

Curriculum Vitae

Jeffrey H. Pulse

History: Born and raised in Iowa, spending the majority of childhood on a farm outside of Winterset, IA. Graduated from Winterset High School in 1976. Married Sara Bunz (Manning, IA) in 1985. Three children: Nathaniel (30) Married, living in Seattle, WA, professional trumpet player; Jonathan (27) Mechanical Engineer, living in Minneapolis, MN; Mikal Soo (26) attending college at Indiana Purdue in Fort Wayne, IN. Sara has over 30 years of experience as a music teacher in the public school system.

Education: 1976-77 attended Iowa State University in the pre-vet program. Transferred to Concordia Teacher's College in Seward, NE in 1977 and graduated with a BS in Elementary Education in 1980. Received M Div degree from Concordia Theological Seminary in 1984 and a STM in 1990. Awarded a PhD at the University of Durham, England in the area of "Concepts of the Afterlife in the Old Testament and Second Temple Judaism"; dissertation entitled "Joseph as a Death and Resurrection Figure in Old Testament and Second Temple Judaism." 2017.

Service: Graduate Assistant at Concordia, Seward in 1983-84; Graduate Assistant at Concordia Theological Seminary in 1984-85. 22 ½ years of Parish Ministry. 9 ½ years at St. John's Lutheran in Burt, IA; 12 ½ years at Peace Lutheran Church and School in Bremerton, WA. In 2007 accepted a Call as Associate Professor of Exegetical Theology at Concordia Theological Seminary in Fort Wayne, IN.

Served 6 years as Chair of the Youth Committee of Iowa District West; 6 years on the Board of Directors of IDW; 8 years on the Board of Governors for Camp Okoboji; 7 years as Circuit Counselor in the Northwest District; 5 years as LWML District Counselor for Washington-Alaska; 3 years as Chair of the Puget Sound Pastoral Conference; Coordinator for Continuing Education at Concordia Theological Seminary 2010-present; Director of Vicarage at Concordia Theological Seminary 2011-2013; Director of Placement at Concordia Theological Seminary 2013-present; Chairman of the Certification and Placement Committee, CTSFW 2014-present (member of committee 2007-present. Vacancy Pastor (long term) for Shepherd of the City Lutheran Church, Fort Wayne, IN, 2008-present. Member of Indiana District Congregational Outreach Committee, 2013-2015. Member of Indiana District Urban Ministry Task Force, 2015-present. Serve on LCMS PALS steering committee, 2010-present.

Publications: A devotional book entitled, *The Children (not the adults) of God*, 2002. *A Year in the Old Testament*, CPH; 2012. Lenten Resources: *Lenten Journey*, CPH; 2018.

Articles: Higher Things; *Ten Things You Don't Know About Your Pastor*; Winter 2008. Concordia Pulpit; *Two Sermons*; 2009; *Two Sermons*; 2014; *One Sermon*; 2016. Lutheran Forum; *The Hidden Afterlife of the Old Testament*; 2012. Concordia Theological Quarterly; *Ascending to God: The Cosmology of*

Worship in the Old Testament; 2015. Pilgrimage; *Vicarage, A Melding of Theology and Practice*; 2012. Covered Bridge; *The Covered Bridges of Madison County*, Fall, 2015. Journal of Lutheran Missions; *The Theological Framework of City as Mission Field*, 2017.

Presentations: Advent Preaching Workshop; *Come to the Holy Mountain: Advent With Isaiah*; Concordia Theological Seminary, 2008. Advent Preaching Workshop; *Proclaim the Coming!* Concordia Theological Seminary, 2009. Advent Preaching Workshop; *As It Was in the Beginning, Is Now, And Ever Shall Be*, 2014. Concordia Theological Seminary Symposia; *The Old Testament Canon: A Rich Tapestry or a Collection of Threads?*; 2009. Concordia Theological Seminary Symposia; *The Relationship Between God and Man: A Divine Object Lesson*, 2013. Concordia Theological Seminary Symposia; *Ascending to God: The Cosmology of Worship in the Old Testament*, 2014. Concordia Theological Seminary Symposia; *The Sin-Bearer and the Suffering Servant: The Motif Bears Witness*, 2019. LWML Grand Rapids Zone; *Its All about the Relationship: Ruth and Naomi*; 2009. Redeemer Lutheran Huntington Beach Distinguished Speaker Series; *The Place of the Old Testament in the Life of the Congregation*, and, *Recognizing Christ in the Old Testament*; 2009. Decatur Bible Institute; *No More "Peek-a-Boo" Jesus*; 2010. Grace Lutheran, Lamar, MO; *The Presence of God in the Old Testament and Its Influence on the Divine Service and Life of the Church*; 2011. Concordia Theological Seminary Urban and Inner City Mission Conference; *Theological Framework of City as Mission Field*, Oct. 2015. Southern Illinois District Convention Essayist; *Above All, Love One Another*, 2015. Presenter for Dallas/Fort Worth, TX Pastor's Conference on *Exegetical Missiology*, 2011. Speaker for Northern Illinois District Pastor's Conference; *No More Peek-a-boo Jesus*, 2012. Presenter and Preacher for the Central District of the Lutheran Church Canada, 2011. Main Speaker for TAALC pastor's conference, 2011. Speaker for the Iowa West District Pastor's Conference; *No More Peek-a-boo Jesus*, 2012. Presenter for the Lutheran Lecture Series at All Saints, Charlotte, NC, 2012. Presenter/Preacher for the Puget Sound Pastor's Conference; *The Hebrews and Their God*, 2014. Presenter for Family Week Camp Okoboji, IA; *How to Read the Old Testament*, 2015. Presenter for Family Week Camp Okoboji, IA; *The Psalms*, 2016. Lenten Preaching Workshop; *The Lenten Journey*; Adell, WI, and, Concordia Theological Seminary, 2018. Presenter for Family Week Camp Okoboji, IA; *Job*, 2017. Professor in residence at Westfield House, Cambridge, England, 2017. Online instructor for American Lutheran Theological Seminary (ALTS) 2016 to present. Presenter Family Retreat, Redeemer Lutheran, Fort Wayne, IN. 2018.