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Succession Pastoral Ministry Application (Confidential—For Ministry Leadership Review Only)

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full Name: _____
Date of Birth: _____
Home Address: _____
City/State/ZIP: _____
Phone Number: _____
Email Address: _____
Marital Status: _____
Spouse's Name (if applicable): _____
Children (Names & Ages): _____

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3)	6)

Training and major interest of your spouse:

Spouse attitude toward your vocational:

Spouse spiritual gifts:

Do you have any other vocational or job skills?

Physical condition of yourself and your family:

PERSONAL INFORMATION (continued)

Position Applying For: Pastoral Ministry / Ministerial Staff _____

Date Available: _____

Are you legally authorized to work in the U.S.? Yes / No _____

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes / No If yes, explain:

CHURCH EXPERIENCE

Current Church Membership: _____

Pastor's Name & Contact: _____

Past Ministry Roles/Experience: _____

Denominational Affiliation: _____

Have you ever been licensed or ordained? Yes / No If yes, by whom and date:

EDUCATION & TRAINING

School / Seminary	Location	Degree / Certification	Year Completed
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SPIRITUAL LIFE & CALLING

1. Describe your salvation experience:
2. Describe your call into ministry and your leading to the ministry
3. In what cultures (rural/urban/suburb/city/cross culture/other) do you work in best?
3. Describe your approach to preaching and teaching the Word:

4. How do you define servant-leadership in the church?

PERSONAL EVALUATION

1. Which New Testament gifts do you have?
2. What do you perceive your primary task as a pastor to be?

PASTORAL SKILLS & COMPETENCIES

1. To the right of each category, evaluate yourself. On a scale between 1 and ten, write a numerical number between 1 and 10 on the left in the order of importance of each skill and competence level, whereby {1 = most important, and 10 = least important}

- Preaching / Teaching
- Pastoral Counseling
- Youth / Children Ministry
- Worship Leadership
- Administration / Church Organization
- Outreach & Evangelism
- Community Engagement
- Conflict Resolution
- Leadership and Discipleship Development
- Visitation / Care Ministry
- Motivating Others

Other Skills or Spiritual Gifts: _____

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY (Last 3 Positions)

Employer / Church	Position	Dates	Reason for Leaving
1.			
2.			
3.			

REFERENCE (Pastoral & Professional Only — Name 3 References. “No Relatives”)

Relationship Phone Email

Name

1)

2)

3)

STATEMENT OF AGREEMENT

I affirm that all information provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that omission or falsification may result in dismissal from candidacy or ministry placement.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

***Note: A background check will be done on all applicants.**