

BCLR Pastoral Application

Applicant Information

Full Name: _____ Date: _____
Last First M.I.

Address: _____
Street Address Apartment/Unit #

City State ZIP Code

Phone: _____ Email _____

Date Available: _____ Social Security No.: _____ Desired Salary: \$ _____

Position Applied for: _____

Are you a citizen of the United States? YES NO If no, are you authorized to work in the U.S.? YES NO

Have you ever worked for this church? YES NO If yes, when? _____

Qualifications

Please list all current certifications relevant to the job:

Please list any training courses you have completed in the last 5 years:

Are you willing to authorize a criminal background check? _____

Have you been Ordained? _____ Licensed? _____ Denomination/church? _____

When would you be available to start?: _____

Please attach in an essay form the answer to the following questions:

1. Give a summary of your conversion experience.
2. Describe how you are pursuing spiritual maturity. How are you gifted by the Holy Spirit for ministry?
3. Give a brief summary of your call and leading to pastoral ministry.
4. How do you balance the needs of your family with those of congregation and ministry?
5. What is your style of leadership? Please describe your interpersonal skills.
6. Please describe your experience in children’s ministry.
7. Please describe your experience in church/ministry administration.
8. Describe your philosophy of family ministry, particularly to families with infants and children.

9. What do you believe are the primary responsibilities of a Family Pastor?
10. What are the non-negotiables/priorities of a family ministry?
11. Describe how you work with pastoral colleagues.
12. What is the gospel?
13. How do you explain the gospel to a child?

Education - What level of Theological Education have you completed?

Attach If More Space is Needed

Seminary: _____ Address: _____

From: _____ To: _____ Did you graduate? YES NO Degree: _____

College: _____ Address: _____

From: _____ To: _____ Did you graduate? YES NO Degree: _____

Other: _____ Address: _____

List the authors you most commonly read, podcasts you listen to, and websites you most often visit. -

References

Please list three other people that you have worked with in the past: 1 pastor, 2 volunteers or employees

Full Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Church/Org: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Full Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Church/Org: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Full Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Church/Org: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Previous Employment

Church/Org _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Supervisor: _____

Job Title: _____ Starting Salary: \$ _____ Ending Salary: \$ _____

Responsibilities: _____

From: _____ To: _____ Reason for Leaving: _____

May we contact your previous church/org for a reference? YES NO

Church/Org: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Supervisor: _____

Job Title: _____ Starting Salary: \$ _____ Ending Salary: \$ _____

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May we contact your previous church/org for a reference? YES NO

Church/Org: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Supervisor: _____

Job Title: _____ Starting Salary: \$ _____ Ending Salary: \$ _____

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Church That Would Affirm You As An Elder

Name: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Senior Pastor: _____ Phone Number: _____

Volunteer Staff

Have you had experience in managing volunteer ministry staff? YES _____ NO _____

Time Frame _____ Name of Organization _____ Number of Volunteers _____

Direct Reports

In the past ten years please fill out the following information with regards to the number of direct reports

Time Frame _____ Company _____ Your Position _____ Number of Reports _____

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Disclaimer and Signature

Please provide at least one of the following: Video, Audio, or Notes of at least two sermons

I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. Completing this application is not a guarantee that an actual interview will take place.

If this application leads to employment, I understand that false or misleading information in my application or interview may result in my release.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

_____ initial. I've read the initial Job Description Overview attached to this application.

_____ initial. I've read and agree with the BCLR Doctrinal Statement.

Please complete this application and send it to James Henrich c/o julie.riley@bclr.org.