

SOUTH DAKOTA DISTRICT CALL STATUS  
AS OF 6/7/2024

**PENDING – ORDAINED**

Name	Present Congregation	Calling Congregation	Date Received
Fritz, Ross	Grace, Breckenridge, MN – Sole	Our Savior-St. John, Aberdeen-Columbia, SD – Senior	5/8/2024
Greenmyer, Joseph	Concordia Theological Seminary, Ft. Wayne, IN	Faith-St. Peter, Parkston-Clayton, SD	4/20/2024
Makelin, Terry	St. Paul, Freeman, SD – Sole	Golgotha-Trinity, Wausa-Foster, NE - Sole	5/30/2024
Otten, David	Emmanuel-Christ, Gettysburg-Lebanon, SD – Sole	Zion-St. John, Canistota-Montrose, SD – Sole	5/5/2024
Pautz, Jeffrey	Our Savior, Muscatine, IA – Sole	St. John-St. Paul, Britton-Ferney, SD – Sole	6/2/2024
Richter, Kevin	St. John, Reinbeck, IA – Sole	Zion, Chamberlain, SD – Sole	6/5/2024

**ACCEPTED - ORDAINED**

Name	Present Congregation	Calling Congregation	Date Accepted
Mork, Joshua	First, Papillion, NE	St. John-Our Savior, Howard-Madison, SD – Sole	5/21/2024

**DECLINED - ORDAINED**

Name	Present Congregation	Calling Congregation	Date Declined
Booher, Lucas	Zion, Storm Lake, IA – Sole	Concordia-Immanuel, Cresbard-Wecota, SD – Sole	6/5/2024
Heckmann, Joel	St. John's, Okarche, OK – Sr. Admin.	Our Redeemer, Sioux Falls,, SD – Sole	5/26/2024

**ACCEPTED - COMMISSIONED**

Name	Present Church	Calling Church	Date Received
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**DECLINED - COMMISSIONED**

Name	Present Church	Calling Church	Date Declined
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**VACANCY STATUS**

City	Church	Position	Status/Man Called	Date	Vacancy Pastor
Aberdeen-Columbia	Our Savior-St. John,	Senior Pastor	Called Ross Fritz Breckenridge, MN	5/8/2024	Alan Ludwig
Britton-Ferney	St. John-St. Paul	Sole	Called – Jeffrey Pautz, Muscatine, IA	6/2/2024	Larry Johnson
Canistota-Montrose	Zion-St. John	Sole	Called – David Otten Gettysburg-Lebanon, SD	5/5/2024	Terry Makelin
Chamberlain	Zion	Sole	Kevin Richter, Reinbeck, IA	6/5/2024	Wade Harr
Cresbard-Wecota	Concordia-Immanuel	Sole Pastor	Declined - Lucas Booher, Storm Lake, IA	6/4/2024	Kevin Moore
Parkston-Clayton	Faith-St. Peter	Sole Pastor	Joseph Greenmyer, CTS, Ft. Wayne, IN	4/20/2024	Ryan Loeslie – Parkston Dave Ellis - Clayton
Plankinton-White Lake	St. Paul-Trinity	Sole Pastor	Evaluating Needs	8/1/2021	Jens Jenson
Sioux Falls	Our Redeemer	Senior Pastor	Declined – Joel Heckmann, Okarche, OK	5/26/2024	Howard Shane
Tea	Risen Savior	Sole Pastor	Evaluating Needs	12/15/2023	Lyle Fritsch