



# MINISTER TO MINISTER

*The Texas District of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod - December 17, 2021*

## Help Bring Peace to Tornado Victims

We pray for our brothers and sisters affected by the devastating tornadoes last weekend in Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Mississippi, Missouri, Ohio, and Tennessee.

As more information comes to us we will provide updates on ways to help but they need our prayers now. Please pray with us for the injured, lost, and those grieving over the loss of loved ones.

Due to the significant property damage that has occurred, we invite you to join in the effort of comforting our brothers and sisters in Christ. Would you please consider making an end-of-year gift to disaster relief efforts. 100% of all donations will be given to the LCMS districts in need.

**DONATE TODAY!**

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## Christian Sympathy and Prayers

We pray for the family and friends of **Mr. Steve Menke** (Em., Round Rock) who passed away on Thursday, December 16, 2021. Steve is the brother of **Rev. Jim and Karen Menke** (St. Mark, Conroe) **Tom and Becky Menke** (Em., Pflugerville), and uncle to **Josh Menke** (Immanuel, Giddings).

A celebration of life service will be held at Zion Lutheran Church, Walburg at 11a on Tuesday, December 21, 2021. Guests are invited to stay for a reception with light refreshments following the service.

We remember his son, Sam, and his extended family in prayer, and celebrate the promise of the resurrection and victory we have in Jesus!

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## 2021 Ordained Inactive Reports

Thank you to the [candidate](#) and [emeritus](#) pastors who have completed and returned their annual report form! If you have not done so, please do so soon!

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## Prayers of Healing, Strength and Encouragement

- **Mr. David Goeke** (Em., San Antonio)
- **Rev. Tom Hadley** (Em., Campbell)

- Rev. Clyde Kieschnick (Zion, Abilene)
- Mrs. Evelyn Mann, wife of Rev. James Mann (Em., Cedar Park)
- Rev. Dr. Stephen Rynearson (Peace, Hewitt)
- Mrs. Laurine Watson, wife of Chaplain Joe Watson



This week we pray for:

#### ACTS Network Churches

- [ACTS Lakeway](#) led by Rev. Pete Mueller, Kyle & Danielle Frazier
- [ACTS Leander](#) led by Rev. Josh Miller, Tanner Evans and AJ Vega
- [ACTS of Love](#) (ECE) led by Katie Evans and Marta Santos

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## Ministry Calls - Ordained

#### Undecided:

Rev. Jeff Doria, Assoc., St. John, Cypress to Christ Our Savior, Lago Vista

Rev. Jeff Doria, Assoc., St. John, Cypress to Redeemer, Cisco

Rev. Mark Huston, Holy Cross, Canton to Beautiful Savior, Arlington

Rev. Joel Shaltanis, Lord of Life, Plano to Hope, Glendora, CA

## Upcoming Events

JANUARY 20-22, 2022

### EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATORS CONFERENCE

Embassy Suites, San Marcos

Click [HERE](#) to see Schedule and Session Descriptions

Email questions to: [lgaines@txlcms.org](mailto:lgaines@txlcms.org)

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February 7-9, 2022

### 2022 TEXAS DISTRICT DCE SPIRITUAL RENEWAL RETREAT

Camp Lone Star, La Grange

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