



July 30, 2023

Dear Friends in Christ,

The Missouri District of the Lutheran Laymen's League invites you to join us for our 80th District Convention to be held on Saturday, October 21 at St. Matthew Lutheran Church, 700 NE Chipman Road, Lee's Summit, MO 64063. We are pleased to announce that this year the Lutheran Hour Speaker, Rev. Dr. Michael Ziegler, will join us as we gather for our convention. We have also invited Daniel Andriajanaka to join us. He is Director of LHM-Madagascar and is planning to be in the United States during the time of our convention.

Our convention meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. with registration and coffee. District LLL Pastoral Advisor, Rev. Roger Abernathy, will lead a devotion at 9:30 a.m. A short business meeting of the Missouri District LLL will follow.

At 10:45 a.m. Rev. Dr. Michael Ziegler, Speaker of the Lutheran Hour, will join us for a presentation entitled "Gifted for More." Our afternoon session will consist of an update from LHM and a Q&A session with Rev. Dr. Ziegler, and a presentation by Daniel Andriajanaka. We plan to finish our meeting no later than 2:30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Ziegler is also scheduled to preach at St. Matthew Lutheran Church on Saturday evening at 5:00 p.m. and again on Sunday morning at 8:30 and 10:45 a.m.

There is a \$15 charge for registration for our convention. A boxed luncheon and refreshments are included with your convention registration. We ask that you fill out a registration form for the convention to let us know how many people will be attending so we can plan for lunch and refreshments, printed materials, and seating.

We have made arrangements for a limited number of rooms at a local hotel (The Best Western Plus in Lee's Summit) for guests who would like to arrive on Friday evening. Cost for the hotel is \$135 plus local lodging fees. **Please notify Brian Mitchell by either phone or email before September 27 if you would like to have a room reserved for Friday evening, October 20 and/or for Saturday, October 21. Please specify your preference for either a king-size bed or two double beds.** (See contact information at the bottom of this letter.)

We hope you will plan to join us on October 21 for a day of fellowship and to learn more about the many ministry programs of Lutheran Hour Ministries. Thank you for your continuing support of Lutheran Hour Ministries!

In His service,

Brian Mitchell  
Missouri District LLL Convention Committee