

02.11.05 - Seminary Board Meeting Held

On the 28th of October, a regular meeting of the Seminary Board was held. The meeting began by welcoming new members of the board – the Bishop of the Lutheran Church in Kyrgyzstan, Alfred Eicholt, and seminary teacher Anton Tikhomirov.

The board looked at the constitution of the seminary and approved minor changes in order that the seminary's documents might be in compliance with all legal requirements and reflect the recent changes that have been made in the constitution of ELCROS. There was an animated discussion of the seminary's budget, which in the end was approved, with provisions. There was also a lively discussion about the need to search for new teachers for the seminary in the near future. Besides this, the Board voted by majority to approve the faculty's recommendation to move to a 5-point grading scale, as this is the generally accepted standard in Russia. (The Seminary currently uses a 10-point system.)

The next meeting of the Board will take place in April of 2006.