



MINISTER TO MINISTER

The Texas District of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

November 17, 2023

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District Announcements

Southeast Texas Regional Choral Tour

Enjoy a magical evening filled with enchanting renditions of cherished Advent and Christmas hymns. Each performance is more than just a concert—the University Singers are on a mission to share the message of joy and hope brought by Jesus. Admission is free.

Friday, Dec. 1 at 10:00 a.m. // Salem, Tomball
Saturday, Dec. 2 at 7:00 p.m. // Hope, Friendswood
Sunday, Dec. 3 at 9:00 a.m. // Trinity, Houston
Sunday, Dec. 3 at 3:00 p.m. // Living Word, The Woodlands

Greece & the Steps of St. Paul

Join Rev. Scott Murray and Mrs. Maryann Murray as they lead a tour through Greece and the Greek Isles June 11-22, 2024.

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District Prayers

For Gospel Ministers & Ministries

Father, send Your Holy Spirit to prepare the hearts of those yet to know Jesus, and bring His love and good news through these ministries & mission workers.

- Glocal Missions, Houston - Rev. Dr. David Kim
- Water's Edge, Frisco - Rev. Oscar Benavides
- Faith, Grand Prairie - Damaris Luckey
- St. Paul, Fort Worth - Rev. Isaac Lujang

- Bethel Lutheran Preschool, Bryan - Debbie Sadler
- Redeemer Childhood Learning Center, Cisco - Joann Rust

For specific requests by the list above, click here: [Mission Prayer Partner!](#)

For Healing, Strength, and Encouragement

Dear healing Jesus, hear our prayers for...

- Rev. Jonathan Bontke (Beautiful Savior, Austin)
- Rev. Mario Casillas (Candidate, Port Arthur)
- Rev. Walter Dube (Em., The Woodlands)
- Mr. David Goeke (Em., San Antonio)
- Rev. Wayne Graumann (Em., Tomball)
- Mrs. Cynthia Hadley, wife of Rev. Tom Hadley (Em., Campbell)
- Rev. Robert Hill (Em., Hooks)
- Rev. Chris Johnson (Em., Hewitt)
- Mr. Tim Kerkman, son of DCE Randall & Sandra Kerkman (Em., Austin)
- Mrs. Judith Kurth, wife of Rev. Richard Kurth (Em., Dallas)
- Mrs. Nancy Loomis, widow of Rev. Richard Loomis
- Mrs. Evie Mann, wife of Rev. James Mann (Em., Cedar Park)
- Mrs. Betty Michalk, wife of Rev. Wilbern Michalk (Em., Georgetown)
- Mr. Ted Nelson (Em., Houston)
- Mr. Bruce Rudi (Em., Concordia, San Antonio)
- Mrs. Laurine Watson, wife of Chaplain Joe Watson (Buckley AFB, CO)

Call Central

Gracious God, we give You thanks and praise for our church workers, and their opportunities to serve. Give them Your Spirit's gifts of wisdom, discernment, and faith to trust you in their decision making and future seasons of ministry.

New Calls

Commissioned

Accepted

Aaron Littman, DCE, Camp Lone Star, La Grange to DCE, St. Peter's, Columbus, IN

Ordained

Declined

Rev. Jacob Dandy, Sole, Zion, Terra Bella, CA to Sole, Hope, Winnie

Undecided

Rev. EB Holschuh, Sole, Zion, Alamo to Sole, Epiphany, Bastrop

Rev. Matthew Schuler, Sr., Journey, Oxford, MI to Sole, Hope, Austin

Rev. Juan Zamora, Assoc., Our Redeemer, Irving to Assoc., Hope, South Sioux City, NE

Upcoming Installations

Lord, thank you for providing undershepherds for your flock. Please work through these men in their new callings, to love and lead with the heart and Spirit of Christ.

11/19/23, 3:00 p.m. at St. Paul, Thorndale

Ordination Anniversaries

November

25 years

Rev. J. Tom Lapacka (November 8, 1998) - Emeritus, San Antonio

Upcoming District Events

2024

January 22-23
PASTORS PRAYER RETREAT
"Solitude with Jesus"
Camp Lone Star, La Grange

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