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Richard Cohrs Selected for 2022 Distinguished Retired Lutheran Educator “EncourAGING” Award

Richard Cohrs, a Lutheran education veteran, was selected to receive LEA’s Distinguished Retired Lutheran Educator EncourAGING Award.

Mr. Cohrs lives in St. Charles, Mo. He officially retired in 2014, having served in elementary schools and at Lutheran Hour Ministries. He served congregations in three Illinois, one Texas, and three Michigan locations.

Richard earned a B.A. from Concordia University Chicago and an M.Ed. from Midwestern State University, Wichita Falls, Tex.

Richard continues servant volunteerism in congregation and community as God provides health and strength. He says, “Today, I am able to draw on my vast experience and expertise as I serve... the Center for Religious Liberty. He creates educational, website, and promotional pieces that inform about the work of the LCRL. He has also represented the LCRL at various conferences and conventions.

Rich is now collaborating on the production of a video-based LCRL Bible study on the topic of the Two Kingdoms. In addition, he is in the process of helping develop trainings that will provide instruction in and appreciation for the Lutheran school ethos for non-Lutheran teachers in a Lutheran school setting.

Mr. Cohrs has written three books, and he continues to serve his family, his congregation, and his community.

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