

ELCA MISSIONARY PROFILE



The Rev. Kristin Engstrom

Zambia

Kristin serves as a facilitator for leadership development and capacity building in Zambia in southern Africa. She is called to walk with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Zambia, and in particular with pastors and lay leaders, as together they work to strengthen the church and grow in congregational and community leadership.

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EDUCATION

B.A. International Relations & Comparative Literature M.Div. Pastoral Ministry

University of Wisconsin-Madison Madison, Wis. Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago Chicago, Ill.

HOBBIES

Knitting, running, hiking, gardening, laughing, eating chocolate and still hoping to learn to play the drums

CALENDAR

Kristin's birthday Kristin's ordination June 5

Sept. 13, 2009

CONNECT

Home-base states: Minnesota, Iowa, Wisconsin Companion synod: Upstate New York Synod (7D)

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