



James Edge, Vice-Chair

Reverend James M. Edge received his undergraduate degree from Purdue University in Metallurgical Engineering (1981) and his Masters Degree in Engineering Management from University of Tennessee (1993). During his nearly twenty years of industrial experience he was instrumental in the development of Nuclear Quality systems and ISO 9000 manufacturing standards. He is a published author with the American Society of Quality Control and American Society of Engineering Management.

Pastor Edge has been instrumental in the development of alloys and manufacturing practices in high temperature sintering for industrial applications as well as development of computer integrated manufacturing systems in the areas of environmental engineering, textile manufacturing and statistical process design and development. He holds the certification as a Product Safety Manager as well as other certifications in quality management and plasma analysis.

Pastor Edge is an active public servant volunteering for community projects such as Mercedes Baskets Full the local food pantry. He is a member of the Mercedes Future Planning Ad Hoc committee and support special educational tasks forces with the Mercedes ISD. He is a charter member of the Mercedes War Memorial Committee and a Guardian of the Mercedes War Memorial Monument. He serves Immanuel Lutheran Church as their pastor and is a graduate of Concordia Seminary (1998) in St. Louis, MO with a Masters Degree in Practical Theology.