

## **Pacific Southwest District Lay Leadership Training Program Track (LLTP)**

The following information is for members of the Pacific Southwest District (PSD) of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod (LCMS), or another district using their program, who are interested in being trained through its Lay Leadership Training Program (LLTP) using courses from Mission Training Center (MTC). The chart below will guide you as you choose course equivalents from MTC for the LLTP. If you have any questions, please contact your district office, or the MTC Coordinator at [MTC@MissionTrainingCenter.com](mailto:MTC@MissionTrainingCenter.com).



<b>PSD Lay Leadership Training Program (LLTP)</b>	<b>Mission Training Center (MTC) Equivalent Courses</b>		<b>Cost</b>	<b>Hrs</b>
	<b>Code #</b>	<b>Course Name</b>		
<b>Required Courses for Lay Deacons (LD) and Parish Ministry Assistants (PMA)</b>				
Old Testament	MTC 001	Old Testament	\$300	16
New Testament	MTC 002	New Testament	\$300	16
Doctrine	MTC 003	The Christian Faith: Doctrine	\$300	16
Evangelism/Assimilation	MTC 006	Missional Church and Outreach	\$150	8
Teaching	MTC 007	Teaching the Faith	\$300	16
History	MTC 009	God's Mission in the Church from the Time of Christ to AD1500	\$150	8
Caregiving	MTC 010	Spiritually Caring for Your Community	\$150	8
Leadership/Ethics	MTC 011	Congregational Change: Recognizing and Managing It	\$150	8
	MTC 016	Spiritual Leadership Formation	\$150	8
	<b>TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS FOR PMAs</b>			<b>104</b>
<b>Additional Required Courses for LDs</b>				
Homiletics	MTC 004	Proclaiming the Faith	\$300	16
Worship	MTC 008	Christ-Centered Worship	\$150	8
	MTC 019	Christian Worship: Its Roots and Meaning	\$150	8
	<b>TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS FOR LDs</b>			<b>136</b>
<b>Elective Courses for PMAs and LDs</b>				
<b>PMAs may choose any elective courses (including MTC 004, MTC 008, MTC 019 above) totaling 32+ hours.</b>				
<b>LD students choose any elective courses totaling 32+ hours.</b>				
	MTC 005	Interpreting Scripture	\$300	16
	MTC 013	Starting New Ministries	\$150	8
	MTC 015	Knowing and Engaging in Your Community	\$150	8
	MTC 020	Church Administration: Organizing Ministry for Mission	\$150	8
	MTC 021	Sharing the Faith	\$150	8
	<b>TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED FOR PMAs</b>			<b>136</b>
	<b>TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED FOR LDs</b>			<b>168</b>