Supply Preaching Information

Compensation

Per the 2023 compensation guidelines, the current minimum compensation for supply preaching is:

\$175 Supply for one service

\$225 Supply for two services on the same day

\$ 50 Add per service over two services on the same day

\$125 Supply an extra day

Mileage reimbursement at the current IRS rate (January-June 2022, \$.575/mile; July-December 2022, \$0.625/mile) for daily transportation expenses between your residence and the temporary work station outside the metropolitan area where you live as outlined in the IRS Publication 463.

Certified Synod Authorized Ministers are to be compensated at the same rate, with all compensation paid directly to the supply preacher.

Communion Presidency

The pastor of record of a congregation is responsible for seeking dispensation from the bishop of the synod for any person who is not on the roster of pastors of the ELCA to preside at the table in their congregation. <u>Note:</u> Except in the case of a shared worship service with a local ecumenical partner, this includes presidency at the table by pastors on the roster of a full-communion partner and by Certified Synod Authorized Ministers.

Request should be made with this <u>form</u> as early as possible, preferably <u>at least</u> a month in advance, and absolutely no later than noon of the Wednesday prior to the service.