



ROSTERED AND CONGREGATIONAL LEADERS

The members of the Southeast Michigan Synod Nomination Committee are committed to preparing a full slate of nominees for the 2025 Synod Assembly (May 16-17, 2025) to be held at Celebration Lutheran Church, 39375 Joy Road, Westland, MI 48185

As details about the assembly become available, they will be posted on the synod website. Refer to <http://www.semisynod.com> for updates on the assembly.

The positions for which nominations are needed are listed below.

Please elicit responses from cluster and congregational leaders. Make sure to secure the consent of the persons whom you regard as qualified for the open positions.

A nominations form is included and may be reproduced as needed.

Please mail the completed form to:

Southeast Michigan Synod
Attn: Nominations
4800 Woodward Ave., Detroit, MI 48201
Or email forms to b.fisher@semisynod.com

Nominations must be received by **April 1, 2025**

POSITIONS AVAILABLE FOR NOMINATION

SYNOD COUNCIL

This is the governing body of the synod that is empowered to make decisions on behalf of the synod between annual assemblies. Normally this body meets 4-6 times a year.

3 Year Term

**Conference 1
Conference 4
Conference 5
Conference 10**

2 Year Term

Youth

CONSULTATION COMMITTEE

The Consultation Committee hears disagreements of substantive issues that have been referred to the bishop/executive committee as well as hears charges against a rostered person or congregation which could lead to discipline. The committee meets only as needed.

6 Year Term ending 2031

**1 Clergy Male
1 Clergy Female
1 Lay Male
1 Lay Female**

*(Incumbents are **not** eligible for re-election.)*

DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE

The Discipline Committee meets to adjudicate discipline cases along with appointments from churchwide. The committee meets only as needed.

6 Year Term ending 2031

**1 Clergy Male
1 Clergy Female
1 Lay Male
1 Lay Female**

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Southeast Michigan Synod
2025 Nomination Form - please return to b.fisher@semisynod.com

Please print clearly

Position: _____ Congregation: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, Zip: _____

Home phone: _____ Work/cell phone: _____

Email: _____

Conference: _____

Check all that apply:

Female Male Gender Non-conforming

Clergy Lay Deacon

Person of color or whose primary language is other than English

List of areas of involvement in the synod (maximum three) and indicate current positions with a ✓

List areas of involvement in your congregation (maximum three) and indicate current positions with a ✓

List areas of community service (maximum three) and indicate current activity with a ✓

Has this person consented to nomination? _____ Nominated by: _____