



THE LUTHER COLLECTIVE

Developing a Renewed Vision for Theological Education

WHAT IS THE LUTHER COLLECTIVE?

Through a five-year, \$10 million grant from the Lilly Endowment, Inc., the Luther Collective is a collaborative network to accompany and educate Christian leaders for faithful witness in a hurting world.

WHAT WILL THE LUTHER COLLECTIVE DO?

Together, we will meet leaders where they are to cultivate God's calling in their lives.

HOW WILL THE LUTHER COLLECTIVE DO THIS?

Shared experiments will help us discover sustainable pathways for leadership development.

WHAT ARE THE LUTHER COLLECTIVE'S GOALS?

- Articulate a renewed understanding of Lutheran theological identity that expresses the difference a Lutheran witness to the Gospel of Jesus makes in and for today's culture.
- Develop a collaborative pedagogy of accompaniment and apprenticeship that blends in-person and online learning for degree and nondegree learners, informing the design and delivery of off-campus intensive course experiences with local churches and/or other ministries.
- Design, test, and assess a new configuration of teaching and learning that prioritizes local context, collaborative partnership, and sustainability to replace a large, central seminary campus.
- Develop institutional trust with other academic institutions to expand shared services partnerships.

INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE?

Send an email to collaborationgrant@luthersem.edu.

LUTHER COLLECTIVE PARTNERS

Led by Luther Seminary, the Luther Collective brings together a dynamic group of ministries whose common Lutheran identity is lived out and expressed in different ways across rural, small town, suburban, and urban contexts.

- **Luther Seminary**
St. Paul, Minnesota—fiscal agent
- **Augsburg University**
Minneapolis, Minnesota
- **Mount Olivet Lutheran Church**
Minneapolis, Minnesota
- **Lutheran Church of Hope**
West Des Moines, Iowa
- **Calvary Lutheran Church**
Alexandria, Minnesota
- **Luther Crest Camp**
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