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**Registration Form 2021-2022**  
**Lay School of Ministry, Northwest Synod of Wisconsin – ELCA**

I am registering for \_\_\_\_ Year 1 \_\_\_\_ Year 2 \_\_\_\_ Continuing Education

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Cell) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Congregation \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

Mentor Pastor \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Year 1 Only - Why do you wish to participate in the Lay School of Ministry?**

**Year 1 Only - How do you live out your baptism in your home, congregation, and community?**

*Tuition for the Lay School of Ministry is \$475 per year. Books used for the first two years cost approximately \$250. Please ask your home congregation if they can provide congregational support for your education. While the Lay School of Ministry program offers scholarship support to members of the NW Synod of Wisconsin to encourage participation, it also encourages congregations to support their participation. Please include your tuition deposit of \$100 with your application.*

You can register and make payments by credit card on-line at the NW Synod of Wisconsin [website \(http://nswi.org/lay-school-of-ministry\)](http://nswi.org/lay-school-of-ministry). PLEASE forward your on-line payment receipt to Diane Kaufmann, Registrar, at [dikaufmann@yahoo.com](mailto:dikaufmann@yahoo.com) so I can properly credit your payment. You can also mail in this registration form and check payable to Northwest Synod of Wisconsin and send to **Diane Kaufmann, 5207 70<sup>th</sup> St, Chippewa Falls, WI 54729.**

**What will the 2021-2022 school year look like?**

September, October, and November of 2021 and April and May of 2022 will be in-person at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church, 1300 W. Mansfield, Chippewa Falls. Zoom will also be an option but in-person attendance is encouraged! The most challenging winter months of December through March will be Zoom only. If November or April bring us bad travelling weather, Zoom will take the place of in-person learning.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am planning to come to the in-person sessions

\_\_\_\_\_ I will attend (in-person) classes via Zoom

We are also looking for several people to help with Zoom technology during the sessions.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am Zoom proficient and can help during the sessions.

**Will a meal plan be offered?**

No. Our past caterer sold her business and new catering services would be cost-prohibitive. Therefore, a list of food delivery services and restaurants in the Chippewa Falls area will be provided. Ordered food can be delivered right to Our Saviour's as we will still have use of the dining room for gathering. Your own brown bag meals will be delicious! Covenant groups are encouraged to plan some meals together.

**How about housing for out-of-town students?**

\_\_\_\_\_ Do you know of someone locally you can stay with?

\_\_\_\_\_ Do you need to be hosted?

\_\_\_\_\_ Are you local and able to host on Friday evening?

We look forward to another great year of learning and fellowship!

SIGNATURE OF PASTOR WHO HAS AGREED TO SERVE AS YOUR MENTOR:

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