

THE MINISTRY OF RECONCILIATION

Christians often struggle to live, proclaim and cultivate lifestyles of reconciliation in our relationships with others. Establishing a Reconciliation Ministry can help.

All this from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting men's sins against them. We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. (2 Cor. 5:18-20, NIV)

This training is especially helpful for preparing church reconcilers. The church is meant to be a place where its members can seek help in applying God's message of reconciliation to their personal conflicts. Learn more about this course at www.hisaor.org. Click on "Training," and then under Practicums, click on "Church Reconciler Training."

TRAINING LEADERS FOR RECONCILIATION MINISTRY

Reconciliation is not an event, but a way of life. Equip and assist members, staff and students in living lifestyles of reconciliation. Appoint reconcilers and train them to serve in a *Reconciliation Ministry* by:

- **Teaching** - equipping the saints in biblical peacemaking for lifestyles of reconciliation;
- **Coaching** - guiding individuals to apply biblical approaches in specific conflicts;
- **Mediating** - assisting two or more people in conflict to reconcile and resolve their conflicts;
- **Arbitrating** - deciding substantive matters through a just and fair hearing.



TRAINING BY AMBASSADORS OF RECONCILIATION

For more than 15 years, the professionals at Ambassadors of Reconciliation have taught, coached, mediated and arbitrated parties in dispute. They have also trained thousands of Lutherans to be reconcilers around the world. Attend this newest training especially designed for church reconcilers!

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CHURCH RECONCILER TRAINING

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AURORA, NEBRASKA
THE LEADERSHIP CENTER

NOVEMBER 7-13, 2010

CHURCH RECONCILER REGISTRATION FORM

Please provide one form per person. You may copy this form.

Name _____

Home mailing address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home phone _____ / _____ / _____
Daytime phone _____ Email Address _____

Church/City _____

Fees (Includes all course materials, professional instruction, meals, and lodging if requested)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Standard Registration Fee (double occupancy) | \$1,395 | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Optional Single Room | \$132 | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commuter Fee (meals, no sleeping room) | \$1,075 | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Late Fee (if registered after October 15) | \$50 | \$ _____ |
| TOTAL FEES | \$ | \$ _____ |

Grant Application (For members of Nebraska District congregations only)

- Those applying for grants are strongly encouraged to **mail all registrations from the congregation at one time** to receive the maximum grant amount.
- Grant funds are **limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis**. Contact the Nebraska District Office at 888-643-2961 to confirm grant availability.
- Only registrations received before October 15 are eligible for grants.

Grant Amounts

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I am attending and need lodging | (\$600) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I am attending as a commuter | (\$200) |

Net Registration Cost (fees minus grant requested) \$ _____

Deposit Required \$ _____ 250.00

A non-refundable deposit of \$250.00 is required to register and secure a grant.
Final payment of the remaining fee is due by October 15, 2010.

Balance due by October 15 \$ _____

Mail check and registration form to:

Nebraska District LCMS
PO Box 407
Seward, NE 68434

RECONCILIATION MINISTRY is important in every congregation and community. A lifestyle of reconciliation approaches conflict resolution in a biblical and God-pleasing way. Those who can benefit from this training include:

- Pastors
- Principals
- Teachers
- DCEs
- Congregation members and leaders
- Congregational Chairman/President
- Elders
- Board members

It is recommended that the pastor and at least two congregational leaders be trained from each church.

TRAINING LOCATION AND DATE

The Leadership Center

1609 East Hwy 34, Aurora, Nebraska
402-694-3934
www.tlcaurora.org

November 7-13, 2010

7:00 p.m. Sunday to
11:00 a.m. Saturday

Your training begins with self-study materials (included with the registration fee and mailed directly to you). Upon completing pre-course work, participants attend a full week of training, beginning on Sunday evening and concluding on Saturday morning.

RETREAT LOCATION

The Leadership Center is situated in the small town of Aurora, Nebraska, with a beautiful conference setting, friendly personal service, great homestyle meals, exciting recreation, and a variety of comfortable lodging and meeting facilities. The setting is informal, and dress for the week is casual. Bring comfortable clothes for the sessions, as well as a swimming suit or work-out clothes to take advantage of The Leadership Center's recreation opportunities.

ITEMS TO BRING

Please bring the following for the training:

- Bible
- The pre-course materials sent to you
- A pen or pencil

You may also want to bring along scripture reference materials such as a catechism or other quick scripture references for use in the coaching exercises.