



Proposed Agenda

Wednesday, August 10, 2016

- 1:30 pm NALC Mission Festival begins with **Service of the Word**, Bishop John Bradosky preaching on the theme, *"Faith is Made Whole in Community"*
- 2:15 pm Mission Festival Session I
- 5:00 pm End of Session I
- 5:30 pm Dinner (included)
- 7:30 pm Mission District Gatherings
- 9:00 pm End of Mission District Gatherings

Thursday, August 11, 2016

- 8:00 am **Devotion** led by Steve Bell
- 8:30 am Mission Festival Session II
- 11:00 am End of Session II
- 11:30 am Lunch (included)
- 1:30 pm **Festival Eucharist** and opening of Convocation — *"Holy God, Holy Lives"*

- 3:00 pm Convocation Session I
 Call to order
 Adoption of Rules of Procedure
 Approval of Agenda
 Introduction of Lutheran Week Planning Team
 Introduction of Reference and Counsel
 Introduction of Staff
 Report of Nominations Committee: Court of Adjudication, Board of Regents and Executive Council elections; Canada Section elections
 First Ballot
 Report on Lutheran Benefits Plan
 Introduction of Ecumenical and Inter-Lutheran Guests
- 4:15 pm Keynote I: Malcolm Guite: *CS Lewis: "Friendship and Holiness"*
- 5:00 pm Session I (continued)
"Unholiness": Pr. Phil Gagnon
 Recognition of Military Chaplains and Personnel and their families
 Recognition of Chaplains serving in other contexts
 Introduction of Seminarians
 NALS Greeting — President and Chair of Board of Regents
 Introduction of Newly Ordained Pastors
 Recognitions of Ordination Anniversaries
 Congregational Anniversaries
 Report of First Ballot
 Second Ballot (if needed)
- 6:00 pm Dinner on your own; free evening

Friday, August 12, 2016

- 6:00 am Dean's Breakfast
- 8:00 am **Devotion** led by Steve Bell
- 8:15 am Bible Study: Dr. Jim Nestingen

- 9:00 am Convocation Session II
 Discipleship Cluster Reflection Video
 Ecumenical and Inter-Lutheran Guests greetings
 Bishop's Report
 Treasurer's Report
 2017 Budget Proposal
 Report of Stewardship Task Force
 "Holy Families" report
 Report of Second Ballot
 Third Ballot (if needed)
 Report of the Committee on Reference and Counsel
 Resolutions
- 10:15am Break
- 10:30 am Session II (continued)
- 11:15 am Keynote Session II: Malcolm Guite and Steve Bell: *A Poetic and Musical Reflection on the Theme, "Holy God, Holy Lives"*
- 12:15 pm Workshops/Box Lunch (included)
- 1:30 pm Convocation Session III
 Report of Third Ballot (if needed)
 Life-to-Life Discipleship Presentation
 Lutheran World Relief
 NALC Disaster Response
 Missions Report
 Missionaries
 Partner Ministries
 Vision and Goals for 2017
 Water Mission
 Announcement of 2017 Pastors Conference
 Announcement of 2017 Canadian Rockies Theological Conference
 Announcement of 500th Anniversary of Reformation Celebration
 Announcement of Location for 2017 Convocation
- 4:30 pm Installation of elected officers and close of Convocation