

Board of Deacons 2009 Annual Report

2008 witnessed many exciting events in the life of Lutheran Church of The Master. The Board of Deacons consisted of the following: Six Members from the Executive Board and 12 members from the Council and four members from the Pastoral Staff.

The 2009 Ministry Teams are as follows:

1. President – Chris Hoyme
2. Vice President – Larry Beldin
3. Secretary – Doug Hughes
4. Treasurer – Vel Magnuson
5. Chairman Board of Trustees – John White
6. Chairman Board of Deacons – Denny Scheer

Benevolence Team – Jim Jones

Children & Family Team – Brian Collins and Terry Johnson

Communications Support Team – Denny Scheer

Discipleship Team – Todd Cutler & Ted Streckfuss

Outreach Team – Jennifer Hoff & Matt Artz

Worship Team – Kathie Mattox & Laurie Zadow

Youth and Family Team – Alan Baldwin & Paul Bretsen

Pastors – Kip Tyler, George Megard & April Dietz; pastoral intern John Lewis

The reports of these teams are found elsewhere in the annual report.

God has richly blessed LCM with the work and dedication of these 18 officers and team leaders, along with our Pastors.

Items noteworthy during the 2008 Deacons calendar year;

1. LCM Alleluia! Preschool program at both campuses, doubled enrollment
2. Healing services during Advent and Lent seasons
3. Summerfest and Winterfest Outreach Team activities
4. Name Tag Event with Connection Forms and Roaming Greeters developed and implemented by the Discipleship Team
5. New Member classes continue to grow
6. Small Groups and Foyer Dinner Groups continue to grow.

Also:

7. Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ Gathering in Fargo, N.D., doubled in attendance
8. Heartland District continues to address issues of other concerned congregations

Please continue to pray for the leadership of our church, pastors, Council, Trustees and Deacons as we forge on into the future. May God grant us wisdom and knowledge as we plan for expansion of programs in our dual-site facilities. Only with congregational support and strong team members in each area, can the Great Commission be fulfilled (Matthew 28:19).

Respectfully submitted,

Denny Scheer,

Board of Deacons 2009 Chairman