

Declaration of Purpose

to Enter

The Christian Ministry

Being fully persuaded in my own mind and heart that God has called me to be a minister of the Lord Jesus Christ, I hereby declare that it is my prayerful and deliberate intent and purpose to answer that call and give myself diligently to such preparation as the Evangelical Church may require for qualifications as a minister of the Gospel and to enter the active ministry as soon as practicable under the regulations of the denomination.

I am a member of _____ Church
in _____.

(Signed) _____ *Date*

Address: _____

Endorsement

_____, having declared his intention to become a minister in the Evangelical Church, because he believes himself called of God to preach the Gospel, we hereby give our endorsement to his declaration, because we believe that he is a suitable person for the office of a minister. We believe that he purposes to complete the necessary course of training and meet the other requirements of our Book of Discipline in order to qualify for license and ordination as a minister of the Evangelical Church.

Signed: _____ Signed: _____
Pastor *Conference Superintendent*

Signed: _____
Lay Leader

Church *Conference*

Date *Date*