

LEADERSHIP matters



Rev. Dr. Dan P. May

Nominate for LCMS Regional Vice President Central Region

- Family** Married to Judy (nee Warneke). They have four children: Stephanie, Paul, Joel and Sarah
- Education** BA, Concordia, Milwaukee, WI and Concordia, River Forest, IL (1966)
Bachelor of Divinity, Concordia Theological Seminary, Springfield, IL (1970)
Doctor of Ministry, Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, IN (2009)
- Congregations** First Lutheran Church, Natchez, MS (1970-1974)
St. Peter Lutheran Church, Fort Wayne, IN (1974-1976)
St. James Lutheran Church, Lafayette, IN (1976-2003)
- Offices/Experience** District President, Indiana District, LCMS (2003-2018)
District Vice President, Indiana District, LCMS (1992-2003)
Circuit Counselor (1984-1992)
District Education, Youth, Evangelism and Stewardship Committee (1976-1986)
Bethesda Board of Directors (1993-present)
County 4-H Board (1986-1998)

Leadership Vision

“What I hope and pray for the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod. We exist as a church body to share the true Word of God as we proclaim Jesus Christ to the world! All other aspects of our ministry spring from this primary mission! Our faithfulness to God’s Word and the mission we share means taking this moment in time to heart as we demonstrate the compassion of Christ in the multitude of ministries that emanate from our Synod efforts. As we work and serve together as the body of Christ our effectiveness will increase dramatically. We can see that the fields are “white for harvest”!

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The culture around us is hurting and needing the embrace of the Holy Gospel. Our Sola, Sola, Sola, Word and Sacrament and Law and Gospel focus allow us and direct us to minister to and with one another with a persistent, transparent and lively love.

Finally, we need to hear from and engage the entire LCMS family in our dynamic ministry. Lay, commissioned and ordained folks need a voice and an opportunity to contribute to the planning, decision making and implementation of our mission goals. This can and will happen as we trust one another and care for one another in Christ Jesus! I Corinthians 12 speaks profoundly about the critical importance of our belonging the Body of Christ. Each of us has an exciting and profound role to play! It is my hope and prayer that we do all that we can to be all that God intends for us to be in this world! We are called to bring the message of our Risen Savior to the world. This is our calling and this is our commitment! May God bless our work together!