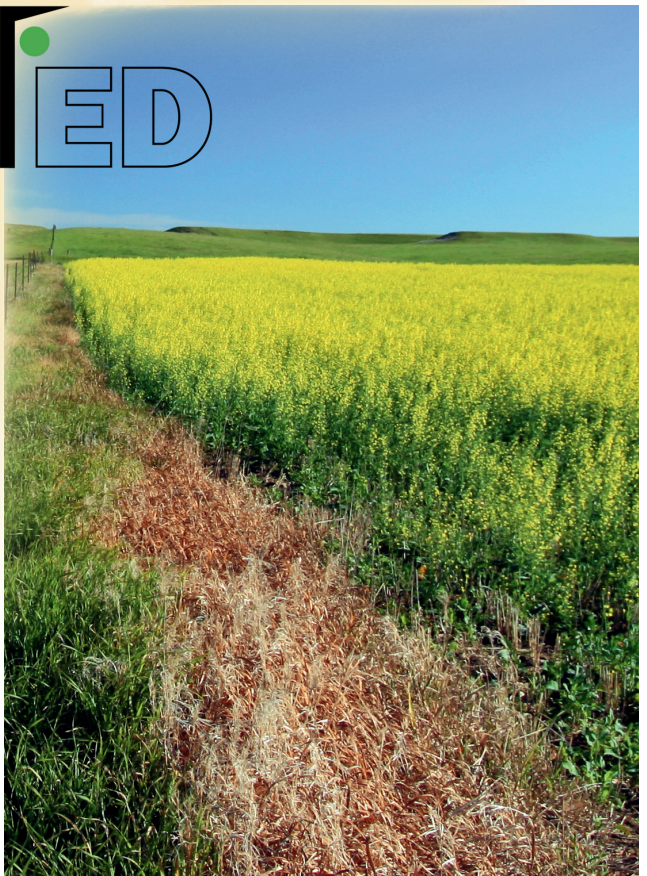


EVENING CELEBRATION AND RECOGNITIONS



2024 SOUTH DAKOTA SYNOD ASSEMBLY
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THURSDAY, MAY 30, 2024
SIOUX FALLS, SD



South Dakota Synod
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America



PROGRAM



Greeting & Welcome

Bishop Constanze Hagmaier

Photo Slide Show

Recognition of Retirements

Bishop Constanze Hagmaier

Blessing/Prayer - Bishop Constanze Hagmaier

Recognition of Anniversaries 25-40 years

Bishop Constanze Hagmaier

Blessing/Prayer

The Rev. Dr. Lauren R. Stanley

Canon to the Ordinary

Episcopal Diocese of South Dakota

Musical Break- Peter & Brendan Mayer

Recognition of Anniversaries 45+ years

Bishop Constanze Hagmaier

Blessing/Prayer

President Robin Steinke, Luther Seminary

Musical Break- Peter & Brendan Mayer

Recognition of Congregational Anniversaries

Bishop Constanze Hagmaier

Blessing/Prayer

Rev. Dr. Mark Yackel-Juleen, Wartburg Theological Seminary

Closing Prayer - Bishop Constanze Hagmaier

Dessert/Cake

Sponsored by Luther Seminary & Wartburg Theological Seminary

ANNIVERSARIES

70 YEARS Rev. James E. Christopherson

65 YEARS Rev. Herbert B. Cleveland
Rev. M. Larry Dahlstrom
Rev. Donald E. Gaarder

60 YEARS Rev. Arley K. Fadness

55 YEARS Rev. Dr. Frederick J. Gaiser
Rev. William A. Olsen

50 YEARS Rev. Dennis W. Tranberg

45 YEARS Rev. Robert W. Chell
Rev. Robert E. Ohnstad
Rev. Bruce H. Thalacker

40 YEARS Rev. Daniel G. DeBlock
Rev. Jeffrey A. Eisele
Rev. Randal R. Fett
Deacon Debra S. Jones
Rev. Paul W. Matchan
Rev. Kay A. R. Reeb
Rev. Jeffrey D. Rohr
Rev. Dr. Mary A. Sacco
Rev. Kent B. Stillson
Rev. Robert A. Waite

35 YEARS Rev. Randall E. Gehring
Rev. Wilbur L. Holz

30 YEARS Deacon Jodi F. Hanson

25 YEARS Rev. Agapito Avilés, Jr.
Rev. Elizabeth R. Johnson

20 YEARS Rev. Linda M. Jorgensen
Rev. Lynnae I. Sorensen
Rev. Herb Wounded Head III

15 YEARS Rev. Mark L. Eliason
Rev. Henrique C. Fleming
Rev. Sarah M. Goldammer
Deacon Christie A. Meier
Rev. Elizabeth L. Pagnotta
Rev. Pamela J. Power
Rev. Ann E. Rosendale
Rev. Rebecca L. Senner
Rev. Jonathan L. Vehar
Deacon Kristine C. Wollman

10 YEARS Rev. Karl C. Breddin
Rev. Rebecca A. Breddin
Rev. Lisa E. Heffernan
Rev. Arlyn W. Rusche
Deacon Penny E. Steinken
Rev. Gary Andrew B. Woodruff

5 YEARS Rev. Maria E. Cabello-Salomon
Rev. Elisa M. McMullen
Rev. Randall J. Questad
Rev. Shari L. Schwedhelm
Rev. Matthew T. Spoden
Rev. Thomas A. Stadem
Rev. Erik O. Thone



RETIREMENTS

Deacon Katherine M. Eisele
Rev. Randall E. Gehring
Rev. Erika H. S. Lehmann
Rev. Shelia R. Pohl
Rev. Carlene K. Rhody
Rev. Daryl L. Schubert

CONGREGATIONAL ANNIVERSARIES

150 Years

Union Creek Lutheran Church-Akron, IA
Lutheran Church of Dell Rapids-Dell Rapids, SD
West Prairie Lutheran Church-Lennox, SD
Palisade Lutheran Church-Valley Springs, SD

125 Years

St. Paul Lutheran Church-Humboldt, SD
First Lutheran Church-Lake Andes, SD

75 Years

Calvary Lutheran Church-Rapid City, SD



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