



EFC-ER APPLICATION FOR MINISTRY CERTIFICATE

A **Ministry Certificate** is given to a member of the local church whose calling and giftedness is recognized, and for whom a certificate would be useful for ministry (visitation, recovery, prison/jail, children/youth, etc.). This certificate is for individuals who are serving full-time but are not in the EFC-ER pension plan.

Please complete the following application and submit a background check to apply for a credential from EFC-ER. If you submitted a background check in 2020, you do not need to send one with your application.

Name (as it should appear on the certificate) _____

Address _____

Email Address _____ Phone _____

Church _____

Position/Ministry Focus _____ Years of Service at Current Church _____

My position is: Full-Time (>30 hours per week) Part-Time (<30 hours per week) Volunteer

Please enter me into the Recording of Ordination Process. Yes No

Experience and Preparation

Level of education completed: High School College Graduate Doctorate

List your institutions of higher education and years of graduation:

- _____
- _____

List your employment or experience related to your area of licensure:

- _____
- _____

Testimony and Vision

Briefly tell us about your conversion and walk with the Lord:

Please complete both sides of the application.

Briefly tell us about how you plan to use any credential you may obtain:

Agreements

Have you read the EFC-ER *Faith and Practice* **2018 Edition** ? Yes No

Are you in agreement with its teachings? Yes No

If you circled no, please provide details as to why:

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Lead Pastor Endorsement

Please select one:

- As lead pastor of this church, I endorse and approve of providing the appropriate license to this individual.
- As lead pastor of this church, I do not endorse and approve of providing the appropriate license to this individual.
- I am the lead pastor of this church and this is my application (no signature required).

Lead Pastor Signature _____ Date _____