

## OBJECTIVE:

To develop a continuous process of teaching, learning, formation, and strengthening of leadership through participatory strategies, in order to guide biblical teaching and Lutheran identity according to the different ages and development of the members of the church, CELCO schools and Emmaus Road Foundation for the fulfillment of the IELCO mission.

For the development of this objective the Ministry of Education consists of the following programs:

- ◆ Lutheran School of Theology
- ◆ Emmaus Road Foundation
- ◆ Christian Formation
- ◆ CELCO Schools



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## Areas of Work:

### 1. Lutheran Identity:

Design and implement sound educational processes through continuous formation, for the strengthening of Lutheran identity and testimony of faith in a participatory way.

- Training workshops for the design and production of teaching material for use in CELCOs
- Training in the area of doctrine and confession with Christian Formation teachers
- Creative activities to teach Lutheran identity to children and adolescents
- Introduction to Lutheran identity through workshops with Emmaus Road Foundation
- Virtual and face-to-face courses on confession, history of the reformation and Lutheran identity

### 2. Educational Model:

As the Ministry of Education, -IELCO through our use of popular education, we seek to make our teaching-learning processes participatory spaces, where all can build knowledge based from life experiences and culture, which transform lives, communities, churches and our Colombian society.

For the implementation of this strategy in the different pedagogical spaces we ask the following questions: What do I bring? What does this Bible text tell me? What sticks with me from the text? What does the text propose? What does the text call me to do?

### 3. Christian Education:

The Ministry of Education-IELCO trains and forms through virtual courses, face-to-face courses, devotional times, Christian education classes in the communities, workshops and meetings. Through formal and informal education in our CELCOs, Lutheran School of Theology, Emmaus Road Foundation and Christian Formation of the believers in the communities, as a Christian church, of historical Lutheran confession, committed to the mission of God that fully proclaims the Gospel of Jesus Christ, for the salvation of



### 4. Development and design of resources:

The Ministry of Education-IELCO has an interdisciplinary team composed of teachers, psychologists, musicians, and theologians who contribute to the development, design and layout of resources for Christian Formation in communities, Vacation Bible Schools, catechesis, musical resources and Christian Education in CELCO schools.

### 5. Biblical-Theological and Leadership Formation:

Through the programs: The Lutheran School of Theology, Emmaus Road Foundation, Christian Formation, and The Training and Leadership project, The Ministry of Education-IELCO offers Biblical-theological and leadership training for communities and ministries that enable the development of the universal priesthood of all believers and accompaniment in the pastoral ministry.

