



We are delighted that you have agreed to serve as your congregation's Ticket Captain for the 500th Anniversary of the Lutheran Reformation Worship Service at the Breslin Center in East Lansing on October 15, 2017. The afternoon festivities planned for that Sunday and the worship service are sure to be a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for those who attend. Thank you for publicizing the event and encouraging members to attend as well as with reserving tickets.

This email will be the first of several communications you will receive from the District Office over the course of the next few months. Please look for one around the 15th of each month leading up to the event.

Please take note of the following:

- Ticket captains or individuals may reserve tickets for the event, **all reservations are to be done online.**
- To reserve tickets, click [here](#). Scroll down to blue section, *click on Reserve Tickets*, then *click on Register*, and then **Checkout**. At this point you will indicate the number of tickets desired (in batches of 20 or less).
- **Tickets will be mailed in September** to the churches as indicated on the reservation summary.
- **Parking** rates are \$5/car, \$15-\$20/bus depending on size.
- **Security regulations:** All purses, backpacks, or bags will be checked upon entrance into the Breslin Center. If possible, refrain from bringing. Also, do not bring weapons, food or beverages; signage or other items that would restrict the view of other participants.
- **Room blocks** have been arranged at two area hotels. Visit the [event page](#) for group codes and other information.

Other Worship Service-Related Items

- Singers can still register for the adult [Festival Choir](#) and nominations and registrations are still open for the youth [Honors Choirs](#) especially the middle-school age youth.
- Volunteers are needed to serve on the setup team on Saturday, as greeters and ushers for the service, and as the tear-down crew on Sunday night. All

volunteers receive a free commemorative t-shirt. To volunteer, click [here](#).

Thank you again for serving as your congregation's Ticket Captain and do not hesitate to contact me if you have questions or let me know how I can assist you in this important role.

God's blessings upon your day!

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