

Documentation to be examined along with this Application for Clergy Relationship to the Annual Conference

License for Pastoral Ministry (§315)

1. All documentation for candidacy certification
2. Report of the faculty of the licensing school or transcript from an approved school of theology indicating credit for one-third of the M.Div.
3. Biographical Information Form (Form 102)
4. Medical Information Form (Form 103)
5. Psychological assessment report or any other information required by the Board of Ordained Ministry
6. Notarized statement concerning any criminal behavior, criminal background and credit checks

Associate Membership (§420, 1992 Discipline, or §322, 2004 Discipline)

1. Transcript from the Course of Study for Ordained Ministry
2. College transcript with 60 semester hours credit or equivalent
3. Annual reports from a clergy mentor
4. Recommendation of the district superintendent
5. Biographical Information Form (Form 102)
6. Psychological assessment report, criminal background and credit checks, or any other information required by the Board of Ordained Ministry
7. Medical Information Form (Form 103)
8. Notarized statement concerning any criminal behavior

Probationary Membership (§324)

1. College transcript indicating a bachelor of arts degree or its equivalent as determined by the Division of Ordained Ministry
2. Seminary transcript indicating completion of half of the M.Div. (or additional seminary if required by conference policy) or Course of Study transcript indicating completion of five year Course of Study and 32 semester hours of graduate theological study or its equivalent through the Advanced Course of Study
3. Annual reports of the clergy mentor
4. Recommendation of the district superintendent
5. Biographical Information Form (Form 102)
6. Psychological assessment reports, criminal background and credit checks, or other information as required by the Board of Ordained Ministry
7. Medical Information Form (Form 103)
8. Notarized statement concerning any criminal behavior

Membership in Full Connection (§§330, 335)

1. Reports of the clergy mentor
2. Recommendation of the district superintendent
3. Biographical Information Form (Form 102)
4. Psychological assessment or other information as determined by the Board of Ordained Ministry (optional)
5. Medical Information Form (Form 103)
6. Written responses to doctrinal questions (where required)

Recognition of Orders

1. Certificate of Ordination
2. College transcript
3. Seminary transcript