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

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 lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender people are accepted onto the Reconciling in Christ Roster. 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 8 congregations and ministries 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?

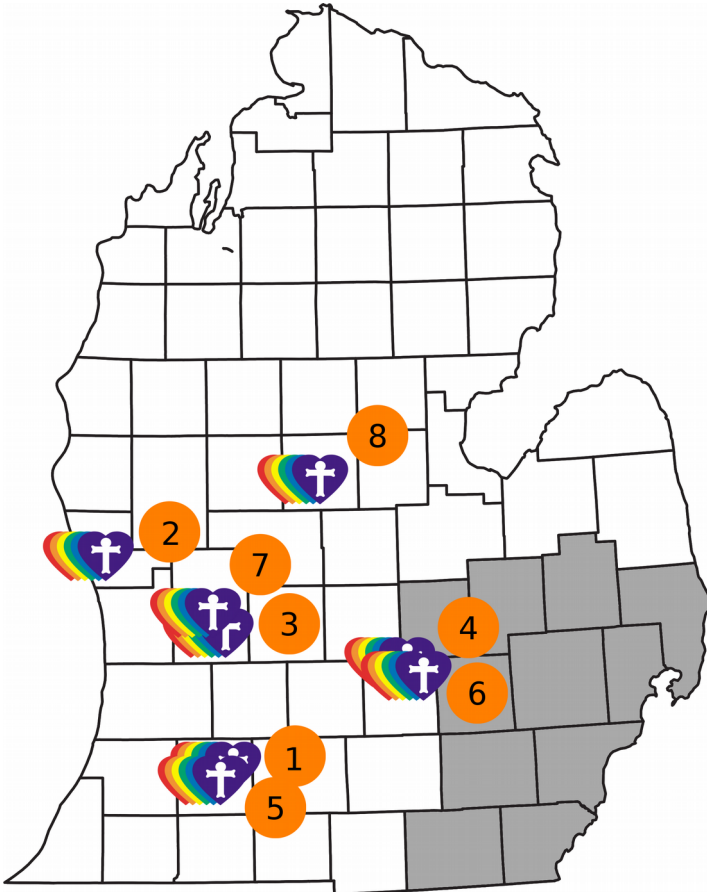
You can find RIC congregations across the country using the search tool on the RIC page of the ReconcilingWorks website at <http://www.reconcilingworks.org/ric/>.



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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. Our Savior's Lutheran Church
1132 W Southern Ave.
Muskegon, MI 49441-2241
(231) 722-6565
<http://oslcmuskegon.org/>
3. Ascension Lutheran Church
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. Lutheran-Episcopal Campus Ministries
at Western Michigan University
2101 Wilbur Ave.
Kalamazoo, MI 49006-5610
(269) 743-4287
<http://www.lecm-wmu.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/>

Learn more about the RIC program on the other side!