

## 2009 Bishop's Report

[Jesus said] *“Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever.”* (John 6:57-58)

*Almighty God, grant to your church your Holy Spirit and the wisdom that comes down from heaven, that your Word may not be bound but have free course and be preached to the joy and edifying of Christ's holy people, that in steadfast faith we may serve you and, in the confession of your name, abide unto the end; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.* (Lutheran Book of Worship, p. 137)

Our 2009 synod assembly theme, *You Are What You Eat*, invites us not just to read or hear God's Word, but to eat, to consume, to “inwardly digest” it. This Word is, first and foremost, our Lord Jesus himself, the Word-with-skin-on (John 1). This Word is the proclamation of Jesus Christ through preaching and the sacraments. This Word is the Book of Faith, the Bible, which prepares us for Jesus (the Old Testament) and launches us into the new life of the crucified-yet-risen Jesus (the New Testament). We are richly fed!

As such, our synod assembly leads us into the meat-and-potatoes of Christian faith and life. Nothing is more basic, more foundational, than being “marinated” our whole lives in the Word of God. God's Word does so much more than convey information to our brains. God's Word washes over all of us. God's Word kills the sinner in us and raises up the believer in us. God's Word never leaves us unscathed.

My hope is rekindled when I see how across our synod the Word of God continues to have free course among us. It is preached and “sacramented” to the joy and edifying of Christ's holy people. The Word is treasured, pondered, wrestled with and lived out among our congregations and disciples.

I've been using three phrases to sum up what God is calling us to in the Northwestern Minnesota Synod, and I'd like to use these phrases to organize this report:

- Embracing discipleship
- Raising up servant leaders
- Renewing ministries.

### **Embracing Discipleship (Mr. Erin Anderson, assistant to the bishop)**

We in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America are in a five-year Book of Faith Initiative. I wonder why we've focused on doing this just for *five* years? What if we in the Northwestern Minnesota Synod extended the Book of Faith Initiative until....until....*until Jesus returns to usher in the New Creation?* When will we outgrow our need to draw daily sustenance from the Word?

The Book of Faith Initiative “lives” in our synod in a variety of ways. Last autumn we partnered with the Eastern North Dakota Synod and Thrivent Financial for Lutherans to invite internationally-recognized scripture scholar Dr. Harry Wendt (author of the Crossways Bible Study program) to lead two training events in Moorhead and Grand Forks. Some 75 leaders turned out to be equipped for teaching Dr. Wendt's short course Bible studies. Our synod assembly itself is a major Book of Faith activity for our synod—with speakers, Growth Groups and worship services all lifting up the Book of Faith. Most importantly, the Book of Faith is being embraced in our congregations where we witness lives being transformed by the encounter with God's Word.

Youth ministry continues as a hallmark of our synod. Last autumn our Junior High Youth Gathering made a successful transition from Bemidji (whose convention facilities were no longer available to us) to Grand Forks. The Alerus Center wonderfully welcomed over 1000 participants to the largest annual gathering of disciples from our synod. Some 900 youth and adult advisers from our synod are preparing to journey to New Orleans in July of this year for our triennial National Youth Gathering: “Jesus, Justice and Jazz.” (The unfortunate cancellation of our Senior High Youth Gathering in April 2009 resulted from a dramatic drop in registrations due to scheduling conflicts, the economic downturn, and the

challenge of sending high schoolers to both the National Gathering and a synod gathering in the same year. We're using this experience to learn, "regroup" and ponder how our synod gatherings can better serve the changing needs of senior high youth.)

Also over the past year we took the first steps toward establishing a strategic partnership with the Youth and Family Institute of Bloomington, Minn. Dr. David Anderson of the institute met with the synod staff and conference deans on December 4 in Moorhead to outline what such a partnership would look like. In January Dr. Anderson returned to the synod to lead a *Passing On Vibrant Faith* event at Luther Crest Bible Camp, Alexandria. We look forward to fleshing out more ways the rich resources of the Institute might be shared more broadly across our synod.

After two late-winter snowstorms in 2008 forced the cancellation of some previously-scheduled classes, the Synod School for Lay Ministry has had an exciting year, with 30-35 participants attending the following courses:

- June 2008: "Worship and Liturgy" with Paul Westermeyer, Professor of Church Music.
- October 2008: "Revelation" with Craig Koester, Professor of New Testament.
- February 2009: "Lutheran Confessions" with Steve Paulson, Professor of Systematic Theology.
- April 2009: "Luther and the Beginnings of the Reformation" with Walter Sundberg, Professor of Church History. All four professors teach at Luther Seminary, St. Paul, Minn.

Caring for the poor and for victims of disasters are key "markers" of the life of discipleship. Over the last year synod staff members have partnered with key leaders from across the synod to re-form the Synod Hunger Team and a new Synod Disaster Response Team. Some of the work of these two teams will be highlighted during the synod assembly.

### **Raising Up Servant Leaders (Pr. Laurie Natwick, assistant to the bishop)**

God uses his Word to enliven faith and call disciples into ministries of leadership in the church—all for the sake of God's mission in the world. Our Northwestern Minnesota Synod continues to be fertile soil for raising up new servant-leaders for God's mission. Currently we have 28 disciples from the synod who are preparing for ELCA rostered ministries through the work of our synod candidacy committee. Over the past year we have welcomed some new members to the committee and made some improvements in how we administer the candidacy process. Since our 2008 synod assembly our synod was also assigned ten first-call candidates to serve in ordained and rostered lay ministries in our synod. We will formally welcome these folks to our synod family during the assembly.

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When God generously shares these human resources with us, we support them in their varied callings. Those of us on the synod pastoral staff also expressed support for our rostered leaders by conducting Together in Ministry (TiM) visits in nine of our ten conferences (we had to postpone our TiM visits in the Ottertail Conference due to the Red River flood). These TiM visits are hour-long, one-on-one visits by a member of the synod staff with a pastor, AiM, diaconal minister or deaconess in his/her place of ministry. In addition to meeting with the synod's rostered leaders, we also held evening "Gatherings of Lay Leaders" in each of the synod's conferences—drawing together congregational presidents and other church council representatives for Bible study, prayer and discussion of how God is at work in all 270 congregations of the Northwestern Minnesota Synod. My colleagues and I so enjoy these visits that we'd almost do them for free!

Last September's Theology for Ministry Conference at the Fair Hills Resort featured Dr. Terri Elton of Luther Seminary and Pastor Jeff Sorenson of the South Dakota Synod, leading participants to consider how our church can minister more faithfully and effectively with young adults in our midst. Last October our synod partnered with the Minnesota Council of Churches to sponsor a "Power and Boundaries in Ministry" workshop—attended by a significant number of our ministers. Eighty of our rostered leaders were also trained in a moral conversation process at Synod Theological Day in February at Trinity, Pelican Rapids.

The past year also saw the advent of the Pastor to Pastor Program in our synod, launched in February with a conference led by author, pastor, and radio speaker Rev. Peter Marty of Des Moines, Iowa. At this point 52 pastors of our synod are participating in small support groups and being renewed at periodic conferences focusing on excellence in ministry. Pastor Liza Okan of Vining, along with a steering committee and representatives of Concordia College, have offered excellent leadership in bringing Pastor to Pastor to our synod.

### **Renewing Ministries (Pr. Steve Peterson, assistant to the bishop; Pr. Keith Zeh, director for evangelical mission)**

One year ago our synod assembly was given over almost exclusively to the renewal of the church, under the theme: “Extreme Makeover: Renewing Church Edition.” We on the synod staff were awe-struck by how this assembly lit up so many lights across northwestern Minnesota! Seizing the surge of interest flowing out of the assembly, we offered two “Renewing Church Sampler Events” late last summer, showcasing in Crookston and Fergus Falls some of the pathways to renewal that are being used in many congregations.

Our autumn stewardship consultations in each of our ten conferences continued this emphasis—challenging participants to ponder all the ways we as a synod are “Here for You,” including our financial giving. This past February newly-elected congregational officers and council members turned out some 175-strong (from 41 congregations) to be part of leadership training events that were offered in Thief River Falls and Battle Lake. In April a number of lay leaders attended Spring Stewardship Events in Thief River Falls and Fergus Falls, as well.

With the choice of former Metro New York Synod Bishop Stephen Bouman to head up the ELCA program unit for Evangelical Outreach and Congregational Mission (EOCM) came an exciting new staffing arrangement that will have a major impact on our synod. For the past thirteen years our synod, along with four other synods in Minnesota and the Dakotas, shared the expertise of EOCM mission director, Pastor Keith Zeh. Starting February 1, Pastor Zeh accepted a new call to be Director for Evangelical Mission in the Eastern North Dakota and Northwestern Minnesota Synods. Practically speaking we have gone from having 20 percent of Pastor Zeh’s time to having 50 percent of his time. He and Pastor Steve Peterson, assistant to the bishop, are partnering together to lead our efforts in evangelical outreach, new ministry development, multi-cultural ministries, and other church renewal endeavors including stewardship education and response. During our synod assembly we will install Pastor Zeh in the opening worship service.

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A ministry initiative that will continue to receive focused attention from the synod staff involves the conducting of “area conversations” leading to multi-point ministry strategies, primarily in STaR (small town and rural) ministry settings. Since our 2008 synod assembly over 30 congregations have asked for and received some level of consultation or support from the synod staff in the areas of mission development, transformational ministry and visioning for the future. Three new parish alignment agreements have been worked out by congregations in and around Audubon, Shelly/Neillsville, and Climax. Several informal conversations about new inter-congregational cooperation are currently underway. With the changing demographics of rural America, this trend will continue, and our goal will be to keep the focus on thriving (not just surviving) in service to God’s mission.

One of the bright spots in our synod is the presence of a great cadre of rural pastors, many of them young adults, who see not just the problems but the promise of rural ministry. Some of these servants of Christ were showcased in a recent *Time* magazine article at the end of January; they are part of an ongoing rural ministry discernment group that meets monthly in Crookston.

### **Venturing Forth**

“May you live in interesting times,” goes an ancient Chinese curse. This moment certainly qualifies as an “interesting time” to walk together in the NWMN Synod. Since September 2007 we have brought on new synod pastoral staff, moved the synod office, faced a global economic downturn, and lived through a major spring flood. Wow! It’s about time to hunker down and settle in, don’t you think?

But frankly, **I do not anticipate serving this synod in a “settled” time.** Change may well be the only “constant” we confront in the years to come. If that is so, what can we still count on as we venture forth in God’s mission?

- The constancy of God’s undeserved love in Jesus Christ; this is more sure than any changes we’ll experience.
- The rescuing mission of God who calls forgiven, freed sinners—people like us!—into his service.
- The reality that people will continue to gather around Word, Sacrament and mission in 270 outposts (congregations) across northwestern Minnesota.
- The fact that evangelical witness—sharing Jesus Christ in word and deed—will remain “job one” in all that we do.
- The “walking together” (synod!) connections that will undergird us always.

In the confidence that, even as the ground seems to be shifting under our feet, God is still leading us, I anticipate focusing my attention on several priorities in the coming year:

1. Continuing to set a theological, missional tone that keeps our eyes fixed on Jesus, God’s mission, and our partnership with one another for the sake of the world.
2. Calling forth the financial resources this mission requires. During synod assembly please engage in the important discussions we’ll have about a revised 2009 synod budget and the 2010 synod fiscal proposal. And please go home to “tell the story” about how critical every congregation’s mission support (“benevolence”) giving is—now more than ever.
3. Guiding the synod staff team. We are very fortunate to have Erin Anderson, Linnae Grabner-Hegg, Marsha Hendrickson, Bob Larson, Laurie Natwick, Steve Peterson, Michael Stein, Shirleen Wyland, Cheryl Zeh, and Keith Zeh on our synod staff. We covet your prayers!
4. Welcoming Mr. William Elmstrom as our half-time Regional Gift Planner in partnership with the ELCA Foundation, Luther Crest Bible Camp and Pathways Bible Camps. We anticipate that Bill will come on board gradually over the next few months and start his new position more formally in September. Please invite Bill into your congregations to assist you with your own long-term giving needs, establishing congregational endowment funds/foundations, helping disciples discern how their estate plans can serve God’s mission, etc. We’re so thankful to Thrivent Financial for Lutherans for providing the grant that is making Bill’s work possible.
5. Tending our wider church connections as partners in our Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. I hope that our ELCA Churchwide Assembly this August in Minneapolis will make faithful, God-pleasing, mission-enhancing decisions about the sexuality study documents, full communion with the United Methodists, global initiatives in HIV/Aids and malaria eradication, and other issues.
6. Discerning God’s purposes for the Northwestern Minnesota Synod.
7. Rebuilding synod leadership structures—the tables, teams, and committees that will help us do God’s work more faithfully and effectively. In conjunction with the ELCA unit for Evangelical Outreach and Congregational Mission, we’ll form missional tables (teams), establish a covenant with EOCM, and develop the synod’s *Evangelizing Congregations Missional Plan*. The vision driving this process is of “every bishop in the ELCA leading as a Missionary Bishop, and every person is a missionary, every pastor is a mission director, and every congregation is a mission station for the sake of world” (quoting the Rev. Dr. Stephen Bouman, executive director of EOCM/ELCA).

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As people of the Word, we know the One who speaks to us—and that is enough. We may live in “interesting times,” but these times belong to the God of Good Friday and Easter. And so we venture forth boldly and confidently, knowing only that ***God’s hand is leading us and God’s love supporting us*** (from *Morning Prayer*, ELW, p. 304).

Thank you for calling me to this service of the Gospel. Thank you for your support and partnership as we do God’s work.

Lawrence R. Wohlrahe  
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Evangelical Lutheran Church in America  
*God’s work. Our hands.*

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**Ordinations**

- April 20, 2008 Pr. Jo Gast, Family of God Lutheran Church, East Grand Forks, Minn., by Bishop Lawrence Wohlrabe
- June 14, 2008 Pr. Melodi Mann Hagen, Grace Lutheran Church, Jackson Center, Ohio, by Bishop Callon Holloway
- June 22, 2008 Pr. Ryan Stout, Holy Spirit Lutheran Church, Emmaus, Penn., by Bishop David Strobel
- July 20, 2008 Pr. Kari Casper van Wakeren, Central Lutheran Church, Winona, MN, Bishop Lawrence Wohlrabe
- July 20, 2008 Pr. Ryan Rasmussen, East Freeborn Lutheran Church, Albert Lea, Minn. by Bishop Lawrence Wohlrabe
- July 27, 2008 Pr. Joshua Graber, Mercy Seat Lutheran Church, Minneapolis, Minn. by Bishop Craig Johnson

**Consecration**

- Nov. 22, 2008 Shana Williams, deaconess, Salem Lutheran Church, Cummings, ND by Bishop Lawrence Wohlrabe

**Commissioning**

- April 30, 2009 Vicki Marthaler, associate in ministry, Emmanuel Nursing Home Chapel, Detroit Lakes, MN by Bishop Lawrence Wohlrabe

**Installations**

- April 20, 2008 Pr. Jo Gast, pastor, Family of God Lutheran Church, East Grand Forks
- May 11, 2008 Pr. John Ahola, pastor, Gary & Ness Lutheran Churches, Gary, St. Olaf Lutheran Church, Twin Valley, Faaberg & Sundal Lutheran Churches, Fertile
- May 16, 2008 Pr. Stephen Peterson, assistant to the bishop, NW MN Synod
- May 16, 2008 Pr. Laurie Natwick, assistant to the bishop, NW MN Synod
- Aug. 17, 2008 Pr. Melodi Mann Hagen, pastor, Sion Lutheran Church, Lancaster
- Aug. 24, 2008 Pr. Kari van Wakeren, pastor, Faith Lutheran Church, Miltona
- Aug. 24, 2008 Pr. David Beety, pastor, First Lutheran Church, Audubon
- Aug. 31, 2008 Pr. Emmy Isaackson, assistant pastor, Trinity Lutheran Church, Moorhead
- Aug. 31, 2008 Pr. Marsha Anderson, assistant pastor, Trinity Lutheran Church, Moorhead
- Aug. 31, 2008 Pr. Joshua Graber, assistant pastor, Trinity Lutheran Church, Moorhead
- Aug. 31, 2008 Pr. Ryan Stout, pastor, St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church, New York Mills
- Sept. 14, 2008 Pr. Sherry Billberg, associate pastor, First Lutheran Church, Alexandria
- Sept. 14, 2008 Pr. Emily Meyer, pastor, First Lutheran Church, Akeley
- Sept. 21, 2008 Pr. Robert Kirchman, pastor, Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Clearbrook, Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Leonard
- Sept. 21, 2008 Pr. Rachel Stout, associate pastor, Immanuel Lutheran Church, Wadena
- Sept. 21, 2008 Pr. Loren Mellum, senior pastor, Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Moorhead
- Sept. 28, 2008 Pr. Ryan Rasmussen, pastor, Vernes & Our Savior's Lutheran Churches, McIntosh
- Oct. 5, 2008 Pr. D. Rolf Aanestad, pastor, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Ulen
- Nov. 5, 2008 Pr. Tessa Leiseth, campus pastor, Concordia College, Moorhead
- Nov. 16, 2008 Pr. Gary Mikkelson, pastor, Bethesda Lutheran Church, Moorhead
- Dec. 7, 2008 Pr. Elaine Leone, St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Lowry, Nora Lutheran Church, Kensington
- Dec. 21, 2008 Pr. Gary Van Hunnik, senior pastor, Cormorant Lutheran Church, Lake Park
- Jan. 18, 2009 Pr. Daniel Heath, pastor, Zion Lutheran Church, Blackduck
- Mar. 1, 2009 Pr. Karol Hendricks-McCracken, pastor, New Salem Lutheran Church, Turtle River
- Mar. 22, 2009 Pr. Christine Iverson, pastor, Halstad and Augustana Lutheran Churches, Halstad
- May 16, 2009 Pr. Keith Zeh, Director for Evangelical Mission

## **Pastors/Associates in Ministry On Leave From Call**

Lori Beck	Marilee Bergerson	Kenneth Bowman
Steven Dahl	Paul Erdal	Marsha Burt
James Gustafson	Karen Holmberg-Smith	Holly Johnson (AiM)
Eric Midthun	Kathryn Rothman	Kenneth Thiele
Jill Torgerson (AiM)	Shana Williams (Deaconess)	

## **Pastors Granted Disability Roster Status**

Pr. Harold "Eric" Erickson  
Pr. Allyne Holz  
Pr. Steve Trandem

## **Clergy Retirements**

April 1, 2008	Pr. Sandra Hollands
July 1, 2008	Pr. Stuart Fankhanel
Oct. 11, 2008	Pr. George Dahl
June 30, 2009	Pr. Arland Jacobson

## **Deaths**

Dec. 15, 2008	Pr. Robert Rains
Feb. 9, 2009	Pr. Maurice Molvik
Apr. 2, 2009	Pr. Harold "Eric" Erickson

## **Pastor Resigned or Removed from ELCA Clergy Roster**

Oct. 11, 2008	Pr. Randolph W. Smith
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## **Transfers Received**

Aug. 1, 2008	Pr. Tessa Leiseth, Minneapolis Area Synod
Aug. 16, 2008	Pr. David Beety, Minneapolis Area Synod
Sept. 1, 2008	Pr. Emily Meyer, Eastern Washington-Idaho Synod
Sept. 8, 2008	Pr. Robert Kirchman, Greater Milwaukee Synod
Sept. 15, 2008	Pr. Loren Mellum, Saint Paul Area Synod
Sept. 15, 2008	Pr. Matthew Williams, Central States Synod
Sept. 18, 2008	Pr. Rollen Halvorson (retired), Southwestern Minnesota Synod
Nov. 1, 2008	Pr. Gary Mikkelson, Eastern North Dakota Synod
Dec. 22, 2008	Pr. Darrel Saathoff (retired), Western North Dakota Synod
Jan. 11, 2009	Pr. Daniel Heath, Northeastern Minnesota Synod
Mar. 3, 2009	Pr. John Golv, Saint Paul Area Synod
Mar. 15, 2009	Pr. Christine Iverson, Central States Synod

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## **Transfers to Other Synods**

July 28, 2008	Pr. David J. Nelson (retired) to Saint Paul Area Synod
Aug. 1, 2008	Pr. Jeremy Walloch to Southwestern Texas Synod
Aug. 15, 2008	Pr. Ann Jacobson to Eastern North Dakota Synod
Oct. 1, 2008	Pr. Roy Noel to Eastern North Dakota Synod
Oct. 5, 2008	Pr. Cheryl Matthews to Southwestern Minnesota Synod
Oct. 15, 2008	Pr. Nancy Hanson to Northwest Synod of Wisconsin
Oct. 23, 2008	Pr. Marilyn Breckenridge (retired) to Saint Paul Area Synod
Oct. 25, 2008	Pr. Shauna Hannan to Florida-Bahamas Synod
Nov. 10, 2008	Pr. Benjamin Johnson (retired) to Southwestern Minnesota Synod
Nov. 15, 2008	Pr. Gretchen Person to Indiana-Kentucky Synod
Feb. 1, 2009	Pr. Kristen Larsen-Schmidt to Eastern North Dakota Synod
Feb. 1, 2009	Beth Anderson (diaconal minister) Western North Dakota
Feb. 15, 2009	Pr. Daniel Ostercamp to South Dakota Synod
Feb. 15, 2009	Pr. Kristin Ostercamp to South Dakota Synod
Feb. 15, 2009	Pr. Bryce Fellbaum to La Crosse Area Synod
Mar. 3, 2009	Pr. James Hulberg (retired) to Eastern North Dakota Synod
Apr. 1, 2009	Pr. Paul Hadland to Northeastern Minnesota Synod
Apr. 1, 2009	Pr. Marsha Smith, Western Iowa Synod

## Anniversaries Attended by Synod Staff

June 22, 2008	Salem Lutheran Church, Stephen	125 <sup>th</sup>
June 22, 2008	Pine Grove Lutheran Church, Wannaska	100 <sup>th</sup>
July 13, 2008	Mt. Carmel Lutheran Church, Roosevelt	100 <sup>th</sup>
July 13, 2008	Bethel Lutheran Church, Bemidji	100 <sup>th</sup>
July 27, 2008	Calvary Lutheran Church, Bemidji	100 <sup>th</sup>
Sept. 28, 2008	Dilworth Lutheran Church, Dilworth	60 <sup>th</sup>
Oct. 12, 2008	United Lutheran Church, Elbow Lake	50 <sup>th</sup>
Oct. 12, 2008	Faith Lutheran Church, Badger	50 <sup>th</sup>
Oct. 26, 2008	Christ the King Lutheran Church, Moorhead	50 <sup>th</sup>
Nov. 9, 2008	New Hope Lutheran, Alvarado	25 <sup>th</sup>

(of merged congregation and dedication of new building since the flood)

## Dedications Attended by Synod Staff

June 1, 2008	Bethany Lutheran Church, Nevis, new church building
June 1, 2008	Grace Lutheran Church, Mentor, building remodeling
June 22, 2008	Central Lutheran Church, Pelican Rapids, new addition
June 29, 2008	Trinity Lutheran Church, Laporte, building addition
Sept. 14, 2008	First Lutheran Church, Battle Lake, new building
Nov. 2, 2009	Bethel Lutheran Church, Herman, elevator

## First Call Candidates

### Assigned to the Northwestern Minnesota Synod

For Commissioned Lay Ministry (AiM):	Patrick Loree
Vicki Marthaler	Theresa Jacobson
	Mark Mathews
For Consecrated Lay Ministry (Deaconess):	Andrew Ronnevik
Shana Williams	Matthew Rose
	Dane Skilbred
For Ordained Ministry:	Ingrid Skilbred
Joy Grainger	

## Seminary Students from Northwestern Minnesota Synod

### Luther Seminary

#### Juniors

Anthony Olson	Beau Nelson	Richard Hall
Rachel Voxland	Sheila Michaels	Scott Ruud
Laurie Neill	Michael Sletto (TEEM)	

#### Middlers

Ben Worley	Allen Brooks	Sarah Anderson
Amber Bergeron	David Kottke	Joseph Johnson
Daniel Watland	Jacquelin Rostad	Jill Torgerson (TEEM)

#### Interns

Joseph Midthun	Elliott Malm	Clifton Hanson
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#### Seniors

Mary Marotte	Becky Ernst	Christie Meier (AiM)
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### Wartburg Theological Seminary

#### Juniors

Trudy Pommerening	Michael Winick
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#### Middlers

Melinda McCluskey	Susan Haukaas
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### Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary

#### Juniors

Holly Johnson
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