



Missionary Keegan Dowling accepted a call to serve as a member of the outreach committee of the One Africa Team in 2022. In this role he connects with individuals and groups throughout the continent of Africa to explore possible fellowship connections with WELS, especially with those individuals and groups that are French speaking. He and his family currently live in Lusaka, Zambia.

Dowling graduated from Martin Luther College in 2002 and from Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary in 2013. He has held a multitude of jobs, from teaching in California and China all the way to flying aircraft and being an ordinary seaman on Great Lakes freighter ships. After eight years as an officer in the U.S. Naval Reserve, he received his Honorable Discharge in October 2010, with the rank of Lieutenant (O-3). He has lived in seven states and three different countries. Dowling served as parish pastor of Abiding Word, Orléans, Ontario, Canada, from his graduation from seminary in 2013 until 2022.

He and his wife, Kathryn, have four kids: Maximilian (Max), Augustine (Gus), Scheherazade (Zade), and Jael (Ellie). All six are dual citizens of the United States and Canada.

