



David A. Fiala

Mission Advocate

David A. Fiala is a mission advocate for The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS). In this role, Fiala serves as a personal link to the mission and ministry of the LCMS. “My dad’s a plumber, but I’m just a piece of pipe. I connect things,” he says.

Prior to accepting this position, Fiala assisted with the international mission efforts of the LCMS for 15 years. He spent five years as a missionary recruiter and, before that, a decade as a missionary in Slovakia, the Czech Republic, Poland and Hungary. Fiala earned Lutheran teaching credentials, a bachelor’s degree in theology and a director of Christian education (DCE) certification at Concordia University, Nebraska, Seward, Neb. He also has a master’s degree in religion from Concordia University Chicago, River Forest, Ill.

Fiala and his wife, Radka, were married in 2002. They have four children. Their son Vašek and daughter Emma were both born in Slovakia. Their twins, Helen and Jonathan, were born shortly after their return to the U.S. in 2014. The Fialas live in Herculaneum, Mo., and are members of Zion Lutheran Church, Pevely, Mo.

Service of Installation

for
David A. Fiala



International Center
The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod

The Week of Lent 2

March 9, 2020

MORNING PRAYER

Prelude

Stand

Versicles

LSB 235

Psalmody

Psalm 121

Sit

Office Hymn

“If Thou But Trust in God to Guide Thee” *LSB 750*

Reading

Reading from Holy Scripture

Acts 23:23–35

After the reading:

- P** O Lord, have mercy on us.
C Thanks be to God.

Silence for reflection on God’s Word.

- L** In many and various ways, God spoke to His people of old by the prophets.
C But now in these last days, He has spoken to us by His Son.

Sermon

Rite of Installation

Stand

Collect of the Day

Additional Collects of Intercession and Thanksgiving

Collect for Grace

Lord’s Prayer

LSB 241

Benedicamus and Benediction

LSB 241

Sit

Welcome and Introductions

Postlude

A reception follows the service in the Commons.

In the Lord’s Service

Preacher

Rev. Bryan Roberts
Zion Lutheran Church, Pevely, Mo.

Officiant

Rev. Kevin Robson
Chief Mission Officer

Organist

Rev. Sean Daenzer
Director of Worship / IC Chaplain

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Morning Prayer from *Lutheran Service Book*.

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