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Coaching has been a true lifeline for Jill and became an invaluable tool for moving forward following the death of her youngest son in 2013. She views coaching as a gift that offers a safe space for individuals to live into their identity as beloved of God, gifted by God and invited by God into God's work of loving and healing the world.

Jill has over two decades of experience in ministry leadership, coaching, and congregational engagement. Since 2017, she has served with ELCA Coaching Ministries, where she began coordinating coaching efforts in stewardship and discipleship before stepping into the role of ELCA Program Director in 2018, providing vision and leadership for coaching initiatives across the church. From 2021 to 2022, she also served as the Faith+Lead Coaching Liaison with Luther Seminary, helping to connect, equip, and support coaches nationwide through a collaborative initiative. Prior to her national work, Jill spent 15 years at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Neenah, Wisconsin, serving first as Youth Minister and later as Minister of Congregational Life, where she focused on visitation, stewardship, and faith formation.



Jill holds certifications in these coaching specialty areas: grief & loss, stewardship, spiritual disciplines, and mission development & congregational vitality. She is also experienced in team/group coaching and coaching around community engagement. She feels blessed that this equipping and experience is channeled as she serves in the role of Program Manager of Coaching Ministries for the ELCA.

Jill lives in Appleton, WI, with her husband Dave and near their adult son, Andy. She loves her family, friends, and faith community! And when she is not coaching, she enjoys being out in nature - particularly running, hiking, cross-country skiing, & kayaking.



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