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The North/West Lower Michigan Synod Task Force on
Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity and Expression

RIC Congregations

What Is an RIC Congregation?

The Reconciling in Christ (RIC) Program is for congregations, synods, colleges, seminaries, and other Lutheran organizations. Lutheran communities that publicly welcome people of all sexual orientations and gender identities are accepted onto the Reconciling in Christ Roster. RIC communities also have a commitment to racial equity. The RIC roster has become known as a resource for people seeking a community prepared to welcome them.



Are any congregations in the North/West Lower Michigan Synod RIC?

Yes! Currently we have 12 congregations in our synod that have been recognized as RIC. You'll find a map and listing of them on the other side.

How Does My Congregation Become RIC?

If your congregation would like to explore becoming an RIC congregation, you can find more information on the ReconcilingWorks website at <http://www.reconcilingworks.org/ric/> or contact Open Hearts. Open Church. for more information.

How Do I Find an RIC Church Outside the N/W Lower Michigan Synod?

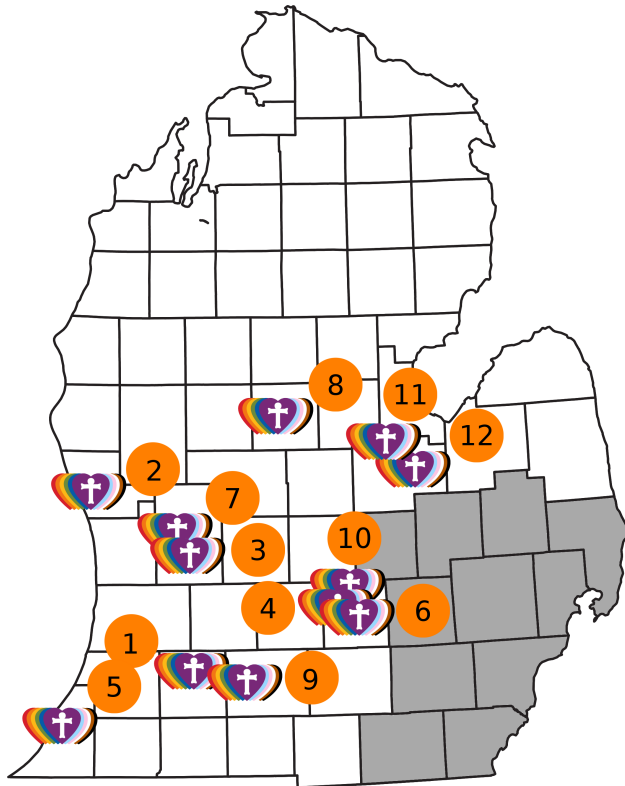
You can find RIC congregations across the country using the search tool on the RIC page of the ReconcilingWorks website at <http://www.reconcilingworks.org/ric/>.



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1. Lutheran Church of the Savior
3616 E. G Ave.
Kalamazoo, MI 59004
(269) 342-0069
<http://www.lcoskzoo.com/>
2. Harbor of Grace Lutheran Church
1132 W Southern Ave.
Muskegon, MI 49441
(231) 722-7308
<https://www.facebook.com/harborofgrace.org/>
3. Two Churches
4252 Breton Rd. SE
Kentwood, MI 49512-3858
(616) 455-8108
<http://www.twochurches.org/>
4. University Lutheran Church
1020 S Harrison Rd.
East Lansing, MI 48823-5198
(517) 332-2559
<http://www.ulcel.org/>
5. Saron Evangelical Lutheran Church
510 Main St.
St. Joseph, MI 49085
(269) 983-1273
<http://www.saronlutheran.org/>
6. Faith Lutheran Church
4515 Dobie Rd.
Okemos, MI 48864
(517) 349-0620
<http://faithlutheranokemos.org/>
7. Bethlehem Lutheran Church
250 Commerce Ave SW
Grand Rapids , MI 49503
(616) 456-1741
<http://www.bethlehemchurchgr.org/>
8. Immanuel Lutheran Church
320 S Bradley St.
Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858-2176
(989) 773-4204
<http://immanuelmp.com/>
9. Trinity Lutheran Church
2055 Columbia Ave E
Battle Creek, MI 49014
(269) 963-5356
<http://www.tlcbattlecreek.org/>
10. St. Paul Lutheran Church
3383 Lake Lansing Rd.
East Lansing, MI 48823
(517) 351-8541
<http://www.stpaul-el.org/>
11. Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church
545 South 7th St.
Freeland, MI 48623
(989) 297-1611
<https://zionfreeland.org/>
12. Our Saviour Lutheran Church
2525 Hemmeter Rd.
Saginaw, MI 48603-3019
(989) 799-5470
<https://www.facebook.com/OurSaviourLutheranSaginaw/>

Learn more about the RIC program on the other side!