



MNS WEEKLY

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District Mission Statement:

Developing Missional Leaders in Congregations and Schools

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NEWS

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We are pleased to inform you that **Madden's Resort** has offered our **State Pastors' Conference** a more affordable rate for 2011: \$250.00 double occupancy and \$400 single occupancy. **Please mark your calendars for May 9-11, 2011.** If you have further suggestions for topics, presenters or any other ways in which we can improve this gathering, please contact District President Lane R. Seitz (MNS) or Don Fondow, (MNN)

75th anniversary of ordination of Rev. Fred Miller. A celebration of praise and thanksgiving will be held at **Trinity First, Minneapolis**, on **June 6 at 9:30 AM.**

A service of praise for the ordination of Aaron Gehrke. Monday, June 7th @ 7 P.M. at **South Shore Trinity Lutheran Church in White Bear Lake.** LCMS clergy are invited to participate in the laying on of hands (robes & red stoles). Aaron received a call as Associate Pastor at Sts. Peter and Paul Lutheran, Houghton, MI.

The **MNS LWML** invites all pastors to the Verizon Center, One Civic Center Plaza, Mankato, on Saturday, June 26 to attend this special day of their convention with **Rev. Nabil S. Nour** of Armour, SD. presenting **two Bible study sessions on Islam.** Please email Darlene Fretham (immanuel@lakedalelink.net) by June 18 to pre-register.

NETWORKING

Networking Resources with Congregations (as of 05/27)

HELP! Do you know of someone interested in doing **video production** for district seminars? Please send name and contact info to debra.connolly@mnsdistrict.org

HELP WANTED. Mt. Hope, Bloomington. **Part-time Childcare teacher.** (Rule 3 qualified) Call Pastor Dan 952-888-5059 or Nancy Mueller 952-888-1303

Applications being taken: Immanuel Lutheran, Prior Lake is in need of a **part-time church secretary**, 20-25 hours per week. **Applications due by June 25th.** 952-492-6010 or email Pastor Parrish at pastorp@immanuel-fishlake.org.

NEEDED: Hymnal Supplement 98, Good Shepherd, North Mankato. 507-388-4336

ORGANIST SOUGHT. Sundays and festival seasons. Holy Emmanuel Lutheran, Bloomington. Contact Rick Marko, 952-896-0017, rickmarko@holyemmanuel.org.

Mr. McFeely of Mister Rogers' Neighborhood is coming to Rochester. **Weds., June 16th, 6:00 – 8:00 PM, Christ Lutheran Church, 2904 20th St. SE.** The event is free and open to the public. For more information contact Rev. Scott Schilbe, 507-289-0271

Prince of Peace Deaf, Arden Hills, is seeking a new Metro location with a small chapel and maybe a small room for storage. **Space is needed by June 6th.** Churches who might consider meeting this need are asked to contact Daryl Gehlbach 612-386-4824.

The LCMS will be holding a national **24/7 Convention Prayer Vigil** during the week of the Synod Convention. [Please click here](#) for more information, or go directly to <http://www.lcms.org/prayervigil> to sign up as a participant.

The Practice of Preaching, a "preacher's retreat", is being offered by the Office of Continuing Education at **Concordia Seminary, St. Louis.** It will be hosted at **St. John, Austin** on **August 2-4.** [Please click here](#) for more information.

"Autism Workshop: God's People Are Differently Abled" June 19, 2010, St. Croix Lutheran high School, 1200 Oakdale Avenue, West St. Paul.

The **2010 National LCMS Children's Ministry Workshop, "InsideOUT"** will be held August 12-13 in Wausau, WI. [Please click here](#) for more information.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Camp Omega Open House Event, Saturday, June 5th. This is a **free event** for people of all ages! RSVP is preferred, but not required. Contact the camp office at (507) 685-4266 or info@campomega.org. Check out the Camp Omega link listed below for more info.

[Camp Omega Events](#)

[District Calendar](#)...of upcoming events and meetings

MISSION NEWS

The new **Mission Prayer List for June 2010** has been published on the District website. [Please click here](#) to read and pray over these people and ministries listed.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Please join us this week in praying for the congregations of the Sherburn circuit. [Please click here](#) for maps of the District and all Circuits.

Prayers for 3 People...May we all pray for three people in our lives that we know need to be connected to Jesus. Free **Pray For Three Bookmarks** are available by contacting debra.connolly@mnsdistrict.org See the bookmark at the end of this e-news.

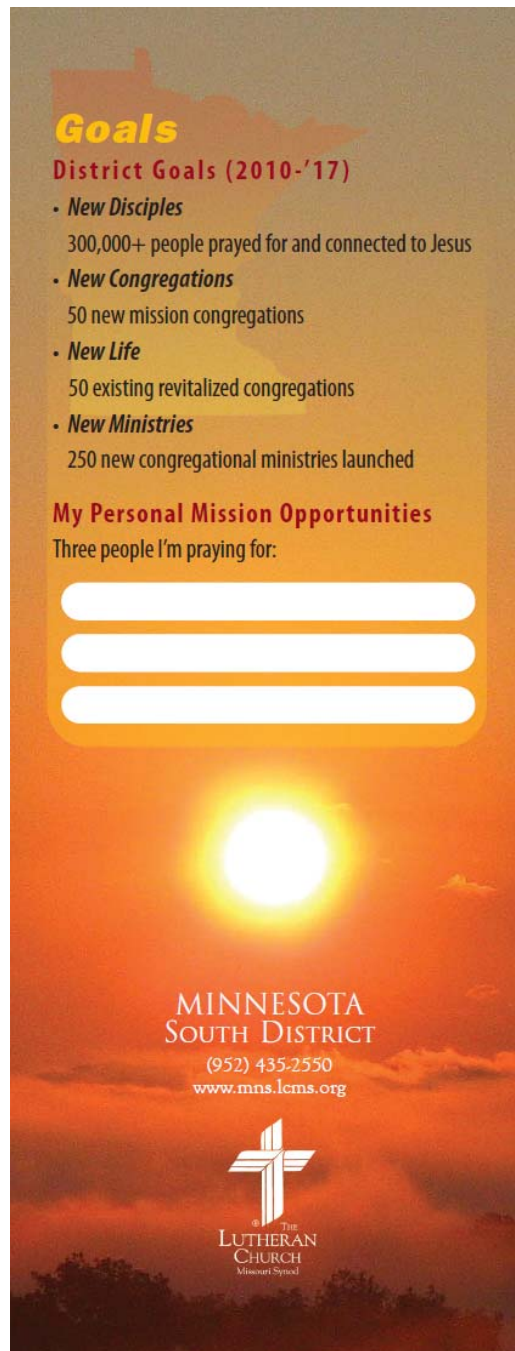
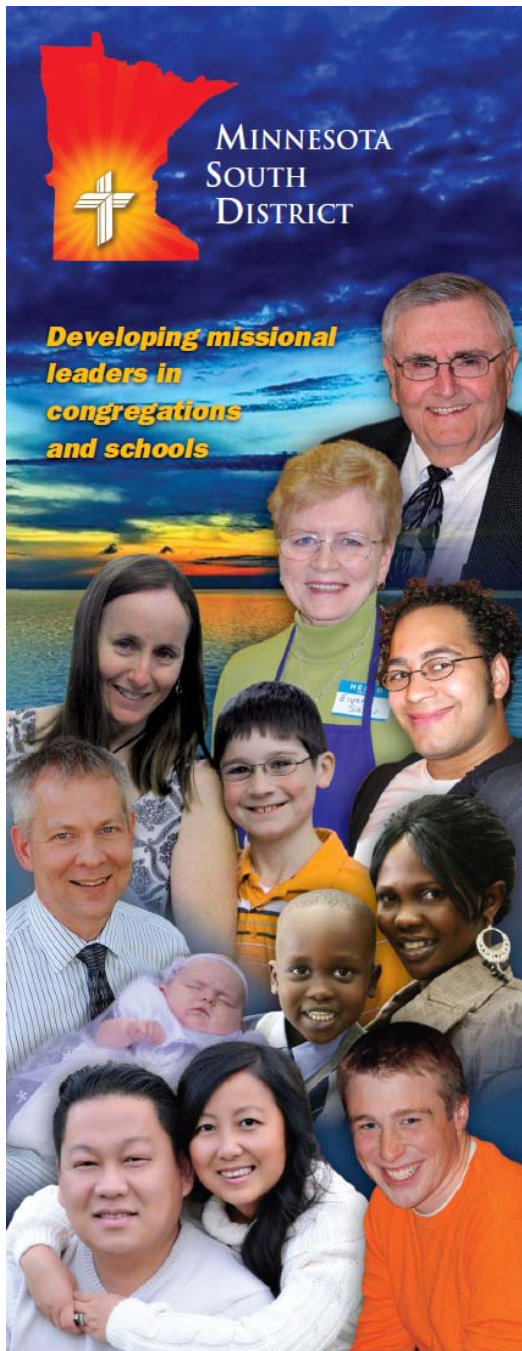
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[Ordained Ministers](#) (as of 05/27)

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