

# Celebrations and Transitions

## Anniversary of Ordination for Rostered Clergy

### 10 Years

Pastor Corinne Blissard  
September 30, 2006  
Pastor Karen McNeill-Utecht  
December 16, 2006  
Pastor Linda Murray  
July 22, 2006  
Pastor Jared Parker  
July 1, 2006

### 15 Years

Pastor Clarence "Ed" Hudelson  
August 26, 2001  
Pastor Heather MacIver Arnold  
December 22, 2001  
Pastor Amy Zietlow  
August 5, 2001

### 20 Years

Pastor Terry Edwards  
September 8, 1996  
Pastor Robert Rasmus  
July 21, 1996

### 25 Years

Pastor Thomas Krieger  
June 30, 1991

### 30 Years

Pastor Christopher Hale  
August 3, 1986  
Pastor Joy Miller  
June 20, 1986  
Pastor James Mutayoba  
December 14, 1986  
Pastor Daniel Stalker  
August 24, 1986  
Pastor Richard Wehrs  
November 9, 1986

### 35 Years

Pastor Stephen Barnes  
June 14, 1981  
Pastor John Bates  
December 6, 1981  
Pastor Paul Park  
June 14, 1981  
Bishop S. John Roth  
October 11, 1981  
Pastor O. Wayne Shelksohn  
June 7, 1981

### 40 Years

Pastor Jonathon Berg  
August 8, 1976  
Pastor Marlin Otte  
August 8, 1976  
Pastor Kenneth Sandlin  
September 12, 1976

### 45 Years

Pastor Raymond Bowers  
June 20, 1971  
Pastor Paul Olson  
June 14, 1971  
Pastor Daniel Tuhy  
June 13, 1971  
Pastor Leland Uden  
June 13, 1971  
Pastor Knight Wells  
June 27, 1971

### 50 Years

Pastor Ralph Klein  
September 4, 1966  
Pastor Ronald Moorman  
June 4, 1966  
Pastor Dennis Scoville  
July 3, 1966

### 55 Years

Pastor Guy Warke  
July 23, 1961

### 60 Years

Pastor Richard Brendel  
August 19, 1956

### 70 Years

Pastor Francis Johnson  
June 16, 1946

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## Anniversary of Consecration

Diaconal Ministry

-none-

## Anniversary of Commissioning

Associate in Ministry

10 Years

Ms. Jill Goldhammer  
April 23, 2006

## Roster Changes Effective...June 1, 2015—May 31, 2016

### Celebration of Ordinations

Pastor Corey Lange  
May 23, 2015

Pastor Maggie Falenschek  
May 24, 2015

Pastor Nikoli Falenschek  
June 10, 2015

### Celebration of Consecration

Diaconal Minister  
-none-

### Celebration of Commission

Associate in Ministry  
-none-

### Celebration of Retirement

Pastor Jonathon Berg  
Pastor Connie Frase  
Pastor James Lillie  
Pastor Maureen Stein  
Pastor Glen VanderKloot  
Pastor William Zanton

### Resignations from Roster

Timothy Hubert  
Philip Witkop

### Assigned to Central/Southern Illinois Synod

Candidate Paul Waterman

### On Leave From Call Status

Pastor David Bruner	Pastor Jan Worms
Pastor Robert Kinas	
Pastor Steven Mall	Mr. Terry Moore, DM
Pastor Wendy Popp	Ms. Judith Coiner, AiM

### Transfer Received From Another Synod

Pastor John Ashcraft	Central/States Synod
Pastor Joy Miller	Northwestern Ohio Synod
Pastor Patricia Reep	Central States Synod
Pastor John Sipf	Nebraska Synod
Pastor Amy Thoren	Minneapolis Area Synod
Pastor Richard Wehrs	Southwestern Minnesota Synod

### Transferred To Another Synod

Pastor Mary Armstrong-Reiner	Southeastern Synod
Pastor William Callister	Northern Illinois Synod
Pastor Kathryn Montira	Nebraska Synod
Pastor Scott Olbert	Southwestern Pennsylvania Synod
Pastor William Zanton	South-Central Synod of Wisconsin



### Congregation Celebrations

50 Years	Advent Lutheran Church, Morton, Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, Mt. Vernon
125 Years	St. John Lutheran Church, Toluca St. Matthew Evangelical Lutheran Church, Fillmore
150 Years	St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, Altamont
175 Years	Grace Lutheran Church, Springfield

### Congregational Consolidation

Springfield, IL congregations...Atonement Lutheran Church, Faith Lutheran Church, and Luther Memorial Lutheran Church consolidated together to form Peace Lutheran Church, Springfield

### Congregation Closures

St. Mark Lutheran Church, Nokomis, IL

### Congregation Withdrawals

-none-

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### Necrology

#### *The Reverend Dr. John W. Constable*

March 20, 1922 - April 10, 2016



Rev. Dr. John W Constable, 94, of Swansea, Ill., born March 20, 1922, in Baltimore, Maryland, died Sunday, April 10, 2016 at the St. Paul's Home where he resided.

Dr. Constable earned a B.A. and diploma at Concordia Seminary (St. Louis, MO), an M.A. at State University of Iowa, and a Ph.D. from Ohio State University. He served as a church planter, a campus minister, and a parish pastor, before becoming a seminary professor. Dr. Constable taught at Concordia Seminary (St. Louis), at Christ Seminary-Seminex (St. Louis), and for Wartburg Seminary at the Lutheran Seminary Program in the Southwest (Austin, TX). He is listed at Wartburg Seminary as Christ Seminary-Seminex Professor of Historical Theology, Emeritus. Dr. Constable's 65<sup>th</sup> anniversary of ordination was recognized at the 2014 Central/Southern Illinois Synod Assembly.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 57 years, Anna (nee Saggau), Constable; two daughters, Kathryn (George) Ahrens and Patricia Constable; and a son, James Constable. Surviving are a daughter, Barbara Schaper of Leesburg, Fla.; a son, Joel Constable of Austin, Texas; three grandchildren, Andrew Schaper of Australia, Anna (George) Wells of Illinois, and George Ahrens of Kansas City, MO; four great-grandchildren; and his life-partner, Delores "Dee" Corbett of Swansea, IL.