

2022 Southern Illinois District Convention

December 28, 2021
Newsletter #2

Dear Fellow Servants of Christ,

Our Southern Illinois District Convention is rapidly approaching. The 59th District Convention will be held Thursday – Saturday, February 3-5, 2022, at the Regency Conference Center in O’Fallon, IL. The adjoining Hilton Garden Inn and Hampton Inn will serve as our Convention Hotels. All activities will take place at the Regency Conference Center (Exit #16 off I-64). This is the last mailing concerning Convention information and materials. Workbooks are available to download on the SID website at www.sidlcms.org. Please note that the enclosed Registration form needs to be completed and returned to the District office by January 15, 2022!

FACTS:

- **Registration / meal form:** Please indicate on the meal form any specific dietary needs. The Regency Chef will accommodate accordingly. All advisory members to the convention and guests, please complete and return the Registration form by January 15. This form will assist the office in preparing a nametag, making meal arrangements, and determining an exact delegate count. Spouses (guests) should also complete this form (make additional copies). Congregations with schools are asked to complete a separate registration form for the entire faculty. It is very important to have an accurate count for meals.
- **Floor Committee Meetings:** Floor Committee meetings will be held on Saturday, January 8, 2022, from 9:00- until the committee work is complete, at Zion Lutheran Church, 101 S. Railway, Mascoutah, IL 62258. (Registration at 8:30 AM) These meetings are open to all interested members of the district.
- **Hotel:** The Hilton Garden Inn and Hampton Inn in O’Fallon, IL will be our Convention “hosts”. The Hilton Garden address is 360 Regency Park, O’Fallon, IL 62269. Telephone: 618-624-4499. Individual attendees will make reservations for the event directly with the hotel prior to 1/12/2022. The group name is The Lutheran Church Missouri Synod. The Hampton Inn address is 430 Regency Park, O’Fallon, Illinois 62269. Telephone: 618-589-9006, Hampton Inn link: [Lutheran Church Missouri Synod 02-03-21](#) Hampton reservations by attendees must be received on or before Thursday, January 20, 2022.
Special pricing: Hilton Garden Inn: \$126.00 per night for Standard King or Queen/Queen Room.
Hampton Inn: \$104.00 per night (Run of House)

- **Workbook:** The 2022 Convention Workbook has been distributed electronically via the district's website (www.sidlcms.org). While the Regency Convention Center is equipped with wireless technology, access to the internet, and suitable access to electricity to enable delegates to retrieve information on site Delegates should download materials to their personal devices. Delegates needing a printed copy were asked to contact the SID office by December 15, 2021. Requested printed workbooks will be distributed by the Circuit Visitors.
- **Registration:** Delegates may register Thursday from 4:00-5:45 PM or Friday from 7:00-7:45 AM at the Registration table in the lobby of the Regency Conference Center.
- **Coats:** There will be a small room near the entrance to place your coats.
- **Vendors:** Please visit the variety of displays in the lobby area.
- **Seating:** We will follow an "open seating" schedule once again this year. Voting delegates will be instructed on where to find and return the voting machines each day of the Convention.
- **Resolutions:** First order of Today's Business will be posted on-line after the Floor Committee Meetings on January 8. Printed copies will be distributed to those who requested printed workbooks.

If you have any questions, please contact the SID office (618-234-4767).

Your Servants in Christ,

Southern Illinois District Staff