

BC Synod Council Members

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LOWER MAINLAND - Rostered	Rev. Aneeta Saroop	2024 (1 st)
NORTH - Lay	Robin Dielissen	2024 (1 st)
SOUTHERN INTERIOR - Rostered	Rev. Jane Gingrich	2024 (1 st)
VANCOUVER ISLAND - Lay	Lisabeth Scott	2024 (1 st)
AT LARGE - Lay	Cathy Preibisch	2024 (1 st)
AT LARGE - Lay	Karen Lee	2024 (2 nd)
AT LARGE - Rostered	Rev. Kristen Steele	2024 (2 nd)
AT LARGE - Rostered	Rev. Brenda Nestegaard Paul	2024 (1 st)

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LOWER MAINLAND	Rev. Nathan Fong
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Committee for Missions

LOWER MAINLAND - Lay	Marilyn Steele – Co-chair	2023 (1 st)
NORTH	Diana Edis	2024 (1 st)
SOUTHERN INTERIOR	VACANT	
VANCOUVER ISLAND	Deacon Brigitte McKenzie	2023 (1 st)
AT LARGE - Additional Lay	Vivienne Welters	2023 (1 st)
AT LARGE – Additional Lay	Lisbeth Scott – Co-chair	2024 (1 st)
AT LARGE – Additional Lay	Gene Blishen	2024 (1 st)
MISSIONS CONSULTANT	Bishop Kathy Martin	

Committee for Theological Education and Leadership

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LUTHERAN THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY	Seminary Professor	Appointed by LTS
LOWER MAINLAND – Lay	VACANT	
LOWER MAINLAND - Rostered	VACANT	
NORTH	VACANT	
SOUTHERN INTERIOR	Hugo Nunez Angel	2022 (2 nd)
VANCOUVER ISLAND	VACANT	2022 (2 nd)
AT LARGE - Lay	VACANT	2022 (2 nd)
AT LARGE - Rostered	Rev. Ed Chell	2024 (2 nd)
ADDITIONAL AT LARGE - Lay	Glenn Harvey	2024 (2 nd)
PCLM LIAISON	Rev. Rebekah Swanson	Appointed

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Karen Matthews
Rev. Vida Jaugelis

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