



Lutheran Hispanic

—MISSIONARY INSTITUTE—

TRAINING WORKERS TO MULTIPLY HEALTHY HISPANIC MINISTRIES

NEWS AND UPDATES



RECOGNIZED SERVICE ORGANIZATION

RECOGNIZED SERVICE ORGANIZATION (R.S.O) STATUS RENEWED

The Missionary Institute is a partner in mission with the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod. As required, RSO's must periodically undergo a thorough review process to formally renew this relationship. LHMI successfully passed through this review and received confirmation of its approval on February 13, 2018.



SAVE THE DATE!

The third **Partners in Latino Ministries Conference (PALMCON III)** is coming up! The theme will center on ministry to the family. This critical topic is relevant both for the health of the ministry worker's own family and for ministering to other families.

October 16-18, 2019

The conference is being planned for October 16-18 of 2019 in El Paso, Texas. Watch for specific information to be announced on the website, on Facebook, and in the September newsletter.

STUDENT STATS & ACHIEVEMENTS



Praise God for our students and for their mission oriented hearts to reach others with the Gospel!

LHMI students from the Fort Worth finished the Old Testament course and are planning a mission trip to Mexicali this summer. Meanwhile, they continue to reach out to persons struggling with addiction.

Other students are completing the combined Life of Jesus and the New Testament courses on June 23rd. Many of them are involved in two new Hispanic missions in the Dallas area. Several are considering enrolling in the Concordia Seminary.

In Juárez, Mexico, 18 students finished the Discipleship course in May. Several of them are graduating from the "All Nations" Seminary and returning to serve the Lord in their home congregations in Mexico and Central America. Director Richard Schlak is developing a Hebrew course for advanced students this fall.

MATCHING FUNDS CAMPAIGN BEGINS FOR PALMCON III SCHOLARSHIPS

Hispanic ministry workers often work in isolated areas, feel lonely, lack opportunity to network with their peers, and have budgets that can't afford national travel.

Would you like to help these faithful servants attend the PALMCON III conference where they will be able to learn from keynote presenters, network with each other, nurture their faith, leverage resources, and worship together?

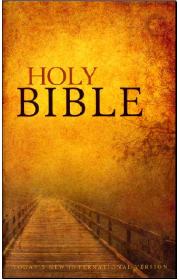
The LHMI board of directors will match up to \$8,000 in donations for the PALMCON scholarship fund. Mail a check to the office, such as with the enclosed envelope, that clearly indicates it is for PALMCON scholarships. Please pray for our efforts to implement a successful conference that will bless Hispanic ministry workers nationwide.

Our phone number has changed!

To lower costs, we switched our service provider which resulted in being assigned a different phone number.

It is now:

(915) 275-4155



Give Someone the Gift of LEARNING

The Lutheran Hispanic Missionary Institute's long-term ministry depends greatly on the building up of a stronger donor base of financial support. If you want to help grow this vital ministry *to expand God's kingdom*, we ask you to give prayerful consideration to making LHMI a recipient of your financial blessings. Ongoing funding needs include:

- ⇒ scholarships for students, including attendance at PalmCon III in addition to tuition for coursework.
- ⇒ increasing the endowment fund, and
- ⇒ general operating which largely includes the provision of teachers, course development, and training for students and congregations.

Options for making tax deductible payments are:

- Mail a check payable to the Lutheran Hispanic Missionary Institute
- Donate via the website
- Direct—Designate Thrivent "choice dollars" to LHMI

For your convenience, a donation envelope has been included in this newsletter.

Thank you for supporting us!

ONLINE COURSES OFFERED



Winter 2018 ❄️

Tentative online courses for the rest of 2018

- DOC 101 Basic Teaching of the Christian Faith (starting July 13th, Friday evenings)
- PRA 103 Fundamentals of Church Planting (Fall)
- BIB 101 Mission of God in the Old Testament (Fall)

The fee per class is \$70. Visit our website or send us an email for registration instructions.

Are YOU, or is your congregation, interested in exploring or starting Hispanic Ministry in your area? To discuss possibilities with LHMI staff, or to request a meeting or workshop at your location, contact us at 915-238-3278. We'd love to assist you in planning a new outreach!

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Prayer Request

If you have a special need or prayer request, please take a minute now to fill in the form below and allow our team to lift you up in prayer.

Your Name: _____ Your Email: _____

Please: Do not share this Share this Share this anonymously

Your prayer request: _____

Please mail your prayer request in enclosed envelope or email it to Claudia@missionaryinstitute.org.

