

Official Notice: 2018 Convention Call for Nominations

The Nominations Committee for the 2018 District Convention will supply candidates for the following offices, boards, and committees of the Iowa District East:

Secretary of District (3 yr. term)*

Treasurer of District (3 yr. term)*

Board of Directors

- One Commissioned Minister (6 yr. term)*
- One Layperson (6 yr. term)*

Synod Committee for Convention Nominations

- One Professional Church Worker (PCW)
- One Alternate PCW

Constitutional Review Committee

- One Ordained Minister (6 yr. term)*

District Nominations Committee

- Two Ordained Ministers (3 yr. terms)
- Two Laypersons (3 yr. terms)
- One Commissioned Minister (3 yr. term)

* indicates incumbent is eligible for reelection

The Nominations Committee invites suggestions for nominees from the Circuit Counselors, pastors, teachers, laypersons, circuit forums and congregations of the District. This Official Notice is an invitation to all in the Iowa District East of The Lutheran Church Missouri Synod to make their nominations at this time. You are asked to use the form "Recommendation for Nomination" which accompanies this notice. Please reproduce this form as needed. The deadline for these recommendations is January 31, 2018 and the recommendations should be sent to Christina White at the District Office either by email – christina@lcmiside.com - or by the address below:

Christina White – Nominations Committee
1100 BLAIRS FERRY ROAD
MARION IA 52302-3093

The Nominations Committee is comprised of the following members:

Rev. Stephen Preus, Chairman; Rev. Kris Kincaid; Mr. Carl Eggers; Mr. Kurt Flathers;
Mr. Andy Armbecht; Rev. Gary Sears, Advisor

Information on Positions

- Secretary of District - (one ordained minister to be elected, 3 year term) The Secretary of the District records the proceedings of the District Convention and the District Program conferences; serves as secretary of the Board of Directors, prepares and signs official papers and documents of the District; and prepares and arranges for the publication of the District Convention Proceedings.
- Treasurer of District - (one person to be elected, 3 year term) The District Treasurer is custodian of all monies and all financial documents of the District; is responsible for an exact record of all monies received and expended; administers District's financial affairs according to its instructions; interprets financial activity and position of all funds to the Board of Directors; and carries out other duties as outlined in the Bylaws of the District.
- Board of Directors - (one commissioned minister and one layperson are to be elected, 6 year terms). Board members are vested with the general management and supervision of the District's business affairs; are the legal representative of the District and the custodian of the District's property; have charge of all District finances; and carry out other duties as outlined in the Bylaws of the District.
- Board for Constitutional Review - (one ordained minister elected, 6 yr. terms). Members of the Board for Constitutional Review shall review all new and revised congregational constitutions.
- District Nominations Committee - (two ordained ministers, two laypersons, and one commissioned minister to be elected, 3 year terms). The Nominations Committee nominates candidates for positions to be filled at the next District Convention. Members of this committee may not be re-elected.
- Synod Committee for Convention Nominations – (one professional church worker, and one professional church worker alternate to be elected) The Committee for Convention Nominations meets at the call of the Synod Secretary to provide nominations for Synod positions other than the Presidium as guided by Synod Handbook section 3.12.3.

Reminder: Nominations for District President and Vice-Presidents are returned to Rev. Mark Brase, District Secretary. All other nominations are returned to Christina White at the District Office. All nominations are due by January 31, 2018 but please send in as soon as ready. Please submit the proper - and signed - forms for these nominations.



Recommendation for Nomination

Offices, Boards and Committees - Iowa District East

My recommendation for _____ Secretary _____ Treasurer _____ Board of Directors
(select one) _____ Board for Constitutional Review _____ Nominations Committee
_____ Synod Committee for Convention Nominations

This nominee is a _____ Layperson _____ Ordained Minister _____ Commissioned Minister

Information on Nominee

Please provide as much of the following information as possible.

Name _____

Address _____

(Street, Box)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

Age _____ Occupation _____ Cell phone (____) _____ - _____

Phone (____) _____ - _____ Email _____

Congregation, City _____

Pastor's Name _____

Has this individual consented to your nomination? _____
(Must have their permission) Yes No

Qualifications

Briefly explain why you believe this individual would serve well in the position for which you have nominated him/her.

Feel free to provide further information on the back of this Nomination Form.

Your Information

Name _____

Address _____

(Street, Box)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

Cell phone (____) _____ - _____ Phone (____) _____ - _____

Email _____

Your Signature

Please return as soon as possible but no later than January 31, 2018 to Christina White by email
christina@lcmiside.org or by mail: Christina White - NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE
1100 BLAIRS FERRY ROAD MARION IA 52302-3093

