



Candidate for Lay Preacher - Application for Acceptance for Training

Lay Preachers Committee

Part 1 - to be filled out by applicant

Personal Details	
Title	Given Name (s)
Preferred Name <i>(if applicable)</i>	
Surname	
Residential Address	Suburb
Postcode	Postal Address
Suburb	Postcode
Home Phone	Work Phone
Mobile	Email
Present Congregation Name:	
Period of Church Membership at present congregation	
<i>(if less than 1 year, please state total UCA membership)</i>	

Education History
Christian Education or theological study previously completed?

Declaration of Intent
I believe that God is calling me to a preaching ministry within the Uniting Church in Australia. In obedience to that call, I present myself to the church for acceptance as a candidate for training as a lay preacher. I understand that my call to preach will be tested as my application is considered by the Councils of the Church.

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Signature: _____

Date: ____/____/____

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Part 2

Referees - OPTIONAL

1. Title	Name			
Address			Postcode	
Phone	Mobile	Email		
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2. Title	Name			
Address			Postcode	
Phone	Mobile	Email		

Recommendation by Minister

Please submit this form to your minister for processing.

Minister Name *(please print)*

A separate sheet may be attached with comments.

Signature

Date

Please forward this application to the church council. The applicant should be advised when the application has been forwarded.

Recommendation by Church Council

Church Council Name

Date of Vote	Consensus	For	Against	Abstain
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Signature

Date

Please forward this application to the Presbytery:

Max Howland, Chairperson, Lay Preacher's Committee, 1A Lamington Ave, Seacliff Park SA 5049
OR max.howland@internode.on.net

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Recommendation by Lay Preachers Committee

Application Accepted? **Yes: Advise Applicant**

No: Advise Applicant and explain; counsel re further action.

Date of Vote	Consensus	For	Against	Abstain
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Signature of Secretary **Date**

Leadership Development Council advised: (date)

Leadership Development Council Endorsement: (date)

Applicant advised: (date)