

Presiding Bishop Mark S. Hanson

In 2001, the Churchwide Assembly of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) elected Mark S. Hanson to serve as presiding bishop. He was re-elected in 2007. Before being elected presiding bishop, he served as bishop of the Saint Paul Area Synod.

Bishop Hanson served as pastor of three Minnesota congregations: Prince of Glory Lutheran Church, Minneapolis, Edina Community Lutheran Church, Edina, and University Lutheran Church of Hope, Minneapolis.

Born in Minneapolis on December 2, 1946, Hanson graduated from Augsburg College with a B.A. in sociology. He was a Rockefeller Fellow at Union Theological Seminary, New York and received a Master of Divinity degree there in 1972. He also attended Luther Seminary, St. Paul and was a Merrill Fellow at Harvard Divinity School in 1979.

In 2003, he was elected president of the Lutheran World Federation, a position he holds concurrently with his position as presiding bishop of the ELCA. He has been an articulate advocate for the renewal of the church's preaching and public voice, for the strengthening of ecumenical and inter-religious relationships, and for reconciliation and justice in society, with attention especially to those who live with poverty and discrimination.

He is the author of *Faithful Yet Changing, the Church in Challenging Times* and *Faithful and Courageous, Christians in Unsettling Times* both from Augsburg Fortress.

Married to Ione (Agrimson), they are the parents of Aaron, Alyssa, Rachel, Ezra, Isaac and Elizabeth, and grandparents to Naomi, Kingston, Sam, and Danielle.

AGENDA

Eastern Time

Sunday - February 21, 2010

- † Registration 4:00 – 6:00 pm
- † Supper 6:00 pm
- † Presentation I 7:00 pm
- † Response / Dialog 8:00 pm
- † Devotions 8:15 pm

Monday - February 22, 2010

- † Breakfast 7:00 – 8:00 am
- † Morning Worship 8:15 am
- † Presentation II 9:00 am
- Break
- † Conversation with Bishop Skrenes 11:00 am
- Lunch 12:00
- † Presentation III 1:00 pm

Bishop Skrenes will be available for private appointments. Please sign up at registration.

Registration Form Professional Leaders Event

February 21 – 22, 2010

Fortune Lake Lutheran Camp

- _____ Emanuel Lodge – **\$97 per person**
Double occupancy (preferably couples)
- _____ Retreat Lodge - **\$93 per person**
Double occupancy / 4 persons per suite
- _____ Duplex housing - **\$92 per person**
Lower bunk with linens / 5 persons per room
- _____ Duplex housing - **\$89 per person**
Lower bunk – Bring own bedding and linens
5 persons per room
- _____ Commuter - **\$75/person** for program & meals

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Roommate _____

Registration Deadline: February 1, 2010

Please complete this registration form and send along with check made payable to:

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The Leadership Event will be held at
Fortune Lake Lutheran Camp
Crystal Falls, Michigan

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call the motel.*

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- *Bishop Thomas Skrenes*

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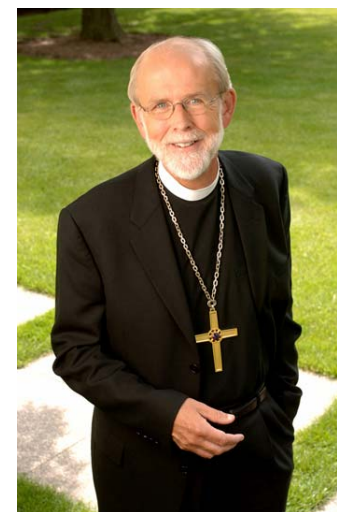
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