

SESSION FOUR

DEVOTION	Session 4 of the Fiftieth Biennial Convention of the Minnesota District opened at 1:30 p.m. with a devotion led by Dan Reich. He focused our attention on Matthew 6:5-13 and the Lord's Prayer.
MINUTES	Minutes of Session 3 were read and approved as read.
ELECTIONS	Elections Chair Brandon Steenbock reviewed election results. It was moved, seconded and carried that their report be adopted.
PRESENTATION	Chris Cordes presented a paper titled, " <i>What Does It Mean to be Missional?</i> "
RECESS	A 15 minute recess was declared at 3:00 p.m.
EVANGELISM	Stephen Meyer shared the report from the district Evangelism Committee.
COMMITTEE 11	Greg Thiesfeldt shared Reports 1-6 from Committee 11, Ministry Support. A motion was made to recommit to committee to consider a memorial to the synod in convention to form a long term study of pension options. The motion was seconded and defeated. It was moved, seconded and carried to accept Reports 1 through 6.
COMMITTEE 7	Todd Engel, Chair of the Home Missions Committee, shared his committee's report. It was moved, seconded and carried to accept the report.
COMMITTEE 8	Tom Hunter shared Reports 1 and 2 from the World Missions Committee. It was moved, seconded and carried to accept the reports.
COMMITTEE 12	Steve Waldschmidt from the Special Matters Committee shared Reports 1-3 with the convention. Michael Geiger presented Resolution 1 concerning the Compensation Review Committee from the Special Matters Committee. It was moved and seconded that we adopt Resolution 1. After discussion the motion to adopt carried. It was moved, seconded and carried to accept Reports 1-3, and the entire report of the committee was accepted with thanks.
HOME MISSIONS	Home Missions Administrator Keith Free shared his report with the convention.
WELS CARE	Keith Free also shared a video from WELS Christian Aid and Relief, which highlighted work at Crown of Life in New Orleans 10 years after Katrina.

CLOSING

The session was closed with prayer by Dan Reich at 5:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael R. Hatzung, Secretary