



SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Wednesdays, October 4, 11,
& 18, 2017

7:00—8:30 p.m.

at St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 142 Market St, Williamsport, PA

Declaration on the Way: Church, Ministry, and Eucharist

Declaration on the Way is a unique ecumenical text that draws on 50 years of Lutheran-Catholic dialogue in preparation for the 500th Reformation anniversary this year. By demonstrating how far Lutherans and Catholics have come together on three crucial topics, the *Declaration* indicates much ground that need not be retraced again, and it offers these Agreements to the churches to be received into their common life. In this way it helps inspire continuing work toward the visible Christian unity, which is Christ's prayer.

On each of these three Wednesdays, both Lutheran and Catholic leaders will lead us in discussion, Week one will center on Agreements and Disagreements on the Church, the following week is discussion regarding the Agreements and Disagreements on Ministry, and the last week, focus is on the Eucharist.

The book *Declaration on the Way* is needed for this class. The price is normally \$12. *But, when you call St. Mark's, at 570-323-4619, or email stmarks@stmarkswilliamsport.org, to register, the price is \$6! This price is available only until Tuesday, September 20.* Or, a free PDF of book and study guide is available to download at:

<https://elca500.org/resources/ecumenical-and-interreligious/>



Common Prayer

From Conflict to Communion: Lutheran-Catholic Commemoration of the Reformation

Concelebrated on

Wednesday, October 25, 2017, 7:00 p.m.

at St. Mark's Lutheran Church,
142 Market St., Williamsport, PA

Refreshments will follow in Fellowship Hall.

“This liturgical order marks a very special moment in the journey from conflict to communion between Lutherans and Catholics. It offers an opportunity to look back in thanksgiving and confession and look ahead, committing ourselves to common witness and continuing our journey together.”

~ *Common Prayer From Conflict to Communion:
Lutheran—Catholic Common Commemoration
of the Reformation in 2017*

