**Mental Health Advocate Announcement for Congregations**

\*Please place the following announcement in your congregation’s bulletin, newsletter, email announcements, social media posts, on your website, etc.

Our congregation is participating in the Mental Health Advocate initiative to promote mental wellness within our congregation that reduces the stigma of mental illness, supports overall well-being, and provides encouragement and hope for those with mental health concerns and their families. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ has kindly agreed to serve as our congregation’s Mental Health Advocate for the coming year. He/she will be a connector between The Lutheran Foundation and our congregation to help equip our congregation with information, resources, educational events, and grant opportunities related to mental wellness. If you would like to join\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in being part of this important endeavor here at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, please contact him/her at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.