

Michigan District of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod Electronic News Privacy Policy

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The Michigan District of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod respects and protects the privacy and confidence of our constituents. With this relationship in mind, we have established a general privacy policy for news and information provided through our electronic news avenues (including the *Michigan Minute* / weekly e-bulletin, special news releases and events announcements).

Online (Web) Communication

The Michigan District sends weekly e-bulletins to its constituents. The Michigan District will periodically send out additional e-mail announcements regarding district conferences, workshops, sponsored events and general news items.

Additional specialized subscription lists may be made available in the future.

Subscribe / Unsubscribe

Individuals may subscribe and unsubscribe to the mailing lists described above at any time.

Minister of Religion—ordained and commissioned

Michigan District LCMS ministers of religion—ordained and ministers of religion—commissioned, by default, are placed onto our e-mail distribution list. While members of this constituency may unsubscribe from e-mail communications at any time, it is recommended that they remain subscribed to the e-mail communications as it is the most effective way for them to be provided with district news and events.

Because of the rights and responsibilities vested in being members of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, ministers of religion—ordained and commissioned will, from time to time, be sent special electronic communications (including, but not limited to, convention announcements and other items mandated to be shared with all members of the District/Synod) regardless of their subscription status to regular news and event communications.

Outside use of the mailing lists

As “Synod in this Place”, the Michigan District may coordinate mailings and/or lists with The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod and its agencies. The Michigan District does not sell, rent, or share its e-mail mailing lists with any other organization, including congregations, vendors, and recognized service organizations.

Updates

This policy may be updated from time to time by the Michigan District.