

faithful. welcoming. generous.

The Ministry of the Northern Illinois Synod

Discussion Questions

1. In the DVD you saw images of many of the synod's ministries and heard about even more in the narration. List as many of the synod's ministries as you can.
2. What surprised you most?
3. With what parts of the synod's work were you already familiar?
4. With which ministries does your congregation feel most connected?
5. What is the congregation's role in identifying leaders for the church?
6. "Enthusiasm" comes from a Greek word meaning inspired by God. What is your congregation doing with enthusiasm?
7. What would you like to know more about?
8. How might your congregation become more faithful, welcoming and generous?
9. You have been encouraged to be generous to your congregation. How can you encourage your congregation to be generous to the Northern Illinois Synod and the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America through its Mission Support?