

RESOLUTION 05.2.08a

To Create, Implement and Promote A Christian Family Education

Program In Lutheran Church–Canada

- WHEREAS there is a need for education to nourish the Christian family given the current breakdown of families in our society; and
- WHEREAS to follow Luther's teaching and example, the Lord instructs His Word to be taught and witnessed in the home; and
- WHEREAS our seminaries encourage students in Christian education areas of family devotional life on a persona level; and
- WHEREAS there is not an official course or curricular program directed to the specific needs of nurturing Christian family education; and there is also need for proper and feasible tools, for example: manuals, pamphlets, training, which express the unity of teaching and practice on this matter in the Lutheran Church; and
- WHEREAS in 1990 Lutheran Church–Canada in Convention adopted Resolution 90.1.06 "To Study Roles For Men And Women In Church And Home" whose "Resolved" is as follows: "that Lutheran Church–Canada encourage congregations to study the biblical teachings on the role of men and women in the church and at home", and be it finally resolved "that as a result of this study, congregations encourage men and women to realize the responsibility and privilege they have to serve the Lord whether in the Church or at home and seek to demonstrate their conviction through greater involvement at Church and in the family"; therefore be it
- RESOLVED that Lutheran Church–Canada create, implement and promote a "Christian Family Education Program" in the Seminary curriculums for Pastors and in the Concordia University College of Alberta curriculum for Directors of Parish Services; and be it further

RESOLVED that tools be made available and promoted for families and congregations.

Adopted, Session 2