

## CIRCUIT VISITORS' CONFERENCE

Peace Lutheran Church – 8260 Jackson Rd, Ann Arbor, MI 48103

August 31 – September 1, 2021

### AGENDA

#### Tuesday, August 31

9:30am – 11:30am President Maier and Regional Vice-President meet w/Circuit Visitors (see schedule)

#### **Lunch on your own**

11:30 am Registration  
12 Noon Opening Devotion – Rev. Andrew Pronsati, Peace, Ann Arbor  
12:15 pm **Session 1 – “Why The Great Sending / Why The Great Sending NOW?”**  
Rev. Dr. Robert Newton, President Emeritus, CNH District – LCMS  
1:05 pm Circuit Realignment Presentation, Mike Roth / BOD Listening Events, Steve Boergert  
1:45 pm Covid Survey Results, Findings (& future preparations) – Rev. Dr. Todd Jones  
2:15 pm Time with the Vice Presidents (casuistry questions, etc.)  
2:45 pm Key Take-Aways from previous sessions ...  
3:00 pm Break  
3:15 pm **Session 2 – Opening the Book The Great Sending**  
Rev. Dr. John Denninger, President, Southeastern District – LCMS  
4:05 pm Update on Concordia University Ann Arbor, Rev. Dr. Ryan Peterson  
4:15 pm **Session 3 – “The Great Distractions to The Great Sending”** – B. Newton  
5:05 pm Key Take-Aways from previous sessions ...  
5:15 pm Announcements/Business  
5:20 pm Closing Devotion & Prayer – Rev. Dean Davenport  
5:30 pm Hotel Check-in  
6:00 pm *Gemütlichkeit* at Weber’s Inn (THANK YOU CEF!)  
6:30 pm Dinner at Weber’s Inn

#### Wednesday, September 1

6:45 am President Maier and Regional Vice-President meet w/Circuit Visitors (see schedule)  
7:30 am Breakfast Buffet at Peace, Ann Arbor  
8:15 am Opening Devotion – Rev. Pete Nickel  
8:30 am Bible Study – Rev. Randy Duncan, Campus Pastor, Concordia University, Ann Arbor  
9:10 am Update on MI District Schools – Mr. Travis Gulke  
9:20 am Honoring God When Brides of Christ Are Closed - Process & Spirit – Dr. David P. E. Maier  
9:50 am **Session 4 – “Practical Implications / Applications of The Great Sending”** – J. Denninger  
10:40 am President’s Report – Rev. Dr. David P. E. Maier  
11:15 am Key Take-Aways from previous sessions & Q & A – Denninger, Jones, Newton, Maier  
11:45 am Closing Comments, Scripture – Rev. John Duerr  
Noon Announcements, Closing Prayer, and Blessing – Michael Roth  
Lunch Boxed Lunches  
12:10 pm President Maier and Regional Vice-President meet w/Circuit Visitors (see schedule)



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