

SOUTH DAKOTA DISTRICT CALL STATUS  
AS OF 12/13/2024

**PENDING – ORDAINED**

Name	Present Congregation	Calling Congregation	Date Received
Henschen, Nathan	St. Paul-St. John, Bancroft-Lyons, NE – Sole	St. John-Trinity, Wagner-Fairfax, SD – Sole	11/24/2024
Laskowsky, Kurt	First English-Zion, Centerville-Hurley, SD – Sole	Concordia, Forsyth, MT	11/24/2024
Simek, Brett	Trinity, Hilbert, WI – Sole	Our Redeemer, Sioux Falls, SD – Sr. Administrative	11/24/2024

**ACCEPTED - ORDAINED**

Name	Present Congregation	Calling Congregation	Date Accepted
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**DECLINED - ORDAINED**

Name	Present Congregation	Calling Congregation	Date Declined
Brown, Thomas	St. Paul's, Spearfish, SD	Redeemer, Atwood, KS	12/7/2024
Brown, Thomas	St. Paul, Spearfish, SD	Holy Cross, Moline, IL	11/22/2024
Brown, Thomas	St. Paul's Spearfish, SD	Messiah, Hays, KS	11/22/2024
Grimmer, Dan	Zion, Mitchell, SD	Christ, Topeka, KS	12/2/2024
Koch, Aaron	Mount Zion, Greenfield, WI - Sole	Zion-St. John, Canistota-Montrose, SD – Sole	11/10/2024
Koch, Aaron	Mount Zion, Greenfield, WI – Sole	Zion, Chamberlain, SD – Sole	11/10/2024
Kumm, Michael	Holy Cross, Dakota Dunes, SD	Grace, Little Rock, AR – Interim	11/25/2024
Pautz, Jeffrey	Our Savior, Muscatine, IA	Zion-St. John, Canistota-Montrose, SD – Sole	12/5/2024

**VACANCY STATUS**

City	Church	Position	Status/Man Called	Date	Vacancy Pastor
Canistota-Montrose	Zion-St. John	Sole Pastor	Declined – Jeffrey Pautz Muscatine, IA	12/5/2024	Tom Christopher
Chamberlain	Zion	Sole Pastor	Declined - Aaron Koch, Greenfield, WI	11/10/2024	Wade Harr
Cresbard-Wecota	Concordia-Immanuel	Sole Pastor	Evaluating Needs	10/28/024	David Otten Vicar Tom Penrod
Freeman	St. Paul	Sole Pastor	In Call Process	6/12/2024	Brian Mosemann
Hartford	Trinity	Sole Pastor	Evaluating Needs	10/27/2024	I
Plankinton-White Lake	St. Paul-Trinity	Sole Pastor	Evaluating Needs	8/1/2021	Don McKillop
Sioux Falls	Our Redeemer	Senior Pastor	Called – Brett Simek, Hilbert, WI	11/24/2024	Howard Shane
Tea	Risen Savior	Sole Pastor	Calling Candidate	10/28/2024	Lyle Fritsch
Wagner-Fairfax	St. John-Trinity	Sole Pastor	Called – Nathan Henschen, Bancroft-Lyons, NE	11/24/2024	Ken Johnson Clark Gies
Wentworth	St. Peter	Sole Pastor	Evaluating Needs	9/15/2024	Wayne Bernau