

Application for Recommendation

Fill this form out, and give it to your pastor. This is intended for your interview with your local church board. They will use this to recommend you on to the District Board of Ministerial Development (DBMD). Do not send this to Education and Clergy Development.

Applicant: Fill out the questionnaire and return it to your pastor preceding the time scheduled for your interview with the Local Board of Administration. If you need more space, please use separate sheets of paper.

NAME _____ BIRTH DATE _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____

1. What level of recognition are you seeking?
Ministerial Student _____ Lay Minister _____
Lay Commissioned Special Worker: _____
Specific Area of Special Worker Ministry? _____
2. If you are seeking recognition as a Lay Minister, in what areas of local church life do you feel you could minister most effectively?
3. If you feel that you are called to full-time ministry in the church, explain how you came to that belief.
4. What gifts do you feel you possess that qualify you for specialized ministry?
5. How and when were you converted?
6. Have you been entirely sanctified? _____ What is your understanding of this grace?
7. In what ways are you presently serving the Lord in the church?
8. What are your plans for preparing yourself for ministry?
9. Are there special areas of ministry to which you feel particularly called?
10. Does your spouse support your call to ministry? _____ Explain any resistance.