

APPLICATION FOR CANDIDACY FOR THE ORDER OF MINISTRY

Please complete this application and attach a recent photograph of yourself and a 2-3 page paper describing your faith journey and your call to ministry. After you and your sponsoring congregation have completed this form, please submit it to:

CHRISTIAN CHURCH IN KENTUCKY  
1125 Red Mile Rd  
Lexington, KY 40504  
Phone (859) 233-1391

PERSONAL INFORMATION: DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_ Ethnicity \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
city state zip

Name of Spouse (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Children (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Present Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

CHURCH INFORMATION: Name of Home Congregation \_\_\_\_\_

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP HISTORY:

Name of Congregation Address Dates of Membership

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Offices Previously Held \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

ACADEMIC INFORMATION:

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

College Graduate: Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_ Year of Graduation and Major \_\_\_\_\_

Name of College \_\_\_\_\_

Address of College \_\_\_\_\_

If you are attending college but have not graduated, indicate number of years attended \_\_\_\_\_

Post Graduate Education: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Other Education \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**REFERENCES:**

Waiver: I waive the right to review reference responses.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Among your four references should be a minister, a member of a Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and a community leader.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>E-mail Address</u>	<u>Relationship to Candidate</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

I hereby apply for candidacy as: \_\_\_ ordained minister \_\_\_ commissioned minister  
\_\_\_ Recognition of Ordination \_\_\_ Joint Standing: UCC/DOC

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Candidate

<b>This section is to be completed by the sponsoring congregation.</b>
_____ Christian Church
Address _____ has
approved the Candidacy for the Order of Ministry of _____
on this date _____.
Signed _____
Title or Office Held _____

On behalf of the Committee on the Ministry of the Christian Church In Kentucky we approved  
\_\_\_\_\_ for Candidacy for the Order of Ministry on this date \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Regional Minister or Designee

\*Recognition of Ordination candidates must include a seminary transcript and a certificate of ordination.