Manitowoc Lutheran High School
Federation Meeting

MLHS STUDENT STAFF SERVICES
Student Staff Services Chair: **Mr. Tim Lukasek**

Date of Meeting: Saturday, August 8, 2026

Date of Last Committee Meeting: **Tuesday 28 JUL 2026**
Date of Next Committee Meeting: **Wednesday 26 AUG 2026**

Student Staff Services Committee Members

Tim Lukasek, Ryan Hulse, Lori Miller, Pastor Norris Baumann, Jaimie Carlson, Paula Patterson, Jill Lukasek

Faculty & Staff Welcome Back Breakfast

- The committee reviewed the annual calendar and identified an opportunity to welcome faculty and staff as they begin the new school year.
- A breakfast event will be held on Tuesday, August 11, 2026, before the first in-service meetings.
- A Thrivent Action Team grant will offset event expenses.

Care Committee for Called Workers (CCCW)

- Members reviewed current committee participation and faculty assignments.
- Assignments have remained unchanged for approximately two years, creating a desire to change assignments and incorporate newly called workers.
- All current committee members have been contacted to thank them for their service and determine their willingness to continue serving.
- The committee desires a lower faculty-to-member ratio to encourage stronger personal connections and support. Our goal is to add 3-5 additional families to the committee. Please consider joining us!
- Current members include:
    - Jerry & Linda Haupt
    - Bob & Pat Eberhardt
    - Nathan & Michelle Brooks
    - Greg & Erin Kolar
    - Matt & Jaimie Carlson
    - Jim & Paula Patterson
    - Tim & Jill Lukasek
    - Jeff & Mandy Maresh
    - Chris & Emily Spencer
    - Dan & Maggie Mies
- We thank the following outgoing members for their dedicated service:
    - Steve & Sandy Menges
    - Reinie & Sue Bruss
    - Larry & Lois Schneider
    - Akasha Manthe

2026–2027 CARE COMMITTEE FOR CALLED WORKERS

Supporting, Encouraging, and Caring for Those Who Serve at MLHS

• **Encourage Spiritual Well-Being**
- Support called workers and family in their personal and family spiritual lives.

• **Pray Regularly**
- Keep called workers and family in your prayers throughout the year.

Connect Early
- Reach out at the beginning of the school year to see how they are doing. This could include meeting for coffee or a meal. It could also be a simple call, text, or email.

Celebrate Special Occasions
- Acknowledge birthdays, anniversaries, Christmas, Easter or other occasions.

Follow Up
- Check in near the end of the school year to discuss successes or concerns.

Our goal is to ensure every called worker feels supported, appreciated, and cared for throughout the year.

Upcoming Events This Quarter

- Upcoming events include:
  - August 11 – Welcome Back Breakfast
  - October 2 - Custodian Appreciation Day
  - October 9 - Pastor Appreciation Day

Respectfully submitted by,

Tim Lukasek