

REPORT ON NOMINATIONS CONDUCTED BY THE DISTRICT SECRETARY

The election process for the Offices of President, Area Vice Presidents, and Circuit Counselors was initiated on schedule as ballots and instructions were mailed in September 2008 to the president of each congregation of the District. A duplicate cover letter was mailed to the pastor of each congregation.

Ballots for Circuit Counselors were tabulated at the close of 2008 to determine election. For circuits with no majority for one pastor, a second ballot was mailed. The complete slate of Counselors will be presented to the Dallas Convention for ratification. The nominating ballots, both first and second, will be retained until after the Convention has acted.

Ballots for the Office of President and Area Vice Presidents were counted in late February. The pastors with the highest number of ballots, who received at least five nominations (President) or three nominations (Vice President) and who accepted nomination, determine the slate for these offices. Biographical information and consent forms were mailed to each nominee. Declinations were scribally and/or verbally documented. The results of the nominating procedure follow this report.

The Convention reserves the right to amend the slates of candidates. The time to add floor nominations to the slate of candidates will be at the introduction of the first election ballot. Nominations from the floor may be offered only by the permission and will of the Convention. If a nomination from the floor is to be accepted, all biographical and consent information must have been secured in advance from the nominee and a copy must be presented to the Convention Chair prior to placing the candidate's name into nomination.

Election to any office is by simple majority.

Respectfully submitted,

John M. Davenport
Secretary

BALLOTING RESULTS AND NOMINATIONS

DISTRICT PRESIDENT

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Ballots</u>
Kenneth Hennings	1	66
David Rohde	2 (Declined)	15
Scott Murray	3 (Declined)	9
Robert Preece	3 (Declined)	9

Others receiving less than five ballots (nomination requires five nominating ballots): Mark Barz, Luke Biggs, Carlos Boerger, Ronald Bogs, Mark Dankis, Kim DeVries, Jonathan Goeke, Kent Heimbigner, Ralph Hobratschk, Glenn Huebel, Matthew Jacobs, Dan Mueller, Richard Noack, Steve Rynearson, David Schroder, David Symm, Jerome Teichmiller, Steve Wagner

VICE PRESIDENT AREA A

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Ballots</u>
Robert Budewig	1	7
Dale Snyder	2 (Tie)	5
Tim Radkey	2 (Tie)	5

Others receiving less than three ballots (nomination requires three nominating ballots): Ken Bersche, Jay Beyer, Michael Erickson, Brian Hesse, Carroll Kohl, Robert Pase, Mark Paul, David Rohde, David Symm, Kevin Taden, Loren Zell

VICE PRESIDENT AREA B

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Ballots</u>
Robert Preece	1	24

Others receiving less than three ballots (nomination requires three nominating ballots): Luke Biggs, Randy Haedge, Scott Herbert, Glenn Huebel, David Jung, Victor Kollmann, Steve Rynearson, Walt Waiser

VICE PRESIDENT AREA C

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Ballots</u>
David Schroder	1	16

Others receiving less than three ballots (nomination requires three nominating ballots): Mark Barz, Julio Flamenco, Donald Fraker, Gil Franke, Herbert Keistman, Whitfield McMillan, Steve Morfitt, Arturo Pena, Walter Pohland, Milton Riemer, Roberto Simental, John Stennfeld, Bryan Sullivan

VICE PRESIDENT AREA D

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Ballots</u>
Ralph Hobratschk	1	14
Scott Murray	2 (Declined)	4

Others receiving less than three ballots (nomination requires three nominating ballots): Matthew Jacobs, Lewis Kash, Martin Kaufmann, Robert Sweet, Alan Taylor, Jerome Teichmiller

THE NOMINEE FOR THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT PRESIDENT

REV. KEN HENNINGS - PRESIDENT OF THE TEXAS DISTRICT; AGE: 61

Educational Background: St. John's College, Winfield--AA; Concordia Sr. College--BA; Concordia Seminary, St. Louis--MDD.

Congregations Served: St. Paul, La Pryor (73-78); Trinity, Uvalde (73-78); St. Paul, Ft. Worth (78-91)

Positions and Offices: Member of 21st Century Task Force; Member of Frontera Ministry; work with Center for US Missions, Irvine; Chairman of the Board of Directors of Lutheran Outdoors Ministry of Texas; Lutheran Women's Missionary League Zone Advisor; Lutherans for Life Chapter Advisor; Chairman of the New Church Development Task Force; Representative of the Synod's Council of Presidents on the Pastoral Leadership Institute Board of Directors

Civic Organizations: Rotary 1974-78

Experience/Background: Texas District President 2006-2009; Mission Executive of the District 1991-2005; Senior Pastor with large staff; D.Min. studies on leadership; Chairman of the North American Mission Executives of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod; service on many Synod committees and task forces

Goals: For the District to create, support and encourage healthy partnerships with every congregation, professional worker, members and organizations connected with the District in order to vigorously proclaim the Gospel in Word and deed.

THE NOMINEES FOR THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT VICE-PRESIDENT - AREA A

REV. ROBERT L. BUDEWIG - SENIOR PASTOR, TRINITY, SAN ANGELO; AGE 60

Educational Background: Concordia Junior College, Austin; Concordia Senior College, Fort Wayne, BA; Concordia Seminary and Concordia Seminary in Exile, MDIV; Austin Presbyterian Seminary, Austin, D.Min.

Congregations Served: Zion, Alamo, (76-79); Trinity, Sulphur, LA (79-85); Lutheran Campus Ministry, University of Houston (85-96); Prince of Peace, Belton (96-2001); Trinity, San Angelo (2001-present)

Positions and Offices: Southern District Youth, Chairman; Texas District Circuit Counselor #5; LWML Zone Pastoral Advisor

Civic Organizations: Lion's Club; Policy Board, University of Houston; President, Ministerial Association, Belton; San Angelo Rotary Club

Experience/Background:

Having served in Area A as Circuit Counselor of Circuit Five for six years, it has made me sensitive to the unique challenges of ministry for the many rural and smaller congregations in Area A. As I have visited congregations in our area, it has also made me aware of the many opportunities of outreach to people in West Texas. West Texas has its own particular mission field that differs from the other areas of our district.

Goals: To be the voice of Area A to the District, sharing the needs of the rural congregations, as well as the larger congregations.

REV. TIMOTHY RADKEY - SENIOR PASTOR, HOPE, LUBBOCK; AGE 35

Educational Background: Brookhaven Community College; University of North Texas--BAAS; Concordia Seminary, M.Div.

Congregations Served: Hope Lutheran Church and School, Lubbock, 2002-present

Position and Offices: Circuit Counselor #3, 2006-present

Civic Organizations: Optimist club, President Elect, 4 years

Experience/Background:

I have had a number of experiences leading in the United States Army Reserve. I also believe that serving as Circuit Counselor has given me greater appreciation for the issues facing our local churches. I am grateful that God has enabled me to be a part of writing relevant material for the new Lutheran Hour Men's Network effort. It is my prayer that God continues to raise up men with a willingness to lead Christ's church.

Goals: My goals are to bring creative solutions to issues facing West Texas, while also being a servant for the entire Texas District.

REV. DALE SNYDER - PASTOR, OUR REDEEMER, WICHITA FALLS; AGE 50

Educational Background: University of Texas at Austin, BS in Architectural Engineering; Concordia Seminary, M.Div.

Congregations Served: Faith, Sweetwater, (1998-2005); Our Redeemer, Wichita Falls, (July 2005-present)

Positions and Offices: District Constitution Committee (2004-present); Chairman, Constitution Committee (2006-present); Lay Ministry Task Force; LWML Zone Pastoral Counselor (2001-2005; 2006-2008); Planning Committee for 2009 Texas District Pastors' Conference

Civic Organizations: Ministerial Alliance; Youth Soccer Association

Experience/Background: Ten+ years of pastoral ministry in Area A; Experience with District operations through service on the District Constitution Review Committee

Goals: To represent the congregations and church workers of Area A with the goal of strengthening them in their mission of proclaiming Christ to the world.

THE NOMINEE FOR THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT VICE PRESIDENT - AREA B

REV. DR. ROBERT CARL PREECE - SENIOR PASTOR, ZION, DALLAS; AGE 61

Educational Background: Concordia College, Austin-A.A.; Concordia Sr. College, Fort Wayne-B.A.; Concordia Seminary, St. Louis- M.Div.; Drew University, Madison, NJ-D.Min.

Congregations Served: Immanuel, Waterloo, IL (73-90); Zion, Dallas (90-present).

Positions and Offices: District Vice President, Area B (2000-present); First Vice President 2006-present); District 100th Anniversary Task Force; District CAN-DO transition Committee; District Professional Church Workers' Conference Planning Committee; District Floor Committee #1; Lutheran Inter-City Network Coalition; Chaplain, 1997 District Convention; Chaplain, 1996 Texas District Church Extension/Fund Convention; Preacher/Celebrant for 2003 LCMS Theology Professors' Convocation; Delegate to Synodical Convention; Board of Directors Lutheran Social Services of the South (1998-2008); Lutheran Child and Family Services; Wheat Ridge Foundation; LWML Zone Pastoral Counselor; District Conference Coordinating Committee (92-2000); Worship Committee, 1991 Texas District Convention; Chaplain, Bible Study Leader, responder, speaker, presenter, etc., at various Circuit District and Synodical Conferences, e.g., speaker at 2002 Texas District ILLL Convention; 2003 District Early Childhood Educators' Conference; Member of advance planning team for District CAN-DO ministry work trip to Cuba, November, 2002; work trip made July, 2003. Preacher/Celebrant for the 2003 LCMS Theology Professors' Convocation; Delegate to Synodical Conventions, Dallas and St. Louis.

Civic Organizations: Lutheran Social Services of the South Board of Directors (1998-present); North Texas Advisory Board; Greater Dallas Residential Facility Committee (93-98).

Experience and Background:

Vice President, Area B, 2000-present (First Vice President 2006-present); Member, District Board of Directors and Presidium, 2000-present; Chair, Concordia Seminary St. Louis alumni Council, 2005-present, member since 2003; Member, Board of Directors; Lutheran Social Services of the South (1998-2008); Lutheran Child and Family Services of Illinois (1981-90); Vice President, Lutheran Inter-City Network Coalition (LINC, Dallas-Ft. Worth), 1997-2000; Work and mission trips, personal travel to Mexico, Cuba, Nigeria, India, Israel, Jordan Board of Directors, St. Clement's (Catholic) Hospital, Red Bud, IL

Goals:

- To fully support the District President and his labors, standing ready at his request and direction to appropriately assist North Texas congregations and church workers.
- To continue to support the District's planting of Word and Sacrament ministries.
- To bind Area B parishes together as a geographical community of faith sharing in common mission, ministry, fellowship and service.
- To follow in the footsteps of St. Barnabas, an encourager of St. Paul and the people, by prioritizing interaction and visitation with Area B parishes, church workers and their families. I would pray for them, help, listen and support — in a word, encourage their labor for the Lord and His Church in fulfilling the District mission: to reach the lost, disciple the saved and care for people locally and globally.

THE NOMINEE FOR THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT VICE PRESIDENT - AREA C

REV. DAVID SCHRODER - SENIOR PASTOR, REDEEMER, AUSTIN; AGE 64

Educational Background: St. John's College, Winfield-AA; Concordia Senior College, Fort Wayne-B.A.; Concordia Seminary, St. Louis-M.Div.; Clinical Pastoral Education, Immanuel Lutheran Medical Center, Omaha and Central Griffin Memorial Hospital, Norman, Oklahoma; Urban Ministry Study, Concordia Seminary, St. Louis.

Congregations Served: Redeemer, Austin (Associate Pastor 72-84); Redeemer, Austin (Senior Pastor 84-present)

Positions and Offices: Member, Texas District Recruitment Committee; Chairman, Texas District Stewardship Committee; District Director "In His Service" Stewardship Program; Action Group Director "Forward in Remembrance;" Member, Texas District Lutheran School Accreditation Commission; LLL Zone Pastoral Advisor; Member, Austin Lutheran High School Board of Directors; Chairman, Area C Pre-Seminary Interview Committee.

Civic Organizations: Member, Advisory Panel of the Huntsman Corporation, Austin Facility.

Experience/Background: Member, Texas District Board of Parish Services; Vice President, Texas District Area C; Texas District Board of Directors; Member, LCMS Board of Parish Services

Goals: I plan to be a strong leader to where God wants to take us. I grew up in a rural parish and now I am a pastor of a very large church. I know what the Lord can do using the people of God in ministry. I simply want to be a chosen person of God who exercises leadership in the ministry of Word and Sacrament.

THE NOMINEE FOR THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT VICE PRESIDENT - AREA D

REV. RALPH W. HOBRATSCHK - SENIOR PASTOR, HOPE, FRIENDSWOOD; AGE 59

Educational Background: Concordia, Austin-A.A.; Concordia Senior College, Fort Wayne-B.A.; Concordia Seminary, St. Louis-M.Div.; Pastoral Leadership Institute.

Congregations Served: Epiphany, Lake Worth, Florida (76-82); Hope, Friendswood (82-present)

Positions and Offices: Texas District Reconciler (2005-present); Member of the Board for Mission Administration of the Texas District (2003-2006); Secretary of the Texas District of The Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod (1991-2003); Pastoral Counselor, Texas District Lutheran Women's Missionary League (88-92); Concordia Council of Concordia Lutheran College, Austin (88-91); Stephen Ministry Leader (1987); ChristCare Equipper (2000); District Youth Committee, Florida-Georgia District (1977-1982).

Civic Organizations: Friendswood Independent School District, Board of Trustees, (89-92, 93-96, 97-99, 2000-2008); FISSD, Secretary of the Board of Trustees (91-92); FISSD, Vice President of the Board of Trustees (93-96, 97-99); FISSD President (2005-2008); Rotary Club of Friendswood, Treasurer (85-86; 90-91); President Elect (86-87); President (87-88, 92-93); Board of Directors (85-94); Paul Harris Fellow (88); Friendswood Nutrition Center, Inc. - President and Chairman of the Board (88-90); Friendswood Counseling Center-Board of Directors (88-90)

Experience/Background: On the District level, I have served on the Texas District Board of Directors for five terms, understand the District structure and helped manage four District Conventions. I see a preferred future for the District and am enthusiastic about it. The work ethic inspired by years on a South Plains farm has translated into the work of the Kingdom which will continue into the years ahead.

Goals: One does not seek the Office of District Vice President. The Office seeks the individual. I do believe I have the necessary experiences, gifts and abilities to lead the Texas District into the 500th year of the Reformation and beyond. If chosen to serve this great District, I will.

CIRCUIT COUNSELOR BALLOT

RESULTS - 2009

Circuit 1	Donnie Poole	Circuit 23	<i>Vacant</i>
Circuit 3	Loren Zell	Circuit 24	David Ebert
Circuit 4	Dean Kelm	Circuit 25	Henry Biar
Circuit 5	Randall Wehmeyer	Circuit 26	Don Olson
Circuit 6	Clyde Kieschnick	Circuit 27	Allan Eckert
Circuit 7	Ken Bersche	Circuit 28	Robert Holaday
Circuit 8	Nathan Wendorf	Circuit 29	Carlos Boerger
Circuit 9	Ken Watson	Circuit 30	Keith Gravesmill
Circuit 11	Jack Schneider	Circuit 31	Wayne Schueler
Circuit 12	Scott Herbert	Circuit 32	Matthew Jacobs
Circuit 13	Wayne Renning	Circuit 33	Herbert Graf
Circuit 14	Vic Willmann	Circuit 34	Tim Dinger
Circuit 15	Brady Blasdell	Circuit 35	Raymond Van Buskirk
Circuit 16	Brian Cummins	Circuit 36	Alan Taylor
Circuit 17	John Heckmann	Circuit 37	Jerry McNamara
Circuit 18	Steve Rynearson	Circuit 38	John Davis
Circuit 19	Jim Mann	Circuit 39	Stephen Sohns
Circuit 20	William Knippa	Circuit 41	John Cain
Circuit 21	Kevin Westergren	Circuit 43	Don Black
Circuit 22	Leif Hasskarl		

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

In accordance with our convention theme, "Reaching, Receiving, Refreshing," the members of the Texas District Nominating Committee met in Austin with the desire to place into nomination spirit-led and mission-minded fellow Lutherans in positions within the Texas District.

The Nominating Committee met on July 1, 2008 in Austin, following prayer, to adopt the timetable for recommendations from Congregations and Members of Synod for those positions in the District which should be elected at this Convention. It was also agreed upon to pursue the possibility of making nominations online. After discussion about the need for signatures it was decided to offer the opportunity of nomination online to pastors of the District only.

When all of the nominations had been received by the District Office and all of the Information and Consent forms returned, the committee was entrusted to fill 21 positions on Board of Missions Administration, Synod's Committee for Conventions Nominations, Nominating Committee, District Secretary, Board of Regents for Concordia University, and the Board of Directors.

The Nominating Committee met for the second and final time on February 11, 2009. Following prayer for God's guidance and peace the Committee selected those persons who would be on the ballot which would be presented to the Convention for the respective District Offices.

We recognized that all the people nominated could not all be placed before the Convention. We also recognized there are many gifted and talented people in Texas who could serve, but could not be placed on the ballot because they were not nominated.

It is the Nominating Committee's prayer that through this election Our Lord God will be honored as we look forward to our second century of service in Texas.

Convention Nominating Committee Members:

Pastors:

Rev. Kevin Westergren (Area C) Chairman
Rev. David Jung (Area B)
Rev. Clyde Kieschnick (Area A)
Rev. David Bahn (Area D)

Lay Persons:

Mr. Milton Bade
Mr. Glenn Hurta
Mr. Glenn Pittsfor

Commissioned Ministers:

Mr. Mark McClain
Mrs. Amber Schraeder

Key to Information on Nominees:

- Abbreviation after name denotes highest educational degree received.
- Number after name refers to age of nominee.
- Church name and city is the place of nominee's present membership.
- *Denotes present occupation.
- Listing summarizes previous and present service to Synod, District, Circuit and Congregation.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS - Six year term of office

COMMISSIONED MINISTER: Vote for One (1)

MR. STEPHEN EGGOLD, (M.A.) 46, CROWN OF LIFE, SAN ANTONIO

Headmaster, Lutheran High School, San Antonio*; Teacher, AD, St. John's Marysville, Ohio (1984-87); Teacher, AD, Asst. Principal Holy Cross, Saginaw, MI, (1987-90); Teacher, AD, Asst. Principal Green Park Lutheran, St. Louis, (1990-95); AD, Lutheran High School South, St. Louis (1995-2004); LCMS, World Mission Principal Gift Officer (2004-2007) for annual budget fundraising and Fan Into Flame to support *Ablaze'* program.

MR. TIM MIESNER, (M.ED.) 56, CROSSPOINT, KATY

Executive Director, CrossPoint Lutheran Church*, Katy (2002-present); Minister of Discipleship, St. Paul, Fort Worth (1993-2002); Principal, Teacher and Youth Director, St. Paul, Fort Worth (1976-1993); Teacher, Trinity, Lincoln, Nebraska (1974-1976); Texas District Board of Parish Services (12 years); 32 years in ministry in Texas District with 15 as school principal and four years as executive director at CrossPoint.

LAYPERSON, AREA C: Vote for One (1)

MR. RON LAMMERT, (M.A.) 62, CONCORDIA, SAN ANTONIO

President/CEO Lammert Publications/Historical Publishing*; Board of Elders, (1981-present); Church Council (1986); Lutheran Outdoors Ministry of Texas, Board Member (1987-1996), Board President (1991-1996); Development Council Chairman (2001-present);

MR. STEVE WATERMAN, (M.S.) 65, MT. OLIVE, CORPUS CHRISTI

Director, Nueces County Commissioners' Court Administration*; Church Elder (7 years); Church Treasurer (18 years); School Board of Education (3 years)

LAYPERSON, AREA D: Vote for One (1)

DR. JAMES ROGERS, (PH.D.) 48, HOLY CROSS, COLLEGE STATION

Professor, Texas A&M University and Interim Head, Department of Political Science*; Department Director of Graduate Studies and member of Executive Committee for the College of Liberal Arts; Church Elder; Stewardship Committee (2002-2009); Sunday School teacher; developing, leading and volunteering at several prisons in Texas and other states; Brazos County Board of Directors of the Association of Ex-Offenders; various committees of the American Political Science Association (1994-present); Editor, *Journal of Theoretical Politics* (2006-present).

MRS. KARIN WARREN, (M.S.) 64, GLORIA DEI, HOUSTON

Elementary school counselor*, Clear Creek ISD (2000-2008); Counselor, Friendswood, ISD (1991-2000); Math teacher Clear Creek ISD (1966-69); Math teacher Baywood Pysch. Hospital (1986-1987); Church Board of Youth Ministry Chairperson; Stephen Minister and teacher; Pastors' Prayer Partner (2004-2007); Lay Minister (Spiritual Board, 2004-2007);

LAYPERSON, AT LARGE: Vote for One (1)

DR. CHRISTOPHER MEYER, (PH.D.); 38, PEACE, HEWITT

Assistant Professor of Management, Baylor University*; Member and Chairman, Board of Elders (2007-present); Member and Chairman, Board of Evangelism (1996-1999); Treasurer (1995-1996)

MR. ROBERT ROEVER, (B.A.) 50, ALIVE IN CHRIST, BIG SPRING

Probation Officer, 118th Judicial District*; Elder, St. Paul, Big Spring, (12 years); Elder, Alive in Christ

BOARD OF MISSION ADMINISTRATION - Six year term of office

Pastor: Vote for one (1)

REV. JAMES MENKE, TRINITY, (M.DIV.) 51, TRINITY, WOODWAY (WACO)

Pastor, Trinity, Waco* (2007-present); Redeemer, Baker, LA (1983-87); Atonement, Metairie, LA (1987-91); Holy Cross, North Canton, OH (1991-2007); Southern District Nominations Committee; Ohio District Evangelism Board (2002-2006); Church Growth and Church Planting Conferences; Pastoral Leadership Institute Graduate; Ohio District Board of Directors (2006-2007)

REV. JOHN MESSMANN, (M.DIV.) 53, ST. PAUL, FORT WORTH

Senior Pastor, St. Paul, Fort Worth* (1992-present); Immanuel, East Dundee, IL (1982-84); Trinity, Utica, MI (1984-92); Circuit Counselor (1988-92); Standing Committee for Pastoral Ministry (1992-98); Delto/SMP Oversight Committee, (2005-present)

REV. PATRICK MILLER, (M.DIV.) 36, WATER'S EDGE, FRISCO

Senior Pastor, Water's Edge, Frisco* (2004-present); Grace, Escondido, CA (2000-2004)

REV. BILL WOOLSEY, (M.DIV.) 47, CROSSPOINT, KATY

Senior Pastor, CrossPoint* (1999-present); Missionary-at-Large for West Houston (1997-99); St. Paul, DesPeres, MO; St. Paul, Decatur, IL; Synodical Church Planting Task Force; Synodical Planting Large Churches Task Force; Instructor, Center for U. S. Mission, Church Planter Orientation

COMMISSIONED: Vote for one (1)

MS. REBECCA BARTELT, (M.A.) 34, CROWN OF LIFE, SAN ANTONIO

Teacher, Religion, Band, Choir and German, Lutheran High School of San Antonio* (2005-09); Teacher, International School of Bremen (2003-05); Volunteer English Teacher Kodaikanal International School, India (1998-03)

MR. DAVID GLIENKE, (M.S.) 55, PILGRIM, HOUSTON

Principal/Director*, Pilgrim Lutheran School, Houston (2006-present); Principal/Teacher/Coach, Hope Lutheran School, Austin; (1987-06); Teacher/Principal/Coach, St. Paul, Harlingen, (1975-87); District Nominating Committee; Task Force on Restructuring; Board for Mission Administration, Board for Accreditation

MRS. AMBER SCHRAEDER, (M.ED) 35, REDEEMER, AUSTIN

Early Childhood Director*, Redeemer, Austin (2004-present); Early Childhood Director, Mt. Olive, Austin (1999-04); Shepherd of the Hills, San Antonio, Teacher/Athletic Director (1997-99); Kindergarten Teacher, Pilgrim, Houston (1995-97); Early Childhood Council; Administrative Conference Early Childhood Representative; Early Childhood Conference Chair (2 terms)

LAYPERSON: Vote for one (1)

MR. STEPHEN INGLEHART, (M.DIV.) 54, CROWN OF LIFE, SAN ANTONIO

Small Business Owner*; Elder, 5 years; LCMS Missionary, two years in Papua, New Guinea; Pastor, Christ the King, Natchitoches, LA; Atonement, Seattle, WA; Vice President of Crisis Pregnancy Center, Natchitoches, LA; Vice President, Seattle Bible Science Assoc.

MRS. SYLVIA SCHMIDT, (B.A.) 52, TRINITY, HOUSTON

Executive Ministry Assistant, Trinity, Houston*; Texas District Board of Mission Administration (5 years); Youth Counselor (14 years); Stephen Minister (12 years); Stephen Leader (5 years); Chairman, Nurture and Inner Growth (3 years); LWML 2nd Vice President (2 years); Advisory Council for Pastor Leeland (1 year); LWML Bayou City Zone, Secretary (2 years); LINC Houston Board Chairman (2 years)

MS. JOYCE WILLIAMS, (B.A.) 52, ST. PAUL, DALLAS

Church Secretary and Administrative Assistant, St. Paul, Dallas*; Pastor's wife, Women's Ministry (13 years); Youth Counselor (20+ years); Youth Director (10 years); CEF Representative (15 years); Thrivent-Congregational Rep. (6 years); Financial Secretary (4 years); AAL Branch President, Treasurer; District Youth Board (Southern District); Zone Christian Growth Chair, LWML; National Youth Gathering; Cross Cultural Steering Committee

BOARD OF REGENTS, CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY TEXAS

ORDAINED: Vote for one (1)

REV. AL DOERING, (M.DIV.) 52, CHRIST THE KING, KINGWOOD

Senior Pastor, Christ the King, Kingwood*; Faith, Craig, Colorado (1983-90); Circuit Counselor (1998-2000) Synodical Nominating Committee

REV. BILL TUCKER, (M.DIV.) 48, CONCORDIA, SAN ANTONIO

Senior Pastor, Concordia, San Antonio* (2001-present); Senior Pastor, St. Paul, Mount Prospect, IL (1995-2001); Assoc. Pastor, St. Paul, Mount Prospect, IL (1989-1995); Mission Planter, Northern Illinois District (1987-2001); Pastor, Trinity, Marseilles, IL (1986-1989); Lutheran Social Service of the South, Current Board Member; Pastoral Leadership Institute Mentor and Presenter; President's Representative, Lutheran Church Extension Fund; Chair, Texas District Professional Church Workers' Conference; Texas District Convention Bible Study Leader; Chairman, Northern Illinois Convention Floor Committee on Structure; Northern Illinois District Circuit 24 Treasurer; Police and Fire Chaplain, Board Member on Special Events Commission, Redevelopment Commission, Football and Baseball Associations in Mount Prospect, Illinois

COMMISSIONED: Vote for one (1)

MR. STEPHEN EGGOLD, (M.A.) 46, CROWN OF LIFE, SAN ANTONIO

Headmaster, Lutheran High School, San Antonio*; Teacher, AD, St. John's Marysville, Ohio (1984-87); Teacher, AD, Asst. Principal Holy Cross, Saginaw, MI, (1987-90); Teacher, AD, Asst. Principal Green Park Lutheran, St. Louis, (1990-95); AD, Lutheran High School South, St. Louis (1995-2004); LCMS, World Mission Principal Gift Officer (2004-2007) for annual budget fundraising and Fan Into Flame to support *Ablaze*' program.

MR. DAN SCHAEFER, (MA) 48, IMMANUEL, GIDDINGS

Teacher/Principal, Immanuel, Giddings*; Board of Regents, Concordia University Texas (2006-09) Southern Illinois District Board of Directors; Texas Lutheran School Accreditation Commission (1999-2007), (Vice Chairman, 1999-02), Chairman (2002-07); National Lutheran School Accreditation Commission, Texas Representative (2000-2007)

LAYPERSON: Vote for two (2)

MR. QUENTIN ANDERSON, (B.B.A.) 48, ST. PAUL, HARLINGEN

Certified Public Accountant*; Current Member, Board of Regents for Concordia University Texas; Congregational President (4 years), Vice President (2 years), Treasurer (4 years), Board of Education Member and Chairman (4 years), and Board of Elders (2 years)

DR. MAX KIESLING, (PH.D.) 43, CROWN OF LIFE, SAN ANTONIO

Senior Manager, Valero Energy Corporation*; Crown of Life Board of Elders (2001-2003); Capital Campaign Co-Chair (2005-06); Zion Lutheran Church, Oakland, CA, Board of Elders (1993-98), Congregational Vice-Chair (1994-95) (1997-98); Lutheran High School of San Antonio Board Member (2003-08) and Chairman, Board of Directors (2007-08); LCMS National Youth Gathering Planning Team Member (2006-07), Community Life Builder (2001, 2004)

MR. CHARLES REQUADT, (BS) 67, GLORIA DEI, HOUSTON

Retired* 50% Owner of Manitowoc, a heavy machine distributor employing 100 with +\$50,000,000 annual sales; President/owner for 20 years Coastal Equipment, Houston; Gloria Dei, Board of Directors, Building Program; Chair, Futures Group; Chair, Vision 2010; Chairman of Gloria Dei's volunteers who work servicing the community

DISTRICT NOMINATING COMMITTEE

ORDAINED: Vote for four (4)

REV. DAVID BAHN, (D.MIN.) 57, ST. JOHN, CYPRESS

Senior Pastor, St. John, Cypress*(2004-present); Our Savior, Vernal, Utah (1979-83); Trinity, Rangely, Colorado (1979-83); Faith, Roosevelt, Utah (1981-83); Trinity, Pine Bluff, AR (1983-93); Holy Cross, Arlington, TX (1993-2004); Circuit Counselor; Commission on Ministerial Growth; Conference Committee Chairman; District VP; District Stewardship Board

REV. JAY BEYER, (M.DIV.) 52, HOPE, LUBBOCK

Resident Chaplain (C.P.E. Program)*; Pastor, Redeemer, Lubbock, 15 years; Circuit Counselor; Doctrinal Reviewer; Nominating Committee

REV. SAMUEL COSBY, (M.DIV) 64, MT. CALVARY, HOUSTON

Pastor, Mount Calvary, Houston* (10 years); United States Air Force (21 years); Board for Black Ministry Services (present)

REV. GILBERT FRANKE, (M.DIV) 63, ST. PAUL, BISHOP

Pastor, St. Paul, Bishop* (1993-present); Immanuel, Harrold, TX (1972-77); Bethlehem, William Penn, Brenham (1977-93); Circuit 7 Youth Facilitator; Zone Pastoral Advisor (Circuits 27 and 32); Circuit Counselor (Circuits 27 and 32) (Total 20 years); pastoral Delegate Synodical Convention (4 times)

REV. DAVID JUNG, (M.DIV.) 50, CROWN OF LIFE, COLLEYVILLE

Senior Pastor, Crown of Life, Colleyville* (1992-present); Trinity, Tyler (1988-92); Redeemer/Peace Valley, Bartow/Wauchula, FL (1984-1988)

REV. CLYDE KIESCHNICK, (M.DIV) 56, ZION, ABILENE

Pastor, Zion, Abilene* (2002-present); St. Paul, Garner, IA (1989-02); Circuit Counselor, Iowa West, (1998-02); Circuit 6, Texas (2004-present)

REV. JAMES MENKE, (M.DIV.) 51, TRINITY, WOODWAY (WACO)

Pastor, Trinity, Woodway* (Waco) (2007-present); Redeemer, Baker, LA (1983-87); Atonement, Metairie, LA (1987-91); Holy Cross, North Canton, OH (1991-2007); Southern District Nominating Committee (1988); Ohio District Evangelism Board (1998-2002); Ohio District Stewardship Board (2002-2006); Ohio District Board of Directors (2006-07)

REV. KEVIN WESTERGREN, (M.DIV.) 46, REDEEMER, AUSTIN

Associate Pastor, Redeemer, Austin* (1993-present); Mount Calvary, Richfield, MN (1987-93); Circuit Counselor (1998-present); District Nominating Committee (2003, 2006); District Nominating Committee Chair (2009); Texas Professional Church Workers' Conference Chair (2001, 2007); LCMS National Youth Gathering Young Adult Volunteer Coordinator (2000, 2003)

COMMISSIONED: Vote for two (2)

MR. STEPHEN EGGOLD, (M.A.) 46, CROWN OF LIFE, SAN ANTONIO

Headmaster, Lutheran High School, San Antonio*; Teacher, AD, St. John's Marysville, Ohio (1984-87); Teacher, AD, Asst. Principal Holy Cross, Saginaw, MI, (1987-90); Teacher, AD, Asst. Principal Green Park Lutheran, St. Louis, (1990-95); AD, Lutheran High School South, St. Louis (1995-2004); LCMS, World Mission Principal Gift Officer (2004-2007) for annual budget fundraising and Fan Into Flame to support *Ablaze'* program

MR. MARK MCCLAIN, (M.ED.) 54, ST. MICHAEL, WINCHESTER

Director of Music, St. Michael's, Winchester and Music Teacher, Giddings ISD*; Teacher/Principal St. John, Lincoln (2000-2006); Teacher/Director of Music, St. Paul, Serbin (1983-2000; Principal St. Paul, Serbin (1995-2000); Teacher, Grace, Key West, FL (1982-1983); Teacher, Christ, University Hills, Denver, CO (1970-78); Director of Music, Hope, Aurora,, CO (1978-82); Texas District Nominating Committee (2000-present); LOMT Board of Directors (1997-2000)

MRS. AMBER SCHRAEDER, (M.ED.) 35, REDEEMER, AUSTIN

Early Childhood Director*, Redeemer, Austin (2004-present); Early Childhood Director, Mt. Olive, Austin (1999-04); Shepherd of the Hills, San Antonio, Teacher/Athletic Director (1997-99); Kindergarten Teacher, Pilgrim, Houston (1995-97); Early Childhood Council; Administrative Conference Early Childhood Representative; Early Childhood Conference Chair (2 terms)

LAYPERSON: Vote for three (3)

MR. MILTON BADE, (BBA) 69, GETHSEMANE, HOUSTON

Retired accountant*; Congregational President (7 years); Vice President (1 year); Properties Director (2 years); Head Elder (6 years); Elder (33 years); District Nominating Committee (4 terms); Delegate to District Convention (1 term); Delegate to Synodical Convention (1 term)

MR. EUGENE BODE, (MA) 64, ST. PAUL, WACO

Retired High School Teacher*; Lutheran School Teacher (4 years); Elder (2 years); Treasurer (4 years); Stewardship Chairman (4 years); Finance Board (4 years); Sunday School Superintendent (2 years); Board for Church Extension; Leadership Team for CEF Conference

MR. GLENN HURTA, (B.B.A.) 66, TRINITY, WOODWAY (WACO)

Retired*, Executive Vice President, Imperial Woodworks, Inc., Waco; President of Congregation (2008-present) Board of Elders (8 years); Board of Stewardship (8 years); Board of Evangelism (4 years); Board Secretary (2 years); Texas District Nominating Committee

MRS. ANGELA NEWTON, (B.S.) 46, ALIVE IN CHRIST, BIG SPRING

Director, Information Services*; Chair, Board of Mission and Outreach (4 years); Director of Music (25 years); Chair, Board of Education (8 years); Congregation Voters' Assembly Secretary (2 years); Youth Director and Lutheran Youth Fellowship Leader (10 years); Sunday School Teacher (8 years); Synodical Convention Delegate; Texas District Circuit #4 Delegate (2 times)

MR. GLENN PITTSFORD, (B.S.) 58, HOLY CROSS, COLLEGE STATION

Planned Giving Manager, Texas A&M University*; President, Elder, and Stewardship Chair, Our Savior, Austin; Chair, Stewardship Board, Crown of Life, San Antonio and Holy Cross, College Station; District Nominating Committee; Past Executive Director, Lutheran Foundation of Texas

DISTRICT SECRETARY - three year term of office

Pastor: Vote fore one (1)

REV. JOHN DAVENPORT, (MDIV) SENIOR PASTOR, ZION, WALBURG; AGE 55

Pastor*, Texas District Secretary 2003-Present; Assistant District Secretary (1997-2003); Professional Church Workers Planning Committee (2000-2001); Texas District Floor Committee (Administration) 2000; Mission Task Force (Percept) 1999; Ministerial Recruit Think Tank (1999)

REV. SCOTT HERBERT, (MDIV) PASTOR, TREE OF LIFE, GARLAND; AGE 49

Pastor*, LWML Pastoral Representative, Amarillo, TX; LWML Pastoral Representative, Steamboat Springs, CO