



## Conference 8 Report for 2026 Southeast Michigan Synod Assembly

### **Conference 8**

*Dean - Pr. Sara Freudenburg - Emmanuel/Livonia*

#### *Serving Conference 8 Congregations*

Celebration/Westland: Pr. Jim Fogle (retiring in June 2026)

Emmanuel/Livonia: Pr. Sara Freudenburg

Holy Cross/Livonia: Pr. Scott Seeke, Intern Pr. Rick Durance

Holy Spirit/West Bloomfield: Pr. William Matlack

Holy Trinity/Livonia: Pr. Andrew Chavanak, Pr. Alysa Offman

Hope/Farmington Hills: Interim Pr. Krister Ulmanis, Pr. Amy Cooley Higgs

Shepherd of the Lakes/Walled Lake: Pr. Judd Delancey

St. John/Farmington Hills: Pr. Mark Fisher

Timothy/Livonia: Eric Stenson

#### *Highlights/Changes from May 2025 - April 2026*

Alysa Offman concluded her internship and was called to serve as Associate Pastor at Holy Trinity on May 18, 2025. She was ordained on July 19.

Our conference continues to meet weekly for text study and fellowship and is a source of great support for each other.

Respectfully submitted,

Pastor Sara Freudenburg

Emmanuel/Livonia and Conference 8 Dean