South Regional Pastoral Conference

Starved Rock Lodge & Conference Center, Utica, Illinois

25-27 September 2017 featuring:

Rev. Dr. Mark A. Seifrid

presenting

JUSTIFICATION AND SECULAR CULTURE:

REFLECTIONS ON PAUL'S MESSAGE TO THE CORINTHIANS

Lodging Accommodations

Please make your lodging reservation by <u>Thursday</u>, <u>August 24th</u>. After this date our block of rooms will be released to the general public.

Starved Rock Lodge and Conference Center

www.starvedrocklodge.com 800-868-7625

As in past years, *all attendees are responsible for making their own room reservations*. Make your reservation with a major credit card by calling Starved Rock Lodge at the toll-free number listed above. Feel free to bring your wife or to room with another pastor. The room rates below do not include applicable taxes of about 11%.

Room Rates: \$100/night West Wing 1 king -or- 2 queen beds single or double occupancy

\$100/night East Wing 1 king -or- 2 double beds single or double occupancy

Availability: Monday and/or Tuesday nights: Reserve only the nights you need.

(A limited amount of rooms are available Sunday night at these same rates.)

Block of Rooms: South Regional Pastoral Conference

Lodging Deadline: Thursday, August 24th

Registration Form

Complete the Registration Form and return it to Rev. James Barbey, SRPC Registrar, with a check payable to South Regional Pastoral Conference by August 31st. Please follow the instructions on the Registration Form. Any questions should be addressed to the Conference Registrar Rev. James Barbey at lhlcplano@hotmail.com (630-552-3926).

Presenter

Dr. Mark A. Seifrid



Dr. Mark Seifrid is a professor of exegetical theology at Concordia Seminary. A Concordia Seminary faculty member since 2015, he earned a Doctor of Philosophy in New Testament from Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, N.J. (1990), and a Master of Divinity and a Master of Arts from Trinity Evangelical Divinity School, Deerfield, Ill. (1984). He also holds a bachelor's degree in science from the University of Illinois, Champaign, Ill. (1975).

He has published major works on justification in the New Testament and a commentary on 2 Corinthians, and is currently writing a commentary on Galatians. He has published numerous articles on Pauline theology and the doctrine of justification — in particular articulating a Lutheran view of justification as drawn from the Pauline Epistles. He taught New Testament interpretation at The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Ky., for more than two decades. He also served as the Ernest and Mildred Hogan Chair in New Testament Interpretation at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.

His hobbies include running, water sports, cycling, cross-country skiing; and German language and literature including Swabia, Bavaria, Thuringia, Lower-Saxony, Brandenburg and everything in between! He is married to Janice.

"Justification and Secular Culture: Reflections on Paul's Message to the Corinthians" Presenter: Rev. Dr. Mark A. Seifrid Professor of Exegetical Theology - Concordia Seminary

Schedule

MONDAY, September 25:

Afternoon Free Time (golfing, hiking trails, relaxing at lodge, etc.)

- ✓ GOLF: Go golfing at a local course. Tee times will be scheduled for early afternoon. If interested, please contact Rev. Steven Lange at revslange@yahoo.com
- ✓ STATE PARK: Enjoy Starved Rock State Park with its hiking trails, visitor center, and more. Visit www.starvedrockstatepark.org for more information. (Free)
- ✓ Dinner on your own
- ✓ In a change from prior years, we will pray Compline beginning at 9:00.

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	7:00 p.m.	Evening Registration w/ refreshment	LaSalle Room	
	9:00 p.m.	Compline—Circuit #23	LaSalle Room	
TUESDAY, September 26:				
	7:30 a.m.	Morning Registration	Great Hall	
	7:30 a.m.	Coffee, Fruit and Danish available	Starved Rock Room	
	8:15 a.m.	Morning Prayer — Circuit #23	Starved Rock Room	
	8:45 a.m.	Conference Welcome		
	9:00 a.m.	Session 1 — Dr. Mark Seifrid		
	10:00 a.m. Conference Business, Officer Nominations, Vendor Introduction		Vendor Introductions	
	10:30 a.m.	Break Time		
	11:00 a.m.	Session 2 — Dr. Mark Seifrid		
	Noon	Lunch	Great Hall	
	1:00 p.m.	Concordia University-Chicago		
	1:15 p.m.	Session 3 — Dr. Mark Seifrid	Starved Rock Room	
	2:15 p.m.	Conference Business, Officer Elections		
	2:45 p.m.	Break		
	3:00 p.m.	Session 4 — Dr. Mark Seifrid	Starved Rock Room	
	4:00 p.m.	Vespers — Circuit #23		
	4:30 p.m.	Break, Free Time		
	6:00 p.m.	Dinner	Great Hall	
	7:00 p.m.	District President's Report	Starved Rock Room	
	8:15 p.m.	Responsive Prayer 1 — Circuit #23		
8:30 p.m. Fell		Fellowship with Refreshments (Indoor Mingle and Outdoor Campfire)		
WEDNESDAY: September 27:				
	7:30 a.m.	Breakfast	Great Hall	
	8:30 a.m.	Matins — Circuit #23	Starved Rock Room	
	9:00 a.m.	Session 5 — Dr. Mark Seifrid	Starved Rock Room	
	10:00 a.m.	Break (room check-out)		
	10:15 a.m.	Session 6 — Dr. Mark Seifrid	Starved Rock Room	
	11:15 a.m.	Conference Business, Concluding Remarks		
	11:30 a.m.	Responsive Prayer 2 — Circuit #23		
	11:45 a.m.	Box Lunch (eat at tables or "on the go")	Great Hall	

Display Tables

A limited number of tables will be set up in the Great Hall of the lodge for organizational displays. To reserve a display table, please contact Rev. Jared Eggebraaten, SRPC Secretary, at pastering-number ville.org or 630-904-1124.

Contact Information

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Directions

- ✓ Based on your starting point, route yourself to Interstate 80
- ✓ Take I-80 west from the Chicagoland area OR take I-80 east from I-39 or the western part of the state
- ✓ Take Exit 81 (the Utica exit)
- ✓ Turn South onto Route 178
- ✓ Go approximately 4 miles on Route 178 (thru Utica and across the river)
- ✓ Follow signs to Starved Rock Lodge, located inside the State Park

