

# The LLL/LHM Reporter

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**SENT**  
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"JESUS SAID TO THEM AGAIN, PEACE BE WITH YOU.  
AS THE FATHER HAS SENT ME, EVEN SO I AM SENDING YOU." JOHN 20:21  
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## Calendar

August 23-LLL BOG Christ the King Salina  
November 1-2-Kansas District LLL Convention  
Great Bend

## President's Message John Johnson

### Dear Friends in Christ,

**SENT!** Last month was International Convention time in Detroit, July 24-27, under the revised guidelines. The voting is conducted through a mail in ballot or on the internet; so we had reports and workshops dealing with the theme "Sent" John 20-21, business of previous conventions is conducted by the balloting and the board.

I'm sure every attendee learned much about being "Sent" from various well informed presenters. The information presented will be posted to the website at [www.lhm.org/conference/default.asp](http://www.lhm.org/conference/default.asp), scroll down to download videos and presentations. Currently the 2011 and 2013 Downloadable Resources are available from all the ROC conferences of those years at [lhm.org/roc/](http://lhm.org/roc/).

The presenters indicate a sense of immediacy, and excitement existing among the laity about sharing the Gospel and as their gifts manifesting themselves. I know change can be slow but the attitude most common in congregations is "staff" does that. Ephesians 4 tells us the job of "staff" is equipping the saints to do ministry. Dr. Kurt Senske in his book "**The Calling: Live a Life of Significance**" lists eight strategies to achieve a life of significance, the number one strategy is **Make God the Center of Your Life**.

In a God centered life you are **Sent!** Now do it! God's Blessings, John



"JESUS SAID TO THEM AGAIN, 'PEACE BE WITH YOU. AS THE FATHER HAS SENT ME, EVEN SO I AM SENDING YOU.'" JOHN 20:21 ESV

**Lutheran Hour Ministries'** biennial Outreach Conference energetically empowers Christians,

in particular LCMS members and workers, to engage in a lifestyle of living out, and speaking out, the Gospel of Jesus. The conference is a gathering of people that desire to see the Gospel shared in their communities and around the world, and be witness to the Holy Spirit breathing new life into the lost. It's a venue where church workers and laity, who have the desire to see their congregations grow, can come learn, network and worship together. It will create a momentum and a passion amongst attendees for evangelism in their communities and support evangelism efforts around the world.

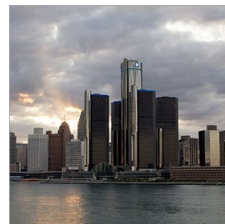


"There's no such thing as an unsent Christian. You have already been **SENT**." - Alan Hirsch

"The church is in crisis here in the western world," said Alan Hirsch, a renowned **mission** expert who currently serves as the director of FORGE Mission Training Network.

"Thinking about the church and witnessing has changed. The church no longer has the right to address society the way it used to. We face significant cultural barriers to meaningful communication of the Gospel."

Hirsch shared the results of a recent study that asked for people's opinions on God, Jesus, spirituality, and the church. Response was overwhelmingly positive towards God, Jesus, and spirituality, but the church scored very low. "We must change the church because our message is not being delivered," he said. "This leads to the missional church, where our **job** is to represent the ministry of Jesus in the world by constantly adapting to different environments."



## The Kansas District Project

Praise the Lord! By adding a little carry over we met our goal of \$33,000. That allowed us to provide \$25,000 in financial aid to Kansas students attending a synodical school of higher education and becoming a full time church worker upon graduation.

For God so Loved... Convention Center

## “Faith-Sharing Tools” for Those Who are Sent

"Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you as the Father has sent Me, even so I am sending You'" John 20:21.

By God’s inspiration, the Apostle Paul wrote, “for when we were God’s enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son.” (Romans 5:10) Now, we who have received the forgiveness of Christ are SENT to bring Christ to the Nations and the Nations to the Church! Our loving Lord graciously gives us – who have personally experienced it ourselves – the ministry of reconciliation. What a delight it is for each of us in the Lutheran Laymen League to tell others “that God was reconciling the world to Himself in Christ, not counting [people’s] sins against them.” (2 Corinthians 5:19) **We** are SENT therefore to be “Christ’s ambassadors, as though God were making His appeal through us”! (2 Corinthians 5: 20)

As His “SENT Ones,” it is our desire to be well equipped and prepared to lovingly share the precious Word of God whenever He opens the doors of witness opportunity.

Have you ever thought about using a “faith-sharing tool” to help in your own gospel proclamation? Using a “faith-sharing tool” may help your listener pay attention, focus on, and remember the life-giving message you share. These “tools” also give hearers an opportunity to use more than one sense with which to “connect” to the gospel message.

One of my favorite faith-sharing tools is a very helpful, bright, multi-colored silicone bracelet which comes with a laminated card for an easy way to share the Gospel. By following the colors around the bracelet and the witness word stamped within each color, you can present God’s Word from “sin to salvation and eternal life.” Both the bracelet and the card can then be given as a gift to the person with whom the gospel is shared. These wonderful bracelets (in English or Spanish) can be ordered for a minimal price(.99 each) either online at [www.ctainc.com](http://www.ctainc.com) or by calling toll-free to 1-888-285-3598.

Another very helpful tool is the pocket cross. This little pocket cross is a reminder of what it means to be a Christian. The cross could then be given to the person who is the recipient of the gospel message. These inexpensive “reminders of the Christian faith” are available online from a variety of companies including Agora. Lutheran Hour Ministries has many outreach tools, many of them free.

Celebrate that God is inviting and SENDING you to share Christ. With whom will you share your faith this week? When? How? With God’s help, be expectant! Be creative!

Please, be sure to join along with other “broken and restored ambassadors of reconciliation” in learning how to share the love of God in Christ with those you meet in your “everyday life.”

May God grant you the opportunity to share your faith, and in turn, give your hearer a small gift which will help them to remember the faith you’ve shared!

“Thank You” to each and every one of you for your partnership in winsomely and joyfully sharing Jesus and for lovingly encouraging others to willingly join us as messengers of reconciliation! Go with confidence and JOY because you are SENT!

In His service and Yours, Rev. Scott Snow

LLL Kansas District Pastoral Advisor

**Our Mission**  
**“Bringing Christ to the Nations—and**  
**the Nations to the Church”**  
**Our Vision Statement**  
**“All nations. All peoples. All in Christ”**  
**Our Identity**  
**People of Christ with the Message of Hope**

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## From the Regions

### Region 1 Zone 6: Faith Topeka, Martin Albrecht—

This is the second year for Faith Lutheran's MOST ("Men of Service and Truth") to participate in LHM's workday. We spent most of that Saturday morning sprucing up the exterior of the church by raking leaves,



cleaning drains, washing windows, and trimming shrubs. We look forward to this annual event and the chance to receive LHM

hats which we wear year around on our other service projects. MOST is a men's service organization that meets the second Saturday of each month for breakfast and devotions before heading out in teams of five or six men to provide household maintenance and assistance to their assigned care receivers (widows and single moms). MOST is in its second year, and we have four teams of men serving approximately ten care receivers.

**Region 3: Ron Bott—** Are you going to the Kansas State Fair in Hutchinson, especially on Sunday, September 7? We are going to be there. I am talking about the Lutheran Laymen's League hosting a worship service. The service will be at the Bretz & Young Injury Lawyers Arena (years ago the Farm Bureau Arena) September 7 at 10:00 a.m. Pastor Scott Snow (Holy Cross, Wichita) will lead us in worship. A choir from Holy Cross will add to the service.

So make your plans now. Tell your friends, put this in your church bulletin, use the internet to tell everyone you know. Let's have a terrific turnout. This WILL be a wonderful start for your day at the fair.

**Zone 8: St. Lukes, Manhattan Ken McCosh—**The core group, Men's NetWork "Little Apple Peeler's" of St. Luke's – Manhattan was assisted by 11 congregation members, evening prior, in removal of trees and brush



from the yard fence of Pastor Michael and Kristina Schmidt. On April 26<sup>th</sup>, 14 workers worked on the 316 feet of wooden fence, removing concrete mountings, replacing needed boards, repairing a gate, placing

some all new fence with a new gate and installing 25 new posts. Materials were paid for by a \$250.00 Action Team grant from Thrivent Financial.

**Zone 9 Zion, Hillsboro Luke Lindsey—**The group worked on several painting projects at church and also cleaned a member's back yard. We had a small but productive group. It was a very fulfilling day - glad we participated.



Hillsboro Pictured left to right - Jesse Meier, Luke Lindsay, Jayson Hanschu and Jon Meier. The shoulder on far right above the handrail belongs to Jorge Hanschu - he must have been on an unauthorized break!

**Zone 12 Mike Tonn—**The dates for the 2014 Kansas State Fair at Hutchinson are September 5-14. The Fair booth committee welcomes any volunteers that can work in the LLL/LHM booth located in the southwest corner of the Meadowlark Building and/or provide any Portals of Prayer, Sunday School material, or any other religious material. Please contact Mike Tonn if you can volunteer or provide material at [tonn.mike@yahoo.com](mailto:tonn.mike@yahoo.com) or by phone at [620-465-3435](tel:620-465-3435) (home) or [316-640-3918](tel:316-640-3918) (cell). Blessings to all as we prepare for this great opportunity to share our faith at the 2014 Kansas State Fair.

## Financial Aid

### Concordia University, Seward

Robert Thomas	Junior	Pastor
Molly Goltl	Freshman	Teacher
Rachel Dahlke	Senior	Teacher
Joseph Kracht	Freshman	Teacher
Logan Schoessel	Freshman	DCE
Sara Langness	Senior	Teacher
Kevin Scott	Junior	Pastor
Aleandria Kolpin	Junior	Teacher
Ashley Rengstrof	Senior	Teacher
Chistian Schultz	Junior	Pastor
Maria Webb	Sophomore	Teacher
Elizabeth Stephens	Senior	DCE

### Concordia University, Wisconsin

Lauren Schoaff	Junior	Teacher
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### Concordia University, Chicago

Jonah Schultz	Sophomore	Teacher
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### Concordia University, Ann Arbor

Katelynn Twenhafel	Sophomore	DFL
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### Concordia Seminary, St. Louis

Travis Ferguson	Sem II	Pastor
Juan Benito	Sophomore	Pastor
Michael Apfel	Sem I	Pastor

### Concordia Seminary, Ft. Wayne

Sarah Schultz	Junior	Deaconess
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A total of \$25,000 was awarded. We would of awarded \$26,000 but one applicants plans changed late in the process.



Above: Rev Seltz with 11Zone Banners; Below Right Rev Seltz proclaiming the Gospel; Left Leading Adult Bible Study.



**Region 3 Zone 7 Rev Seltz**—Zone 7 Churches sponsored a Lutheran Hour Rally inviting the Reverend Gregory Seltz to attend a Saturday evening social followed by the rally Sunday morning at the Washington county high school gym. Zone 7 churches closed their doors encouraging parishioners to attend the rally, most attended.

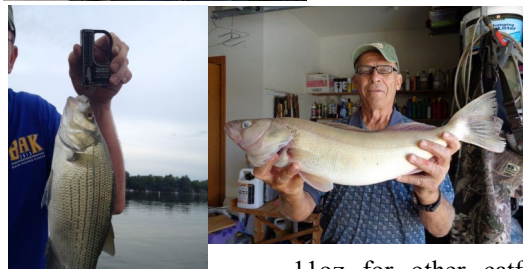
### Kansas Angler Leads Fishing Tournament

To press time, a Kansan is leading in the April 7<sup>th</sup> to Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> National Men's NetWork Fishing Tournament for the crappie division, Steve Jarchow of Kerwin with a 11lb 14oz crappie.



Weekly winners in July have been: Chuck Veatch – Manhattan 2lb 6oz walleye/sauger (pictured), a 1lb 14oz freshwater striper, 1lb 13oz crappie and a 12oz in the other catfish category.

Another winner in July, the week prior to Chucks catch, was Al Prothe – Hillsdale with a .1264oz crappie.



August weekly winners; David Savings 3lb,

11oz for other catfish from Melvern Lake and Keith Jopp for a 6lb, 0oz walleye/sauger, caught in Cheney Lake.

### Shepherd's Canyon Retreat presents....

Dave Anderson and Roger Walck at this year's Family Retreat, Camp Webster, Salina. Dave began to sing full time in Sept. 1974, now having presented over 5,500 concerts around the world. Roger

is a skilled vocalist, guitarist and worship team leader. Dave and Roger presented music that is contemporary, with gospel hymns and old-time Sunday School songs with the audience invited to sing along.

Dave tells the story of how he, his wife – Barb, and five others in 1993, survived a plane crash in the Bering Sea. A book and documentary DVD called "The Rescue" are available from Shepherd's Canyon Retreat.

Besides his music, the main focus of Dave's ministry is the Shepherd's Canyon Retreat. Seeing the need for a counseling ministry for the restoration of hurting clergy couples and other professional church workers, after much prayer and planning by lay leaders, counseling professionals and clergy, the first retreat was held March 2009 in rented facilities.



Each eight day retreat has two counselors and a retreat chaplain. All counseling is Bible based, there are twelve therapist that have over 300 hours of combined experience. The retreat board of directors consists of eleven

members with varied professional backgrounds. Dave points out that there is a need for this counseling ministry for the restoration of hurting professional church workers. Twenty percent of pastors are in "crisis", just "hanging on" coping with the issues they face day to day.

In early 2012, the ministry purchased an 8.8 acre property 15 miles west of Wickenburg, Arizona where many volunteers have helped in the development of this property. A new 8 bedroom facility, with meeting space, was occupied June 2014.

To learn more: [www.ShepherdsCanyonRetreat.org](http://www.ShepherdsCanyonRetreat.org), Phone (480) 588-8837 also [www.TheFellowship.com](http://www.TheFellowship.com). Dave's e-mail: [Dave@shepherdscanyonretreat.org](mailto:Dave@shepherdscanyonretreat.org). Dave states; "We know you care about your church workers. Please help us to help them!"

### LLL/LWML Family Retreat

Make your plans now for next falls Family Retreat everyone that attends has a great time, this years weather was great. Young people love the challenging outdoor activities, and the Worship, Bible Study & Christian fellowship leads to friendships that last a life time.

### Kansas Retreat Center Herington

The Retreat Center is available to professional church workers and lay people for relaxation and meetings. Assist your professional church workers to take a break from daily work activities to rent this facility, a couple miles S.W. of Herington. An endowment fund exists to maintain the retreat center; consider contributing to maintain this super facility.

Contact Shannon Oldham 1-800-357-4441, Ext. 202 or [shannon@kslcms.org](mailto:shannon@kslcms.org). For information go to [www.kslcms.org](http://www.kslcms.org) click [Retreat Center](http://RetreatCenter), or directly to [retreatcenter.yolasite.com](http://retreatcenter.yolasite.com).



## At Home with Jesus



Kermit C. Menzies, 71, retired Hutchinson High School science and math teacher and instructor at Hutchinson Community College, died June 7, 2014. He was born July 16, 1942, in rural Morrowville, Kansas, the son of Hubert and Lois (Bahl) Menzies. He graduated from Morrowville Rural High School in 1960 and from Emporia State University in 1964 with his BSE and in 1968 with his MSE. Kermit was a high school instructor for 32 years, 22 of those years at Hutchinson High School, before retiring in 1996. Kermit also was an employee of the Hutchinson Salt Company and then worked as a mine safety instructor for Hutchinson Community College.

He was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Lutheran Laymen's League and lifetime member of NEA and KNEA. He was also a member of Hutchinson Area Retired School Personnel Association. He was on the Mine Safety Team. Kermit loved to read, watch movies and spend time with his family.

He is survived by: his wife, Joyce Elaine (Blocker) Menzies. They were married on May 24, 1964, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Haven. They celebrated 50 years of marriage.

Other survivors include: sons, David K. (Angela) Menzies of Aurora, Colo., and Kenneth J. (Darla) Menzies of Dallas, Texas; grandsons, David C., Ethan, and Connor Menzies of Aurora, Colo.; granddaughter, Heather Boyd of Collinsville, Okla.; sisters, Roberta Hauschel (Jim) of Warsaw, Mo., Rebecca Nance (Marvin) of Queen Creek, Ariz., Ramona Derousseau (Michael) of Clay Center; and mother-in-law, Nellie Blocker of Haven.

Kermit was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Hubert Eugene and Larry Lee Menzies.

Funeral was at 11 a.m. Thursday, June 12, 2014, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Haven, with Pastor Russell Bonine officiating. Burial followed in St. Paul's Church Cemetery. Memorials may be sent to Lutheran Hour Ministries, or to St. Paul's Lutheran Church, in care of Elliott Mortuary, 1219 North Main, Hutchinson, Ks 67501.



Elmer A. Kolle, 84, of Linn, Kansas, died Friday, March 14, 2014, at the Washington County Hospital in Washington, Kansas. Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, March 19, 2014 at the Zion Lutheran Church in Linn. Burial followed in the Zion Lutheran Cemetery.

Elmer Alvin Kolle was born May 7, 1929 to Theodore and Dora (Killman) Kolle, of rural Linn, in the same house he eventually lived in for 84 years. He was baptized into the saving faith of Jesus Christ on May 12, 1929 by Pastor Karl H. Karstensen at Zion Lutheran Church, Linn. He attended Zion Lutheran Grade School in Linn. On April 18, 1943, Elmer was confirmed at Zion Lutheran Church by Rev. W.G. Biel. His confirmation verse was "The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?" Psalm 27 verse 1. Elmer was a lifelong member of Zion Lutheran Church. He was a member of the Men's Club and held many offices within the church.

Elmer graduated from Linn Rural High School in 1947. He did construction work in the local area and farmed with his father. He served his country in the army during the Korean Conflict from 1952 thru 1954, receiving the rank of Corporal. Upon returning, he farmed with his brother Marvin and later with his nephew Keith. He continued farming and raising livestock until his retirement.

On June 10, 1955, Elmer was united in marriage to Marlene Meyer at Zion Lutheran Church by the Rev. W.G. Biel. They were blessed with three children, Sheryl, Royce and Jim.

One of his greatest joys was his involvement with the Lutheran Laymen's League and Lutheran Hour Ministries. Elmer served in various positions on the local and zone level. He was on the Kansas District Board for eight years, including two years as the president. This was a rewarding experience for him and Marlene, doing the work for their Lord and Savior.

Another privilege Elmer enjoyed, but kept him busy, was serving on the Linn Community Nursing Home Board for eighteen years. He was also a member of the

Wholmore American Legion Post #237 of Linn.

Elmer always took time for the family and enjoyed farming side by side with his two sons, Royce and Jim, and in recent years his grandsons, Kyle and Brady, also helped on the family farm. In his free time, he would participate in as many activities as he could involving his grandchildren and looked forward to having them come over to the farm to visit. Elmer was a hard worker and never complained. He loved telling jokes and always had a smile on his face.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Marvin Kolle; sisters, Nyla Voelker and Sophie Bosse; and granddaughter, Brett Kolle. Survivors include his wife, Marlene, Linn; daughter, Sheryl (Ron) Richter, Green; sons, Royce (Deanna) Kolle and Jim (Gina) Kolle, both of Linn; sister, Dorothy Minnie, Winona, MN; brothers and sisters-in law, Lowell (Sharon) Meyer, Jerry (Bernita) Meyer, both of Linn; twelve grandchildren, and five great grandchildren.

A memorial fund has been established to the Zion Lutheran Church or to Lutheran Hour Ministries. Contributions may be sent to Ward Funeral Home, PO Box 157, Washington, KS 66968.



Funeral service for Marcus G. Kuepker, 86, Lawrence, were at 2 pm Friday August 8, 2014, at Immanuel Lutheran Church. Burial followed at Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mr. Kuepker died Tuesday August 5, 2014 at Lawrence Memorial Hospital.

He was born Oct. 16, 1927, in Bremer County, Iowa, the son of George and Edna (Diercks) Kuepker. He worked for Gustin-Bacon in Kansas City, KS, and later worked for Aeroquip in Lawrence.

Mr. Kuepker is a veteran of the United States Army and served in Alaska, he was called back to the service during the Korean Conflict and served in Japan. He was active in the Lutheran Laymen's League. He did respite care for Trinity Respite Care, Inc. and was on the Building and Grounds committee at Immanuel Lutheran Church. He was a member of the University Bridge Club and has been a member of the writing group at Brandonwoods since 1990.

He married Cora Poppitz in Kansas City, on Oct. 2, 1955, she survives of the home.

Other survivors include twin daughters Paula and Marcia, eight grandchildren and three great, great, grand children. He is preceded in death by his grandson Nicholas Willems.

The family suggests memorials to Trinity Respite Care, the Lutheran Laymen's League, or Immanuel Lutheran Church.

## Mission U Workshops in Kansas

**Region 3 Trinity, McFarland**—Saturday March 15, on behalf of Kansas District LLL Trinity hosted MU102 “Seven Styles of Faith Sharing”. Zones 7 and 8 were well represented at the workshop.



Deb Erdmann, from Pewaukee, Wisconsin was our presenter. Deb has 15 years teaching experience including three years in the state prison system. She has a very engaging, friendly, outgoing style having served as a Mission U presenter since 2007.

We learned that our mission field is: family, friends, co-workers, neighbors, & strangers, wherever God leads. Train yourself to be open and sensitive to the opportunities God presents to you each day.



**Region 4 Redeemer Atwood**—Was the host for the Kansas District LLL sponsored Mission U 102 event on a near blizzard condition, Saturday March 1. Despite the weather it was well attended, Steve Kipp from Colorado Springs was the presenter. Being the same presentation as McFarland the information is similar.



The Golf Tournament winning team was Junction City #1 Upham, Upham, Strauss, Upham, and Chairman Neushafer.

## Project Connect

Project Connect offers help where needed most, these topical booklets and free PDF downloads are penned in a Christ-centered style. To see the current subject list available go to: [www.lhm.org/projectconnect/booklets.asp](http://www.lhm.org/projectconnect/booklets.asp)

On the list you will currently find four topics that are 25 cents each, on close out while available, normally 50 cents each unless you order with an “affiliated group code number” that provides a 20% discount (see separate article on how to obtain a code number below).

Three new booklets have been released this year; “First Class Sharing: Methods and Motivations” (6BE154), sharing one’s faith is a challenge, however one wouldn’t think it would be after all, we have the truth that can change everything for everyone. “Great Deceiver” (6BE156), Pastor Newman shows us satan – the great deceiver’s true colors; he’s a liar, he’s a ravenous beast seeking to maim or destroy; he’s hell bent on destruction. “The Mormon’s Who they are , What they Believe” (6BE157), what makes this group distinctive and how does it differ from other churches.

Project Connect can equip you with these two evangelism tools; A 3 tier stand (23” base x 62” height) holding 230 booklets (PEE01) and the PC Junior 4”w x 10”h x 6”d) (PEE03) that holds 40 booklets.

LHM contact is Nancy Kellerhals 1-800-944-3450 Ext. 4210 or [nancy.kellerhals@lhm.org](mailto:nancy.kellerhals@lhm.org) .

## Affiliated Group

LHM Affiliated Group is anyone, two or more, who wishes to partner with LHM in outreach. Apply to receive a code number, use the number to receive a 20% discount on items. Find at: [ww.lhm.org](http://ww.lhm.org) then under Advocacy find Affiliated Group.



The most senior Golfer “Doc” Stigge, Manhattan with Gary.

## District LLL Golf Tournament

The 42<sup>nd</sup> annual Kansas District golf tournament was held Sat. May 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Rolling Meadows Golf Course near Milford. The Lord blessed the day with picture perfect weather for the 58 golfers to enjoy. The four winning teams were: 1<sup>st</sup>: Junction City #1 (Upham, Upham, Strauss, Upham) 2<sup>nd</sup>: Hanover #3 (Riekenberg, Riekenberg, Holle, Scheele) 3<sup>rd</sup>: Manhattan #3 (Danker, Dawdy, Hatesohl, Mall) 4<sup>th</sup>: Nortonville (Nieman, Nieman, Noll).

Prizes were awarded for longest drive, closest to the pin, youngest and oldest golfer (Norbert “Doc” Stigge) of Manhattan. The 2013-2014 Kansas District Project received \$915. A special “thank you” to all who made the event a success and to Gary Neushafer who served 37 years as the chairman of our golf tournaments. The 43<sup>rd</sup> tournament, with a new Chairman Rick Chewning, wife Patricia, (members of Faith-Abilene) will be May 2, 2015 at Custer Hill Golf Course, Fort Riley.





**Kansas District Lutheran Laymen's League  
District Project  
June 1, 2014-May 31, 2015**



**“Sent”**

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| 1. Financial Aid for Kansas District students attending a LCMS synodical school or seminary preparing for full-time church work. | \$26,000 |
| 2. Recognition Dinner for 4th year students at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis   | 1,000    |
| 3. The Lutheran Hour Float in the Tournament of Roses Parade   | 500      |
| 4. LLL/LWML Family Retreat   | 1,000    |
| 5. Argentina Ministry Office   | 2,250    |
| 6. Overseas Bible Correspondence Courses   | 2,250    |

**Funds that exceed the goal go to Financial Aid**

**Total \$33,000**

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**75th Convention of the Kansas District LLL/LHM  
Hosted by: Region 5 November 1st and 2nd at the  
Best Western Angus Inn - West 10th, Great Bend, Kansas**

**Saturday**

- 9:00 a.m. Registration opens at Perkins meeting room.
- 10:00 a.m. BOG Meeting
- 1:00 p.m. First Convention Session
- 3:30 International Representative Bervin Mertsching
- 4:40 p.m. Closing Prayer and Song
- 6:00 p.m. Banquet with entertainment followed by Fellowship

**Sunday**

- 9:00 Session Opening Prayer/Song  
International Representative Bervin Mertsching
- 10:05 Bible Class at Best Western
- 10:30 Church Service at Best Western
- 11:00 Closing comments by President

**Motel: Best Western - West 10th Street**

Reservations 1-800-862-6487  
Rooms: \$70.95 + tax  
Rates good until October 17, 2014  
(mention LLL for these rates)

Booth reservations to: Arlen Schultz  
Box 28  
Holyrood, Ks 67450-0028  
Ph: (785) 252-3550  
Cell Ph: (785) 252-5023  
Email: Arlen\_shlz@hotmail.com

Registration Checks payable to:  
St. Peter LLL  
Send to: Kevin Schultz  
375 Ave. T  
Holyrood, Ks 67450

**Registration.....\$10.00 X\_\_\_\_\_ = \$\_\_\_\_\_**

**Saturday Banquet.....\$20.00 X\_\_\_\_\_ = \$\_\_\_\_\_**

**by October 10**

**Total = \$\_\_\_\_\_**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Zone #** \_\_\_\_\_

Registration no charge for anyone under 23, they will need to purchase a banquet ticket

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KGNO	Dodge City	1370 AM	8 a.m. Sun	KROA	Scandia	106.7 FM	10:30 a.m. Sun
KANS	Emporia	96.1 FM	10 a.m. Sun	KFEQ	St. Joe, Mo	680 AM	8:30 a.m. Sun
KVGB	Great Bend	1590 AM	8 a.m. Sun	KAWZ	Topeka	89.5 FM	9 a.m. Sun
KHAZ	Hays	99.5 FM	7:30 a.m. Sun	WIBW	Topeka	580 AM	7:30 a.m. Sun
KNZA	Hiawatha	103.9 FM	7:30 a.m. Sun	KULY	Ulysses	1420 AM	9:30 a.m. Sun
KAWZ	Hutchinson	88.5 FM	9 a.m. Sun	KFTI	Wichita	92.3 FM	8:30 a.m. Sun
KWBW	Hutchinson	1450 AM	8:30 a.m. Sun	KAWZ	Wichita	88.7 FM	9 a.m. Sun
KJVL	Hutchinson	88.1 FM	10:30 a.m. Sun	KNGN	McCook, Nb.	1360 AM	7:30 a.m. Sun
KNDY	Marysville	1570 AFM 94.1	12:30 p.m. Sun	KNGN	McCook, Nb.	1360 AM	12:30 p.m. Sun
KBBE	McPherson	96.7 FM	9 a.m. Sun	KNGN	McCook, Nb.	1360 AM	5 p.m. Sun
KREJ	Medicine Lodge	101.7 FM	6 a.m. p.m. Sun	KOIL	Omaha, Nb.	1290 AM	7:05 a.m. Sun

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