

## Sample Ballot: 2023 Western Iowa Synod Assembly

Note that some term lengths have been reduced, finishing terms of current vacancies. Refer to the “Nominations” tab for biographies that were submitted.

### 1. Synod Council

- a. At Large – Young Adult 0 (3-year term) – vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Nick Milbrodt** (St John, Akron/Winds of Hope)
- b. Winds of Hope – Lay Male (3-year term) - vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Ken Less** (St John, Akron)
- c. Hands of Hope – Rostered (3-year term) – vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Pr Denise Lindemann** (Our Savior, Humboldt)
- d. Seed of Faith – Lay Male (3-year term) – vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Jim Post** (Immanuel, Titonka)  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Mark Stelzer** (First, Milford)

### 2. Assembly Business and Counsel (ABC)

- a. At Large – Rostered (2-year term) – vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Pr Tonna Parsons** (First, Sioux Rapids/Winds of Hope)
- b. Hands of Hope – Lay Male (2-year term) – vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Daniel Holste** (Our Saviors, Humboldt)
- c. Winds of Hope – Rostered (2-year term) – vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Pr Denise Parello** (Trinity, Alta)
- d. Rivers of Grace – Lay Female (2-year term) – vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Lori Clark** ( St Paul, Missouri Valley)
- e. Abundant Fields – Rostered (2-year term) – vote for 1  
(no nominee)
- f. Living Waters – Lay Female (2-year term) – vote for 1  
(no nominee)

### 3. Discipline Committee

- a. Abundant Fields – Rostered (1-year term) – vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_ **Pr Edward R Bastedo** (Bethesda, Clarinda)
- b. Winds of Hope – Rostered (1-year term) – vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_ **Pr Sue Sinclair** (Bethlehem, Inwood)

### 4. Nominating Committee

- a. Winds of Hope – Lay Female (1-year term) – vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_ **Kim Gayer** (Bethlehem, Inwood)
- b. Living Waters – Lay Female (2-year term) – vote for 1  
(no nominee)
- c. Rivers of Grace – Lay Male (2-year term) – vote for 1  
\_\_\_\_ **Damon James Hopkins** (St John, Dunlap)
- d. Abundant Fields – Rostered (2-year term) – vote for 1  
(no nominee)