I-03	Family Ministry in a Lutheran School (EC, Elem, HS, Admin, Counselor)	Rev. Andy Becker
I-04	Lutheran Educator Academy: Professional Development for Your School (Admin, EC, Elem, HS)	Dr. Lisa Clark
I-05	What They Didn't Teach Us in College: Sitcom Solutions for Everyday Classroom Problems (Elem)	Allyson Bohlmann Paige Bohlmann
I-06	Whole Brain Teaching: Only Connect (Admin, EC, Elem, Counselor)	Sara Scheller
I-07	Cleared for takeoff: Living Our Calling Through Innovation and Faith (Elem, HS)	Dee Dawson
I-08	Learning Differences (EC, Elem, HS)	Mindy English

9:50 Break

10:00 Plenary: "Called to Joy: One Good Thing at a Time" Paradise B/C
Jennifer Tanner
Executive Director for School and Youth Ministry for the Florida-Georgia District

11:00 Closing Paradise B/C