

63rd Convention of the Texas District LCMS
Final Schedule

Thursday, June 5, 2025

- 8:00 a.m. Gloria Dei Doors Open
- 8:30 a.m. Convention Registration Opens (Life Center)
- 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Floor Committee Hearings
Mission & Ministry Floor Committee - Student Center
Room 198
Governance & Administration Floor Committee - Student Center
Room 196
- 11:00 a.m. Vendor Area Opens (Life Center)
- 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 a.m. Breakout Lunches (Chapel and Life Center Second Floor)
- Faith to the Moon and Back, Col. Michael Fossum (Chapel). Sponsored by Lightwell Insurance
 - Emotional and Mental Health in Life and Ministry, Rev. Jim Otte and Christiane Hobbs (Rooms 214/216). Sponsored by Concordia University Irvine
 - Kingdom Over Castle, Pastors Al Doering and Stephen Sohns (Rooms 211/213). Sponsored by The Center
 - Funnel Fusion: Leveraging Assimilation to Catalyze Multiplication, Jason Phelps (Rooms 215/217)
- 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. Coffee Break Sponsored by Legacy Deo
- 12:45 p.m. Gathering (Worship Center)
- 1:00 p.m. - 1:20 p.m. Opening of Convention
- 1:20 p.m. - 1:35 p.m. Devotion - Rev. Steve Garrabrant
- 1:35 p.m. - 2:25 p.m. Essay/Bible Study - President Newman
- 2:25 p.m. - 2:40 p.m. Primer on Parliamentary Procedure - Rev. Larry Krueger
- 2:40 p.m. - 2:55 p.m. Keypad Orientation - Rev. Hesse
- 2:55 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Registration Report - Rev. Larry Krueger
- 3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. Ballot Instructions and Prayer for the Elections
Elections: District President, Vice Presidents and Rankings
- 3:45 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. President's Report
- 4:15 p.m. - 5:10 p.m. Registration Report and Prayer for the Elections
Elections: District Secretary, Board of Directors, Board of Mission Administration, District Nominating Committee, Ratification of Circuit Visitors
- 5:30 p.m. Closing Prayer and Registration Closes
- 7:30 p.m. Worship - Rev. Dr. Scott Murray
(Worship offering designated for Texas Partners in Mission)

8:30 p.m. Convention Reception (Life Center)
Vendor Area Open
10:00 p.m. Convention Doors Close

Friday, June 6, 2025

7:00 a.m. Convention Doors Open

7:30 a.m. Coffee break Sponsored by Lifetime Commercial Roofing
Registration Opens
Vendor Area Opens

8:15 a.m. Gathering (Worship Center)
8:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m. Devotion - Rev. Randy Miller
8:45 a.m. - 8:50 a.m. Minutes Review Committee
Registration Report - Rev. Larry Krueger
8:50 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Business Session I
Noon Prayer - Rev. Dan Schepmann

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m. Breakout Lunches (Chapel and Life Center Second Floor)

- Renewing Your Church and Reaching Out through Evangelist Development, Deaconess Noemi Guerra (Rooms 215/217)
- Pastors Wives and Friends: Major League Baseball, Life and Mission, Scott and Kelly Linebrink (Chapel). Sponsored by Concordia Plans
- Connecting with Jesus in Your Devotional Life and Prayer, Renee Page (Rooms 214/216)
- Connecting with your Community, Stephanie Knea (Rooms 211/213)

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Coffee break Sponsored by GSB Fundraising
1:30 p.m. - 1:35 p.m. Prayer - Rev. Dan Schepmann
1:35 p.m. - 2:15 p.m. Mission Report - Texas District Mission Team
2:15 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. Business Session II
3:15 p.m. - 3:20 p.m. Standing Prayer
3:20 p.m. - 4:10 p.m. Essay/Bible Study - President Newman
4:10 p.m. - 5:10 p.m. Business Session III
5:10 p.m. Closing Prayer - Rev. Dan Schepmann
Electoral Caucuses (if desired - find a comfortable space to meet)

6:00 p.m. Dinner (on your own)
Vendor Area Closes
Convention Door Closes

Saturday, June 7, 2025

7:00 a.m.	Convention Door Opens
7:30 a.m.	Coffee break Sponsored by Five Two
8:15 a.m.	Gathering (Worship Center)
8:30 a.m. - 8:35 a.m.	Opening Prayer - Rev. Dan Schepmann
8:35 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.	Minutes Review Committee Registration Report - Rev. Larry Krueger
8:40 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Synod Report - Rev. Dr. Matthew Harrison
10:00 a.m.	Closing Prayer - Rev. Dan Schepmann Break and Worship Preparation
10:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Closing Worship and Memorial Service - Rev. Michael Newman
Noon	Convention Door Closes

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