

## Trinity's Missionary in Suriname



Trinity Lutheran Church is delighted to be a sponsor for the Reverend Kevin Jacobson, a missionary who serves as pastor of Maartin Luther Kerk (MLK) in Paramaribo, Suriname.

In addition to his pastoral duties, Reverend Jacobson works with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Suriname (ELKS) in planning, developing, and implementing leadership programs. As he explains, his ministry is "to work alongside the people of ELKS and MLK, encountering the challenge of recognizing, acknowledging, and organizing the gifts of the people and the church." Pastor Jacobson has deep ties to the Midwest.

According to information we received, he has a home in Chicago and family in our synod. His bachelor's degree in elementary education came from Viterbo College in LaCrosse. From there he earned a Master's degree in Comparative Education at the University of Massachusetts (Amherst) and a Master of Divinity at Luther Seminary in St. Paul. Because of his local connections, we hope to see him here at Trinity during home-assignment leaves.

The people of Trinity pray for God's blessings on his ministry in Suriname.