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2023 Convention of Synod Art Competition

Calling all artists and aspiring artists!

The Lutheran Lay People's League in conjunction with the Lutheran Church of Australia Qld District will be hosting an art competition at this year's 2023 Convention of Synod. The Lutheran Lay People's League will be sponsoring the LCAQD Synod Art Competition with the aim to inspire and celebrate creativity in the Queensland District.

Entrants must consider the Synod theme 'Called according to God's purpose' (Romans 8:28) as part of their submission. There is a selection of age group categories for entrants, so that a diverse range of category winning artworks can be displayed during the 2023 Convention of Synod.

Category 1:

- Age group - Prep to 5 years
- Cash prize for the winner \$200

Category 2:

- Age group - Primary School (ages 6 – 9 years)
- Cash prize for the winner \$500

Category 3:

- Age group - Middle School (ages 10 – 12 year)
- Cash prize for the winner \$750

Category 4:

- Age group – High School (ages 13 – 17 years)
- Cash prize for the winner \$1,000

Category 5:

- Open Category
- Cash prize for the winner \$1,500



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Entrant rules:

- 2D Artworks will only be accepted (i.e. paintings, drawings, collage) on 16 x 20 inch wrapped stretched canvas.
- Entrants must consider the Synod theme 'Called according to God's purpose' (Romans 8:28) and display their interpretation of the theme in their artwork. Each artwork submission is to be accompanied by a written explanation from the artist of the thought process, design elements and mediums used to create the artwork.
- One submission per entrant with submissions to be received by no later than 4pm on Friday 28 April 2023.
- Submissions to be delivered to the Lutheran Church House – Suite 1, Level 3 – 24 McDougall Street, Milton Qld 4064, with inclusion of the entrant's full name, category submission and contact details (i.e. phone number, postal address and email). Entrants who have not been nominated as a category winner, will need to arrange collection of their artwork by emailing district@qld.lca.org.au or phone 3511 4041.
- Category winners will loan their artwork to the LCAQD for display at Lutheran Church House for 12 months. After this time, category winners will need to arrange collection of their artwork by emailing district@qld.lca.org.au or phone 3511 4041.
- Category winning entrants will be notified of their winning outcome, prior to the 2023 Convention of Synod.
- Category winning entrants will be requested to attend the Saturday night (3rd June at 6pm) dinner function at Brisbane Technology Park, Eight Mile Plains to receive their cash prize by the Synod art competition sponsor, Lutheran Laypeople's League. Category winning entrants will be notified prior to Saturday 3rd June 2023, of further details pertaining to this event.

Artwork submissions will be judged by a small panel of qualified art educators from the Lutheran education school community, prior to the 2023 Convention of Synod.

Submission Deadline: Friday 28 April 2023 by no later than 4pm

Submissions to be provided to the Lutheran Church House (Suite 1, Level 3 – 24 McDougall Street, Milton).

For any LCAQD Synod Art Competition enquiries, please contact Lutheran Church House on; district@qld.lca.org.au or 3511 4041.