



LUTHERAN NETWORK

One central, digitally-based, sacred space for the information age –
upheld by a common confession, not an almighty algorithm.

For God is not the author of confusion but of peace, as in all the churches of the saints. – 1 Corinthians 14:33



What is this?

A UNIQUE DIGITAL SPACE

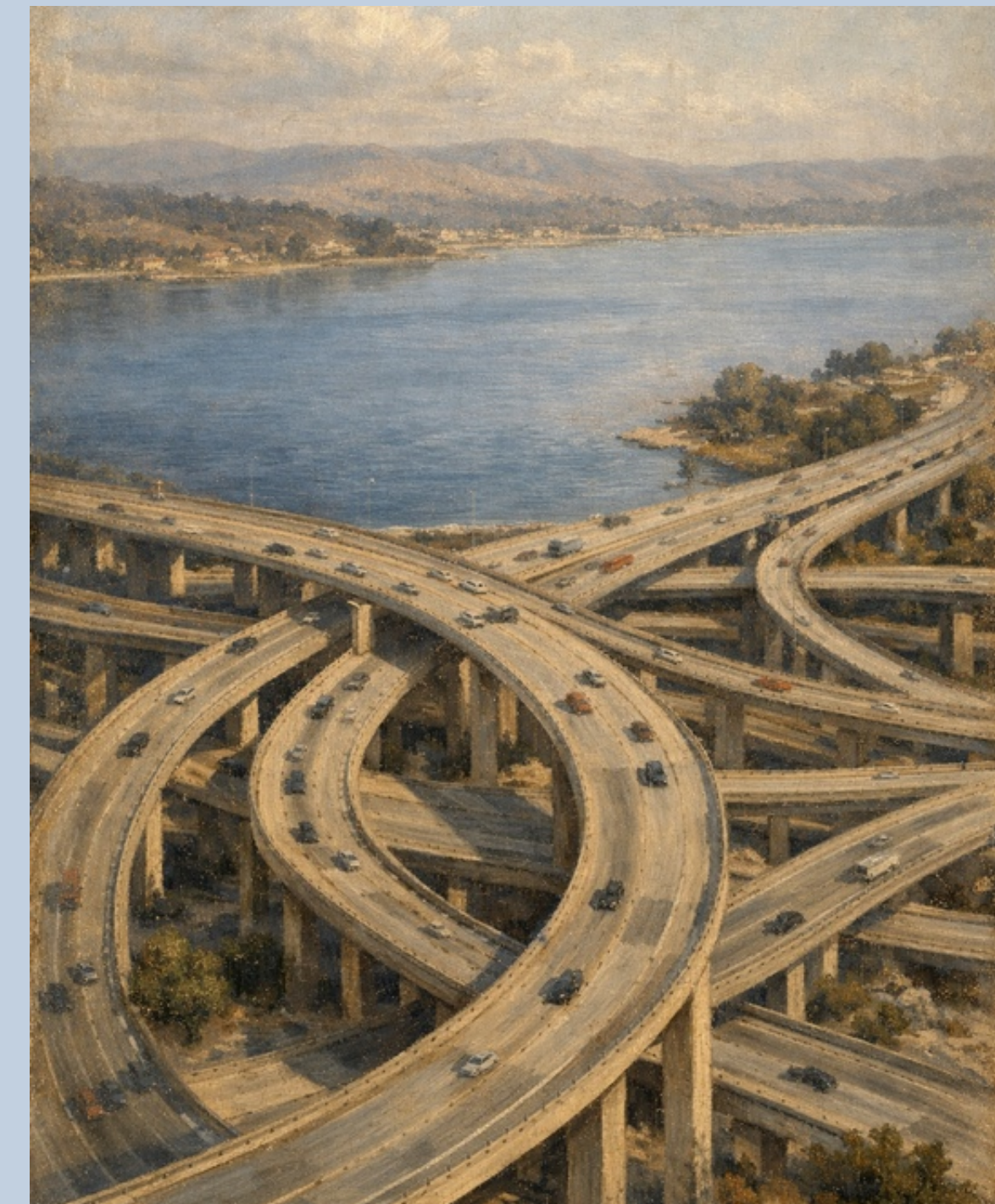
We built Lutheran Network as a deliberate alternative to the social media platforms that have, too often, worked to fracture the confession and concord of our church. Facebook, X, TikTok, and their algorithmic cousins aren't designed for careful theological discussion, meaningful fellowship, and corporate memory. Their ephemeral and sensational nature is antithetical to the faith we hold and the hope we claim. This forum is built as a haven — a network away from that noise. Find here fellowship that edifies, not just engagement that entertains. Find here a place where pastors, congregations, and ministries within confessional Lutheranism can gather in one central digitally-based sacred space.



Why is this needed?

RECLAIMING CONCORD

Our initiatives and discussions are currently fractured across various social media platforms and often disrupted or diluted by the noise of so many other things that vie for our attention. This forum is built as an alternative and haven from that angsty onslaught. Here is one central, digitally-based, sacred space to convene, discuss, correspond, and engage with the varied work of the people, pastors, congregations, institutions, and organizations of the confessional Lutheran church throughout the world.





Who will this benefit?

FROM PEWS TO PAVEMENT

- **Individuals** exploring and claiming confessional Lutheranism
- **Congregations** seeking a space for communication and fellowship
- **Schools** needing a platform for staff and parents
- **Districts** requiring coordinated communication across parishes
- **Organizations** looking to strengthen collaboration and outreach
- **Ministries** wanting to stay connected through the week
- **Podcasts** desiring to connect with and engage listeners
- Other groups needing a connection point to bridge some separation



How is this different?

COMMUNITY-BASED FORUM

At its core, the Lutheran Network provides all the features you would expect from a traditional online forum – discussion channels, private messaging, community content libraries, and more. Create and connect with your Lutheran communities or join any of the open-invite communities listed in the Lutheran Network directory.

PASTORAL CONNECTIONS

We recognize the unique role pastors play in our congregations and in our communities. Pastoral care, connection, and accountability are woven into the platform with unique profile associations. Additionally, every pastor is provided access to a private channel wherein they can come to one another for banter, encouragement, growth, and support.

VIDEO CONFERENCING TOOLS

Host your regular video chat meetings and presentations or stream and record your worship services from within your community on the Lutheran Network. All communities support video chat meetings from 1-200 participants and presentation capabilities for up to 600 viewers with shareable links for public access.



Community Pricing

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We have set up very flexible pricing to meet the specific needs of your community. These costs help support infrastructure, development, and livelihood of those stewarding this initiative.

Community Groups: \$1/group/mo
Community Members: from 2¢/member/mo
Video Minutes / Month: ½¢/minute
Recording Minutes / Month: 2¢/minute
Transcription Minutes / Month: 1¢/minute
Directory Listing Seat: \$40/mo
Video minutes per active participant.
Transcription minutes per unmuted participant.

MEMBERSHIP

Free

General membership to the Lutheran Network is and will always be free. Membership allows access to all topical channels in the forum, the opportunity to connect with any open group listed in the network directory, and the ability to join and engage in any other community group to which you've been explicitly invited.

Build your own package according to your unique community needs. Pricing shown below is only an example based on current price points.

SMALL GROUP

\$2/month

1 community group
10 members
500 video minutes

MID-SIZED CONGREGATION

\$30/month

250 recording minutes
5 community groups
500 members
1200 video minutes

LARGE ORGANIZATION

\$130/month

1 directory-listed group
10 community groups
2500 members
5000 video minutes



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The Lutheran Network is visioned, developed, owned, and operated by Joshua Vandercar as a project of Typewheel LLC. Joshua is a member, in good standing of an LCMS congregation in Fort Wayne, Indiana where he lives with his wife and seven children.

JOINING THE NETWORK

Are you ready to join lutheran.network? Request an invite by sending a message to **invite@lutheran.network**. We'll be in touch.

May the God of peace be with you today.

CONTACT DETAILS



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