

Promised Land Baptist Church

401 Van Buren Street NW

Washington, DC 20012

DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

As part of this application, I understand that the Promised Land Baptist Church (PLBC), of Washington, DC requires certain information about me to evaluate my qualifications for consideration of the pastorate. Therefore, I authorize PLBC to investigate me to the extent necessary for consideration of the pastorate.

I agree to cooperate in such investigations and release those parties supplying such information to PLBC from all liability or responsibility with respect to information supplied.

I agree that Promised Land Baptist Church may use the information it obtains concerning me in the conduct of their business. I understand that such may include disclosure outside PLBC in those cases where its Pastoral Search Committee needs such information to perform their functions or where PLBC legal interest and/or obligations are involved. I understand, however, that the PLBC Pastoral Search Committee intends to protect the confidentiality of personal information it obtains concerning me.

I understand that false answers or statements made by me on this application or any supplement thereto or in connection with the above mentioned investigation will be sufficient grounds to withdraw my name from consideration for the pastorate.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Social Security Number: _____

Signature and Seal of Notary:

Date: _____

Pastoral Application Form

A. Personal and Family Information

1a. Last Name: _____ First: _____ M.I.: _____

2a. Social Security Number: _____

3a. Home Address: _____

4a. Address to which correspondence should be sent if different from the address above.

5a. Telephone Number(s):

Home Phone: () _____

Office Phone: () _____

Cell: () _____

6a. Email Address: _____

7a. Please List your address and dates of residence for the last ten years:

Date	Address
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

8a. Are you a Citizen of the US? YES ___ NO ___

9a. If No, give the country of your citizenship: _____

10a. Are you married?: YES ___ NO ___

11a. What is the name of your spouse?: _____

12a. Are you separated from your wife?: YES ___ NO ___

13a. Are you Divorced?: YES ___ NO ___

14a. Do you have children? YES ___ NO ___

15a. If you have children, please list the name and age of each child

Name	Age	Name	Age
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

16a. Is there a special need for which you or a member of your family must be accommodated?
YES _____ NO _____

If the answer to 16 is YES please explain the circumstances. Use an attachment if additional space is required.

17a. Have you ever served in the US Armed Forces? YES _____ NO _____

If the answer to 17 is YES indicate which branch, date entered into service, discharge date, rank at discharge, and type of discharge:

Branch: _____ Entry Date: _____ Discharge Date: _____
Rank at Discharge _____ Type of Discharge _____

If discharge is other than HONORABLE, please give an explanation. Use attachment.

18a. Please list your Employment History for the last 10 years, starting with most current position.

(Use attachment if additional space is required)

Position Title: _____
Name and Address of current employer: _____

Dates of Employment: From _____ To: _____ Full or Part Time: _____
Reason for leaving: _____

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Dates of Employment: From _____ To: _____ Full or Part Time: _____
Reason for leaving: _____

19a. Are you licensed with the Baptist denomination? YES ___ NO ___
Date of License: _____ Church: _____
City: _____

20a. Are you ordained with the Baptist denomination? YES ___ NO ___
City: _____

21a. What Church are you currently a member?: _____
City: _____ State: _____

22a. Please list membership and participation in religious conference, conventions, and associations.

23a. Have you ever been treated for alcohol or substance abuse? YES ___ NO ___
If YES, when were you treated? Date: _____

24a. Do you use any tobacco products? YES ___ NO ___

25a. Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? YES ___ NO ___
If YES, when were you convicted: _____

B. Education

1b. College(s) attended	Degree Earned	Date	Major
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

2b. Other Colleges, Universities, and seminaries:	Dates of Attended	Credits Earned
Institution _____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

4d. Is your spouse involved with you in your ministry? YES ____ NO ____
If YES, please elaborate. Use an attachment if additional space is necessary.

5d. Have you ever conducted revivals, evangelistic crusades or Christian workshops?
YES ____ NO ____
If YES, please indicate places and dates. Use attachment if additional space is necessary.

6d. Have you ever resigned, been dismissed or considered for dismissal from a pastorate or ministerial position, or been the object of any dismissal proceeding in the ministry?
YES ____ NO ____
If YES, please explain the circumstances.

7d. Have you ever been considered as a finalist for a pastorate at another Church?
YES ____ NO ____
If Yes please explain the circumstances.

8d. Why do you desire to leave your present pastorate? Use an attachment if additional space is necessary?

9d. Are you a member or hold office in any social and community organizations?

10d. What do you consider your greatest strength(s) in the ministry?

11d. What do you consider your weaknesses in the ministry to be?

12d. What have you enjoyed most in your experience in the ministry?

13d. What have you least enjoyed in you experience in the ministry?

E. Church Administration

1e. Please share your views on tithing.

2e. Please share your views regarding Church promoted or sponsored fund-raising?

3e. What is your position regarding women in offices (deacons, trustees, etc) and in the ministry?

4e. Please share your view on the relationship that should exist between the Pastor and the various Church boards and organizations?

F. References

F1. Please list the names of individuals (not related to your): Educator, Mentor, Colleague, who know you well, and who would be willing to provide a reference for you. Please inform each of these individuals that the Pastoral Selection Committee may be contacting them regarding your application.

Educator Reference:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____
Address: _____

Home Phone: () _____ Work Phone: () _____

Mentor Reference:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____
Address: _____

Home Phone: () _____ Work Phone: () _____

Colleague Reference:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____
Address: _____

Home Phone: () _____ Work Phone: () _____

Other References:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____
Address: _____

Home Phone: () _____ Work Phone: () _____
Name: _____ Relationship: _____
Address: _____

Home Phone: () _____ Work Phone: () _____

Thank you for your interest and time in preparing this application. Please provide along with your application the following items:

1. Cassette and/or videotape of a recent sermon.
2. Compensation history
3. Original ordination certificate and license
4. Copy of major publications (if available)
5. Photograph