

MNYS Supply List

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Metropolitan New York Synod
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
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Below is a listing of those who are available for Sunday supply work. Their preferences for location are noted as well as their contact information and any further notes. They are grouped by their affiliation with our office/roster status. Updates to this list can be made by contacting Regina Daniels (rdaniels@mnys.org or 212-870-2385). Please note that this can change frequently—For the most up to date list, visit www.mnys.org/for_congregations/supply_pastors.

Rev. Laurie Andersen

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Staff Chaplain MSKCC

Will Commute to any Area

Rev. John F. Backe (Retired MNYS Pastor)

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Anywhere (pending availability)

Mobile: 917.795.2392

Rev. Dr. Rosalind Brathwaite

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5 Boroughs

Mobile: 917.796.5317

Ms. Maren Carlsen (musician)

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Long Island and New York City

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Rev. Judith Delgado (Retired MNYS Pastor)

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Rev. Marsh L. Drege (MNYS Special Call Pastor)

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Anywhere (pending availability)

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Rev. David L. Gable (Ecumenical Partner)

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The Rev. David Gable is a retired Episcopal priest.

Anywhere (pending availability)

631.880.2270

Rev. John Jenner (Ecumenical Partner)

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The Rev. John Jenner is rostered with the Reformed Church in America (RCA).

Orange or Rockland Counties

Rev. Paul T. Johnsen (Retired MNYS Pastor)

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Rev. Dr. Carol Kessler

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Available in: Manhattan, Bronx, Westchester, Putnam, Rockland, Orange Counties

Rev. Dr. John H. Krahn (Retired MNYS Pastor)

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Nassau, Suffolk, and Eastern Queens

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Rev. Karen Kuttler (OLFC)

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Rev. Kum H. Lai (Retired MNYS Pastor)

Brooklyn

718.234.8115 home: 718.748.7976

Rev. Carl W. Leazer (Retired MNYS Pastor)

Suffolk County

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Rev. Elsa Marty (Pastor, St. Lydia's in Brooklyn)

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New York City and Long Island



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Sullivan, Orange, & Rockland Counties

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Manhattan, Westchester, and Rockland counties
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5 Boroughs
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Rev. Kay Reeb (*Retired ELCA Pastor & Former Navy Chaplain*)
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Rev. Roy Roderick (*Retired MNYS Pastor*)

5 Boroughs
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Rev. Robert J. Rodriguez (*Retired MNYS Pastor*)
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Rev. Dr. William G. Rusch (*MNYS Special Call Pastor*)
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The Rev. William Rusch is a Professor at The Divinity School of Yale University. He is willing to assist a parish in emergency situations where he is able.

5 Boroughs
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The Rev. Marianne Tomecek is a part-time interim pastor; can supply in English and Spanish; Only available for Saturday Services

Queens, Brooklyn, Nassau, and Western Suffolk

Mobile: 516.425.7094 *Available for Saturday Services*

Rev. Dr. Christian D. Von Dehsen, Ph. D. (*Retired MNYS Pastor*)

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Rev. Diane O. Wildow (*Retired MNYS Pastor*)

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Rev. Henry J. Wuerz (*Retired MNYS Pastor*)

Hudson or Tappan Zee

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