

Hearts · Hands · Voices

Local workshops for church musicians

sponsored by the Association of Lutheran Church Musicians

*Now thank we all our God
With **Hearts** and **Hands** and **Voices!***

This practical workshop is designed for church musicians, clergy, worship planners, assisting ministers, and Parish Ministry Associates from congregations of all sizes and contexts, each with their own challenges and opportunities. Topics include worship planning, leading the church's liturgy and hymns, choral technique, children in worship, worship and music resources and clergy-musician-staff teamwork.

Saturday, September 15, 2018 8:30 A.M.—4:00 P.M. (registration required)

Trinity Lutheran Church, 5601 W 62nd Street, Mission, KS (corner of Nall & Shawnee Mission Pkwy.)

Workshop Schedule

| Time | Topic | Description |
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| 8:30 AM | Registration/Refreshments | |
| 8:45 AM | Welcome from ALCM followed by Words from John Ferguson | Dr. Ferguson shares thoughts on The Role of the Cantor |
| 9:15 AM | Session 1-- Pastors and musicians as partners in worship | Worship is the congregation activity that impacts the largest number of persons each week. Effective worship planning and implementation occur when the pastor and pastoral musician recognize their respective gifts and work together as a team. |
| 10:30 AM | Session 2 –Worship and Music Resources | Explore avenues of support for worship planning such as lectionary guides, music repertoire, copyright compliance and professional organizations such as ALCM. |
| 11:00 AM | Session 3—Repertoire: Adult, Youth, Children | Explore repertoire along with rehearsal techniques |
| 12:15 PM | Lunch | Conversation and Networking Break with lunch |
| 1:00 PM | Session 4 - Leading Congregational Song from the Organ | In this session, music leaders will gain ideas for leading hymns and liturgy from the keyboard—including registration, intros, interludes and improvisation. NOTE: 5 volunteers needed to prepare and play a hymn accompaniment to be coached by J. Ferguson & L. West. Contact Linda – kcjimandlinda@earthlink.net |
| 2:30 PM | Session 5 –Children/Youth in Worship | Formative worship and music education begin with children. This session provides tips for teaching music skills, vocal technique, appropriate repertoire, and involving children in worship. |
| 3:15 PM | Closing Worship | Modeling portions of the days' sessions; Public welcome |