

LUTHERAN CONCERNS ASSOCIATION ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Monday, January 15, 2024

"Do not be conformed to this world." Romans 12:2 (NKJV)

The Conference will be held on Monday, January 15, 2024, on the Concordia Theological Seminary campus at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Dine with the Speakers and the LCA Board of Directors! On Sunday evening, January 14, at 5:30 pm the Dining Hall Mezzanine will be reserved for a private dinner for LCA Conference attendees. Be sure to reserve your place right away on the form below. LCA Dinners afford attendees the opportunity to relax and enjoy fellowship with other participants at the Conference. The Sunday night dinner will consist of Beef Tenderloin and Chicken Marsala served buffet style with salad, vegetable, potato, dessert, and beverage. A cafeteria lunch is included for full-day attendees. Half-day attendees may attend the cafeteria lunch by remitting \$10, as noted on the registration form below.

Monday night, January 15, a special Seminary Dinner to honor the late Walter C. Dissen will be held. Details are forthcoming.

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

MORNING SESSION:

06:45 am: Registration Opens

07:30 am – 07:40 am: **LCA Opening Devotion**

The Rev. Dr. William Weinrich

07:40 am – 07:50 am: **Welcome from the LCA** (Mr. Mark Franke) **and Greetings from the Indiana District**

07:50 am – 08:35 am: **The Concordia University System: Opportunities and Challenges**

The Rev. Dr. Dean Wenhe

08:35 am – 08:50 am: Questions and Answers

08:50 am – 09:35 am: **Luther Classical College: Why Now?**

The Rev. Dr. Christian Preus

09:35 am – 09:50 am: Questions and Answers

09:50 am – 11:15 am: **Break for Chapel Service/Coffee with CTSFW Students & Faculty**

11:15 am – 12:00 pm: **Evangelism in the LCMS**

The Rev. Dr. Ken Schurb

12:00 pm – 12:15 pm: Questions and Answers

12:15 pm – 01:30 pm: ***** LUNCH *****

AFTERNOON SESSION:

01:30 pm – 02:15 pm: **Demographic Challenges and Faithful Responses for Lutheran Congregations**

The Rev. Heath Curtis

02:15 pm – 02:30 pm: Questions and Answers

02:30 pm – 03:15 pm: **Recruiting Pastors and the Set Apart to Serve Program**

The Rev. Dr. James Banek

03:15 pm – 03:30 pm: Questions and Answers

03:30 pm – 03:45 pm: ***** BREAK *****

03:45 pm – 04:25 pm: **Panel Discussion** (All Speakers)

04:25 pm – 04:30 pm: **Closing Remarks**

04:45 pm – 5:45 pm: **Annual LCA Meeting** – for LCA Members

06:00 pm: **Seminary Dinner to honor Walter C. Dissen**
Details to be announced

08:00 pm: **LCA Board Meeting**

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2024 LCA Conference Registration Form

Concordia Theological Seminary – Fort Wayne, Indiana

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Annual LCA Membership Fee (\$60) enclosed _____

Paid LCA Member Conference registration fee (\$110) encl. _____

Paid LCA Member half-day registration fee (\$44) encl. _____

Non-Member Conference registration fee (\$120) encl. _____

Non-Member half-day registration fee (\$49) encl. _____

Seminary Students & Personnel registration fees waived _____

Cafeteria lunch for half-day attendees if desired (\$10) encl. _____

Dinner, Sunday, January 14, 5:30 pm (\$55) encl. _____

Total Enclosed: _____



Check box for Dinner on Sunday, January 14.

Buffet (\$55): beef tenderloin and chicken marsala (price includes tax)

Even if you pay at the door, please send in your registration form.

Please indicate any dietary restrictions. If your plans change, email jpanzigrau@comcast.net as soon as possible.

Make check payable to the Lutheran Concerns Association. Please detach this registration form and mail to The Lutheran Concerns Association, 149 Glenview Drive, New Kensington, PA 15068-4921