Please send me information about

Religious Growth Emblems for Youth
  __ Grades 1-3 God & Me
  __ Grades 4-6 God & Family
  __ Grades 6-8 God & Church
  __ Grades 9-12 God & Life

Adult Religious Recognition
  __ Servant of Youth
  __ Lamb Award

Lutheran Unit Recognition
  __ Lutheran Recognition of Excellence

Please let me know how I can help

NLAS
  __ Communications
  __ Quarterly Newsletter Contributor
  __ Web Site Communicator
  __ Membership
  __ Promotions (e.g., exhibit helper)
  __ Local-Level Assistance
  __ Regional-Level Assistance
  __ National-Level Assistance

Please send me information about

  __ Other members in my area
  __ A local Lutheran Association in my area
  __ How to start a local Lutheran Association
  __ How to start a Scouting unit in my church
    (Boy Scouting, Girl Scouting and/or American Heritage Girls)

For more information, write to:

National Lutheran
Association on Scouting
11123 S. Towne Square, Ste. B
St. Louis, MO 63123-7816

Or visit our Web Site: www.nlas.org

Please accept my dues payment by the enclosed check or with the following credit card (please mark “x”)

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NLAS is...
• A national association of volunteer leaders
• A resource for leaders
• An advocate for Scouting programs in the Lutheran Churches
• An advocate for the Lutheran church bodies to the national Scouting organizations

NLAS Mission
To equip Lutherans and other Christians to minister to young people, using the programs of our partner Youth Serving Agencies.

NLAS Vision
That all Lutheran young people and others in youth agency programs used by Lutheran congregations, as well as their families, are exposed to Jesus Christ, and have an opportunity to know him as Lord and Savior.
What NLAS Does...

- It encourages Lutheran youth members of civic youth-serving agencies to grow in the knowledge of the Triune God and in their relationships to the Lutheran church bodies through Religious Growth Programs endorsed by the Lutheran church bodies.
- It fosters the organization and growth of local Lutheran Associations, Lutheran Committees on Scouting and like groups.
- It sponsors meetings of the membership each year.
- It encourages Lutheran congregations to make use of civic youth-serving agency programs and resources as a means of extending their youth ministry and community outreach.
- It promotes the use of unit and camp chaplains and chaplain aides.
- It fosters other relationship and programs approved by NLAS and the various Lutheran church bodies.

Who can join NLAS?

Membership in NLAS is open to persons who are:
- Members of Lutheran congregations,
- Leaders and members in one or more of the civic youth serving agencies with which NLAS cooperates,
- Youth members of one of the cooperating scouting organizations, or
- Other persons subscribing to and wishing to further the purposes of NLAS.

Why join NLAS?

Membership in NLAS adds your voice and efforts in promoting the working witness of Jesus Christ in service to the civic youth-serving agencies. NLAS works closely with youth ministry leaders of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America and The Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod to develop, maintain, and promote mutual efforts and programs. NLAS is represented on the Boy Scouts of America National Religious Relationships Committee. Members receive regular communication on various ways to share the message of Jesus Christ.

- “LUTHERAN SCOUTING” NLAS’s newsletter, is published four times a year.
- The NLAS website has a variety of resources and ideas on it (www.nlas.org).

How do I join NLAS?

Just complete the attached application and mail it with your tax deductible contribution, as shown in the following paragraph, to the address indicated. Upon receipt, we will send you a packet of information to help you with the role in which you choose to serve. A membership card will also be mailed to you to confirm your support for this important ministry to Lutheran Congregations. The term of membership runs from June 1 through May 31 of the following year. Regular membership is $20, a couple may join together for $30, and $10 for youth. We also offer a life membership for $350, or you can get a partial life membership for five yearly payments of $75 per year.) If you choose to pay by credit card, please complete both the application form at right AND the information requested on the reverse side of this brochure.

APPLICATION FOR NLAS MEMBERSHIP

Name:   Mr.   Mrs.   M/M   Miss   Ms.   Dr.   Rev.   ________________________________
Mailing Address:   ___________________________________________________________________
City, State, Zip (9 digit):   __________________________________________________________________
Email address:   ____________________________
Who recruited you?   ____________________________
Please Circle:   ELCA    LCMS    other:   ____________________________
Home Congregation:   __________________________________________________________________
Council Name of Youth Serving Agency:   __________________________________________________________________
If applicable, local Lutheran Scouting Association:   __________________________________________________________________
Membership Level:   o $20 Regular   o $30 Couple   o $10 Youth   o $75/year (5 years)  Partial Life
Please send me Lutheran Scouting (check one)   o Email   o Surface Mail

Please Circle:  o $350 Life