SOUTH DAKOTA DISTRICT CALL STATUS
AS OF 7/14/2021

**PENDING - ORDAINED**

| Name | Present Congregation | Calling Congregation | Date Received |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bless, Matthew | St. John,<br>Merrill, WI – Associate | Concordia,<br>Vermillion, SD – Sole | 6/27/2021 |
| Olson, Darren | SD District Exec. Sec.,<br>Sioux Falls, SD | Missionary-at-Large,<br>Northern Lincoln County, SD | 7/13/2021 |

**ACCEPTED**

| Name | Present Congregation/School | Calling Congregation/School | Date Accepted |
|---|---|---|---|
| Rajek, Cory | Faith,<br>Pierre, SD – Senior | LCMS Board for International Mission<br>St. Louis, MO | 6/27/2021 |
| Smith, Jacob | Candidate,<br>Concordia Seminary | St. Paul,<br>Aberdeen – Associate | 5/21/2021 |

**DECLINED**

| Name | Present Congregation | Calling Congregation | Date Declined |
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**VACANCY STATUS**

| City | Church | Position | Status/Man Called | Date | Vacancy Pastor |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Leola | St. Paul | Sole Pastor | Part-time service: SMP<br>Vicar Ray Anderson | 9/22/2016 | Sam Bobby |
| Mitchell | Zion | Associate Pastor | Evaluating Needs | 6/18/2020 | |
| Pierre | Faith | Senior Pastor | Evaluating Needs | 6/27/2021 | |
| Redfield-<br>Doland | Messiah-<br>Redeemer | Sole Pastor | Calling from the field | 3/6/2021 | Jordon Andreasen |
| Sisseton-<br>Waubay | Emmanuel-Zion | Sole Pastor | Convertible Vicar Placed -<br>Tom Mueller | 4/28/21 | Larry Johnson |
| Vermillion | Concordia | Sole Pastor | Called Matthew Bless,<br>St. John, Merrill, WI | 6/27/2021 | Paul Warnier |

**DECLINED - COMMISSIONED**

| Name | Present School | Calling School/Congregation | Date Declined |
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**ACCEPTED - COMMISSIONED**

| Name | Present School | Calling School/Congregation | Date Accepted |
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| Korthase, Amanda | Candidate,<br>CSFW, Fort Wayne, IN | Our Redeemer,<br>Sioux Falls, SD – Deaconess | 6/9/2021 |