

# 2019 BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION FORM:

Pastor identified as possessing the gifts for the office of  
**BISHOP OF THE LOWER SUSQUEHANNA SYNOD**



1. Name:
2. Current Position:
3. Congregational Membership:
4. Year of Birth (optional):
5. Date and Year of Ordination:
6. Previous Positions:
  
7. Education and Earned Degrees (with institutions and years, most recent first):
  
  
8. List up to five (5) current or past Lower Susquehanna synodical or ELCA experiences that would inform your service as bishop of this synod.

9. List up to five (5) current or past community-related experiences that would inform your service as bishop of the Lower Susquehanna Synod.

10. The document "A Bishop's Gifts for God's Mission" describes the leadership profile of a bishop for our synod. How do you see yourself embodying these attributes? (400 word maximum)

11. What do you see as the principal challenge to our synod in the next six (6) years and how will you address it? (400 word maximum)

12. What is your principal priority for our synod and how will you approach it? (400 word maximum)

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Please submit the completed 2019 Biographical Information Form along with a photo online at: [www.lss-elca.org/synod-assembly/2019-synod-assembly-bio-submission-form/](http://www.lss-elca.org/synod-assembly/2019-synod-assembly-bio-submission-form/) or by emailing The Rev. Thomas E. McKee ([tmckee@lss-elca.org](mailto:tmckee@lss-elca.org)) within two weeks of the Spring Conference Assembly. Forms will be posted publicly on the Lower Susquehanna Synod website ([www.lss-elca.org](http://www.lss-elca.org)) beginning April 22, 2019.