

Messiah United Methodist Church Nomination Interest Form

The Nominating Committee is given the responsibility by The Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church to nominate candidates for ministry and leadership positions at Messiah. Nominated candidates are then voted upon at our Charge Conference, scheduled for October 30, 2011. The Nominating Committee's aim is to discern God's will in nominating people whose love for Christ and his church, moral character, leadership gifts, and willingness to serve will provide Messiah with excellent leadership during the coming year.

The following questions are provided to assist you in discerning God's will for your service at Messiah and to assist the Nominating Committee in the nominations process. Please feel free to contact one of Messiah's pastors if you have questions or if you would like to have someone pray with you as you seek to discern how God may be calling you to serve in the life of the church. This form is a request for consideration by the Nominating Committee and does not constitute a promise that the person submitting it will be nominated.

Name: _____

Home phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

I am interested in serving as a member of: (check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Building Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Lay Leaders Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Enrichment Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Library Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Protection Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Ministry Connection Team |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church Council | <input type="checkbox"/> Nominating Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communications Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Outreach & Missions Team |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Congregational Care Team | <input type="checkbox"/> Staff-Parish Relations Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discipling Ministries Team | <input type="checkbox"/> Trustees, Board of |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Endowment Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Welcoming Ministries Team |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finance Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Worship Team |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality Ministries Team | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

Why do you desire to serve in this ministry role?

What skills, background or expertise might you bring to this position? (note: specific expertise is not always required)

Are you a member of Messiah UMC? Yes No

If Yes, approximately how long have you been a member? _____

I am fulfilling the expectations of membership by: (check all that apply)

- Worship** – I worship regularly, whenever I am not sick or out of town
- Grow** – I participate in a Sunday School class, Bible study or other small group designed to help me grow in my faith.
- Serve** – I use my time and spiritual gifts to serving God by serving others through involvement in at least one volunteer ministry.
- Give** – I give financially to the church in proportion to my income with the goal of tithing
- Share** – I share my faith in Christ with my family, friends and co-workers as God gives me the opportunity to do so.

Please Note: If there are moral compromises in your public or private life that might prevent you from representing the church in a way that brings honor to God, please address them prior to submitting your name for an elected position.

For More Information contact Rev. Reggie Tuck at (703) 569-9862 Ext. 101 or by email at rtuck@messiahumc.org.

Return this Form by mail, email, FAX, or in person.

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