

**Iowa District West Licensed Deacon Learning Track**



You have reached this page because you are from the Iowa District West (IDW) of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod (LCMS), or from another district using their program, and being trained through Mission Training Center (MTC) to be licensed as a Lay Deacon (LLD). The chart below will guide you as you choose courses. If you have any questions, please contact your district office, or the MTC Coordinator at [MTC@MissionTrainingCenter.com](mailto:MTC@MissionTrainingCenter.com).

Code #	Course Name	Cost	Class Hours
<b>REQUIRED</b>			
MTC001	Old Testament	\$300.00	16
MTC002	New Testament	\$300.00	16
MTC003	The Christian Faith: Doctrine	\$300.00	16
MTC004	Preaching and Proclaiming the Faith	\$300.00	16
MTC005	Interpreting Scripture	\$300.00	16
MTC008	Leading and Creating Christ-Centered Lutheran Worship	\$150.00	8
MTC010	Spiritually Caring for Your Community	\$300.00	16
	<b>TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS</b>		<b>104</b>
<b>ELECTIVES</b>			
<b>Students choose any remaining courses totaling 56+ hours</b>			
MTC006	Missional Church and Outreach	\$150.00	8
MTC007	Teaching the Faith	\$300.00	16
MTC009	God's Mission in the Early Church: The Time of Christ-1500AD	\$150.00	8
MTC011	Congregational Change: Recognizing and Managing It	\$150.00	8
MTC012	Ministry With and Among Other Cultures	\$150.00	8
MTC013	Starting New Ministries	\$150.00	8
MTC014	Urban Ministry	\$150.00	8
MTC015	Defining and Engaging Your Community	\$150.00	8
MTC016	Spiritual Leadership Formation	\$150.00	8
MTC017	Rural Ministry	\$150.00	8
MTC018	Engaging Older Adults In Ministry	\$150.00	8
MTC019	Lutheran Worship – Its Roots and Meaning	\$150.00	8
MTC020	Church Administration – Organizing for Missional Ministry	\$150.00	8
MTC021	Sharing the Faith	\$150.00	8
	<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>		<b>160+</b>

