



Candidacy is the churchwide process of discernment and accompaniment leading to serve as a rostered Minister of Word and Sacrament or a Minister of Word and Service. Any baptized person who senses a call to serve on a roster of the ELCA must complete this form to begin the process toward candidacy. People seeking rostering who are previously ordained in another Lutheran Church or another Christian tradition must also complete the Application to the Roster of Ordained Ministers - persons ordained in another Lutheran church or from another Christian tradition (OTTR). Persons seeking reinstatement must also complete the Reinstatement form.

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

SYNOD IN WHICH YOU ARE A CANDIDATE

LAST 4 OF SS#

LAST

FIRST

MIDDLE

M.I

LAST NAME AT BIRTH (IF DIFFERENT)

SUFFIX

TITLE

Pronouns

FULL NAME

**Address:**

ADDRESS LINE I

ADDRESS LINE II

CITY

STATE

ZIP

PHONE

E-MAIL

GENDER

BIRTHDATE

BIRTHPLACE

BAPTISM DATE

CONGREGATION

LOCATION

CITIZENSHIP

ARE YOU LEGALLY ENTITLED TO WORK IN THE UNITED STATES?  
(YES/NO)

NATIVE LANGUAGE

ETHNIC ORIGIN

**Other Languages**

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**Do you use Braille to read?** YES NO

**ELCA CONGREGATIONAL MEMBERSHIP**

CONGREGATION NAME

CONGREGATION NUMBER

MEMBER SINCE

CITY, STATE, ZIP

PASTOR

SYNOD