

OUR SAVIOR, ABERDEEN – ST. JOHN’S, COLUMBIA WELCOMES REV. DR. ALAN LUDWIG

We welcome back to The South Dakota District Rev. Dr. Alan Ludwig and his wife, Patricia! On Sunday, June 11, 2023, Alan was installed as the assistant pastor of the Our Savior, Aberdeen - St. John’s, Columbia parish. Rev. Tim Ryneerson, 2nd Vice-President of the District was the officiant. Alan joins Senior Pastor, Rev. Jordon Andreasen, on the Our Savior – St. John’s ministry staff.

Rev. Ludwig began his career as a pastor in our District, when he was called to serve Immanuel-Wecota and Concordia-Cresbard, out of Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, in 1992. He served for a time as an instructor at the Lutheran seminary in Novosibirsk, Russia. From 2015 – 2018 The South Dakota District supported Rev. Ludwig through the Together in Mission (TIM) program.

In picture, front row: Revs. Jacob Smith (St. Paul’s, Aberdeen); Jordon Andreasen; Alan Ludwig; Ray Pomplum (retired, Aberdeen); and Kevin Moore (Messiah, Redfield and Redeemer, Doland). Back row: Revs. Ray Anderson (St. Paul’s, Leola), Bret Bierman (Trinity, Mansfield – St. John’s, rural Aberdeen – St. Paul, Stratford), Jeremy Yeadon (St. John, Groton and Zion, Andover), and Tim Ryneerson (Peace, Brookings – Redeemer, Flandreau – Zion, White).

