



LEA EncourAGEnet Bulletin

... for participants in Lutheran Education Association's
Retired Lutheran Educators Network

August 8, 2019

[\[Read this online.\]](#)

Connect to **myLEA**

[Shaping the Future
PLUS](#)

[Pinterest/LutheranEd](#)

[Instagram](#)

[LEA on Facebook!](#)

You received this email because you indicated interest in LEA's EncourAGEnet network. You'll receive EncourAGEnet Bulletin every Thursday and you may network with other EncourAGEnet participants by posting to encouragenet@listserv.cuchicago.edu.

A new month brings a new issue of [Rich and Charlie Resources](#)—encouragement from Rich Bimler, Charlie Mueller, and Dick Koehneke.

Aging faithfully... See [Cruising With Lucimarian](#) (Missy Buchanan in *Ward Tanneberg blog*).

Keep on going... How? See [7 Ways to Persevere in Your Senior Years](#) (Dawn Wilson in *Revive Our Hearts*). (@Challies)

What? [Wearing Hearing Aid May Help Protect Brain in Later Life](#) (University of Exeter in *EurekaAlert!*).

Retired LEA devotion... Since this publication is especially for veteran educators, perhaps you would enjoy access to a retired LEA devotion. See ["Logorrhea"](#) from 2011.

The LEA EncourAGEnet team of Dave Ebeling and Rick Kerr is matching prospective full time church work students on the Concordia campuses with retired Lutheran educators. The idea is to have those of us with a lifetime of experience mentor those entering the field in the next several years. So far, nine matches have been made. Five more college students have requested a mentor, so we

need more EncourAGEnet volunteers. If interested, send an email to Rick Kerr, recently retired principal at St. John, Indianapolis: rk1950@sbcglobal.net. He'll send you a brief questionnaire so that your interests and experience might match the majors of the student as much as possible. (Dave Ebeling)

LEA Convocation... Plan to attend the EncourAGEnet Workshop and Lunch, a pre convocation feature to hear LCMS Director of Schools Becky Schmidt and to meet and fellowship with other retired educators. **Be sure to see [Tips for an \(Almost\) Hassle-Free Registration](#) before you begin your registration process.** [Click here](#) for links to registration and all details. [#leaconvo](#)

LEA does not endorse articles cited in Tips of the Week; links are provided to connect members with information they might find useful.

[Click here](#) to view or search the list archives.

To unsubscribe, [click here](#) (<http://tinyurl.com/btpxxnz>), and follow the instructions. Be sure to click on the "Create New Account" link, if you haven't already done so.



Dick Blatt (Naperville, IL), **Dave Ebeling** (Bloomington, IN), **Carolyn Sims** (Mission Viejo, CA), **Rick Kerr** (Indianapolis, IN), and **Roger Walker** (Winter Haven, FL), Chair

Lutheran Education Association | 7400 Augusta Street | River Forest, IL 60305 | 708.209.3343 | 708.209.3458 fax | lea@lea.org | www.lea.org | [Jonathan C. Laabs](#), Ed.D. Executive Director | [Ed Grube](#), LL.D., Dir. Publications/Communications | [Kathy Slupik](#), Executive Assistant