



2021 Staff Ministry Conference

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, New Ulm, MN

Thursday, April 22

3:00 – 8:00 pm	Arrival in New Ulm; Check in to Hotel	
8:00 - 11:00 pm	Fellowship with Pizza and Refreshments	Best Western Hotel, New Ulm

Friday, April 23

	Breakfast on your own	Available at hotels
8:00 – 8:30 am	Conference Check-in	St. Paul's Fellowship Hall (SPFH)
8:30 – 9:30 am	Opening Worship	St. Paul's Sanctuary
9:30 – 9:45 am	Welcome/Opening Announcements	St. Paul's Sanctuary
9:45 - 10:00 am	Break	SPFH
10:00 - 11:00 am	Bible Study, Professor Keith Wessel, MLC	SPFH
11:00 - 11:15am	Break	
11:15 – 12:30 pm	Keynote Address Part 1 - Mike Westendorf - Understanding the Journey of Emerging Adults	SPFH
12:30 – 1:45 pm	Catered Lunch from Lola's	SPFH
1:45 - 2:00 pm	Devotion by Staff Minister Student	SPFH
2:00 - 3:30 pm	Keynote Address Part 2 - Mike Westendorf - Strategies for Ministering to Millennials	SPFH
3:30 – 3:50 pm	Group Photo/Break	Outside Steps of St. Paul's
3:50 – 4:00 pm	Staff Ministry Update, Dr. Lawrence Olson	SPFH
4:00 – 4:15 pm	Conference of Presidents Update, District President Rev. Dennis Klatt	SPFH
4:15 – 4:30 pm	MLC Update, Mr. Steve Balza	SPFH
4:30-4:45 pm	Mission Journeys Presentation - Shannon Bohme	SPFH
4:45 – 5:15pm	Ministry Opportunity Sharing #1	SPFH
5:15 – 5:30 pm	Friday Closing Devotion by Staff Ministry Student	SPFH
6:00 - 8:00 pm	Dinner at Local Restaurant of Choice	Be Sure to Get Your Chamber Gift Certificate
8:00 and Beyond	Bowling and Refreshments	Concordia Lanes/Kegel Klub

Saturday, April 24

	Breakfast on your own	Available at hotels
9:00 – 9:15 am	Morning Devotion by Staff Ministry Student	SPFH
9:15 – 10:15 am	Pastor Rob Guenther Presentation	SPFH
10:15 – 10:30 am	Break	
10:30 – 11:30 am	Business Meeting	SPFH
11:30 - 11:45 am	Break	
11:45 - 12:15 pm	Ministry Opportunity Sharing #2	SPFH
12:15 – 12:30 pm	Passing of the Gavel; Closing Announcements	SPFH
12:30 - 12:45 pm	Closing Devotion by Staff Ministry Student	SPFH
12:45 - 2:00 pm	Jimmy John's Catered Lunch	SPFH or Take It To Go!