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of the Lord is, there is freedom."

2 Corinthians 3:17



Southwestern Minnesota Synod

May 21, 2009

To: Rostered leaders and Lay people in SW MN Synod

Re: A Day With Our Teachers: Deepening our Conversation
on the Proposed Sexuality Documents

From: Bishop Jon V. Anderson

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

You are invited to Redwood Falls for a day of learning and conversation with our teaching theologians on the sexuality study and the recommendations on rostered persons. We have asked Southwestern Minnesota Synod rostered teaching theologians to guide us using the lens of theological reflection. Teachers and graduate students who are able to attend include James Boyce, Mary Hinkle Shore, Darrell Jodock, Sarah Dille, Mary Gaebler, Paul Lutter, Ron Duty and Erick Thompson.

Where: Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, Redwood Falls

When: Saturday June 6th, 8:30am (registration)
9am - 3pm (event)

Cost: \$10 (covering lunch and snacks)

Bring: Bible, copy of Statement and Recommendations

RSVP: swmn.elca@swmnelca.org or 507.637.3904

We will engage the documents and cover topics including: Lutheran perspectives on hermeneutics; law and Gospel; living responsibly in community; ministry and ecclesiology; and vocation as part of a larger community.

In recent months there have been multiple requests to have a chance to visit about the proposed documents. We know this

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is not an ideal date, but it is the date that worked for our college and seminary teaching theologians on our roster. We hope you can be part of this gathering.

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