

# STATE of WISCONSIN



## OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

# Proclamation

*WHEREAS*; pastoral care providers offer emotional, social, and spiritual support to Wisconsinites living in healthcare facilities, nursing homes, correctional facilities, and more; and

*WHEREAS*; pastoral care providers encourage the health and well-being of individuals of all identities and backgrounds, regardless of race, gender, income level, ability status, or ZIP code; and

*WHEREAS*; Pastoral Care Week celebrations across the country honor different themes each year, and the theme for 2022 is “Relevant and Responsive in Times of Crises”; and

*WHEREAS*; this week, the state of Wisconsin reaffirms its commitment to expanding services that encourage the well-being of all Wisconsinites and thanks pastoral care providers for their contributions to the state;

*NOW, THEREFORE*, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim October 23 – 29, 2022, as

## PASTORAL CARE WEEK

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all our state’s residents.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 11<sup>th</sup> day of October 2022.

  
TONY EVERS  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE  
Secretary of State