

Guest Speaker



The Rev. Brad Hales
North American Lutheran Church

Breakout Sessions

1. The NALC Perspective—
led by the Rev. Dr. Jess
Abbott, Midwestern Area
Assistant to the Bishop
2. Natural Church
Development led by
Rev. Dr. Douglas
Schoelles, St. John's
Evangelical Lutheran
Church of Lake
Township Ft. Wayne



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Kentucky-Indiana

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Psalm 85:6

2022
Heartland Mission
District Convocation
&
Youth Gathering

Guest Speaker
Rev. Brad Hales

Saturday
October 8, 2022
9:30a—3:30p

Peace Lutheran Church
701 W. 3rd St.
Connersville, IN 47331

REVIVE & RENEW

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Theme: Revive and Renew

God wants to continually revive and renew the church in the name of the Lord Jesus, so others can come to know the Savior in their own lives. Through the Word, prayer, witness, service and fellowship, we not only grow as individuals, but the church itself renews for the Lord's mission in the communities where we've been planted. So let us rejoice, for a revived church is a congregation that is centered on Jesus!

Registration

The convocation is open to all members of the Heartland Mission District and friends!

Cost: \$15 per Adult or \$45 per Church
Youth—free

If you would like to make a \$5 donation to offset costs for the youth, it would be greatly appreciated!

Please register with Linda Karlin at rkarlin@earthlink.net or 260-438-0459.

You may pay when you check-in at the convocation. Let us know when you register if you will be your church's voting delegate.

Mission Projects

Disaster Response Shed
at Peace Lutheran Church.

School Supplies
See <https://thenalc.org/nalc-disaster-response/>
for a list of items needed.

Worship offering will go to the
North American Lutheran Seminary.

Guest Speaker Information

Pastor Brad Hales is the Director of Renewal Ministries for the NALC and senior pastor at Reformation Lutheran Church in Culpeper, West Virginia. Previously, Pastor Hales served as the chair of the Renewal Team, New Starts Team and Dean of the Virginia Mission District of the North American Lutheran Church. Through the power of Jesus, Pastor Hales has helped to renew several older congregations in discipleship, outreach, and mission. In 2009, his present congregation was given the "Best Practices Award in Senior Adult Ministry" by the National Council on Aging. Pastor Hales has also authored multiple Bible studies and resources, including, *A Covenant of Aging*, published by Sola Publishing.

Schedule

Time	Agenda Item
8:45a	Registration/Get Acquainted
9:30a	Opening Praise & Worship
10:00a	Guest Speaker Message Youth Breakout
11:00a	Break
11:15a	Mission Moment
11:25a	Mission Moment
11:40a	Dean's Report/Business Meeting
12:00n	Lunch
12:45p	Break Out Sessions
1:30p	Break - Youth return - 1:45p
1:45p	Forum with Guest Speaker
2:30p	Closing Worship Install HMD Council Bless Disaster Response Shed & Mission Project

Youth Gathering Schedule

Theme: Emotional Impact of Disaster

Time	Agenda Item
9:30a	Opening Praise & Worship
10:00a	Youth Breakout Session: Serve ⇒ Assemble Disaster Preparedness Back Packs
11:00a	Youth Breakout Session: Gather ⇒ Ice breakers, Games
12:00n	Lunch
12:45p	Youth Breakout Session: Study ⇒ The Emotional Impact of Disaster
1:45p	Forum with Guest Speaker
2:30p	Closing Worship

