



# SOUTH WISCONSIN

## DISTRICT

### THE LUTHERAN CHURCH—MISSOURI SYNOD

## Ministers of Religion—Ordained Advisory Delegate Nomination Form

69th Convention of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod • July 18- 23, 2026

In a convention of the Synod, all ordained ministers not eligible for election as a voting delegate under Bylaw 3.1.2.1(d) and who are not eligible to represent other entities (such as CUW) or offices in the Synod as advisory representatives in any category under Bylaw 3.1.4 shall be presented as follows: (Bylaw 3.1.3) For every 60 rostered Ministers of Religion—Ordained, the South Wisconsin District is entitled to 1 advisory delegate [Bylaw 3.1.3.1] to the national LCMS Convention in Phoenix, AZ on July 18-23, 2026. The election of these delegates and alternates (2-3 each) will take place during registration at the South Wisconsin District Convention at Concordia University Wisconsin in June.

Housing and travel for advisory delegates is paid for by the SWD. Advisory delegates receive the same meal allocations as voting delegates.

Those elected as advisory delegates are asked to commit to participation by reserving the convention dates on their calendars.

If you are on the roster of Synod, you are eligible to serve in this position, unless you hold a position on one of the Synod's boards, commissions, educational institutions, or district board of directors. If you fall into one of these categories you are eligible to serve as the advisory delegate for that body and ineligible to represent the district and also shall not participate in this election process. [Bylaw 3.1.3.1(c)]

#### Responsibilities of Advisory Delegates and Representatives

- 3.1.5 Advisory delegates and representatives shall have voice but no vote and shall be entitled to the floor to express their opinion the same as voting members.
- 3.1.5.1 Advisory delegates and representatives shall be eligible for membership on the committees and for offices of the convention unless otherwise specified.
- 3.1.5.2 All duly elected advisory delegates and representatives shall attend all sessions regularly until the close of the convention. Delegates who arrive late or leave early or who do not attend at all shall present a written excuse.

We use the self-nomination process in the SWD. If you are interested in being on the ballot, please complete the items below and **return this form by April 30, 2025**

Mail to: Rev. David Knuth, Secretary  
LCMS South Wisconsin District  
8100 W. Capitol Drive, Milwaukee, WI 53222

Please complete the following:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City and ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

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