Lay Minister Application

**Please send this to:**

*Church of God of Prophecy*

*State Office*

*P.O. Box 220*

*Elizabethtown, KY 42702*

Please print clearly.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, KY Zip \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Male  Female  Date of Birth\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Married  Single  Divorced  Have you or your spouse ever been Divorced/Remarried? 

Date of conversion \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sanctified \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Holy Ghost \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Have you been

baptized in water? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ If so, when and by whom \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

How long have you been a member of the Church of God of Prophecy? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you sense a definite call into the vocational ministry? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ If so what area?

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Are you willing to be equipped for ministry through study courses and the ministry enrichment sessions provided by the pastor and State Office? \_\_\_\_\_ Will you make yourself available to the pastor and congregation to serve in areas of your gifting which would allow the pastor time for prayer and fasting? \_\_\_\_\_ What capacity of church service do you believe you are best equipped to serve in? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have organizational skills? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Do you have administrative skills? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you understand financial matters? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Do you have maintenance skills? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Will your companion serve alongside of you in ministry? \_\_\_\_\_ Are you daily in prayer? \_\_\_\_\_\_ Do you lead your family in personal family worship? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Are you being enriched daily from the Word of God? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Are you a good steward in tithing and giving? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please write in the space provided why you would like to be a Lay Minister.

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*(A copy of this application should be kept in the local church files.)*

Your certificate must be renewed annually. During this period, you must be working to complete the Foundations Courses. These study guides can be ordered online from White Wing Christian Bookstore at whitewingbooks.com or call 1-800-221-5027 to place order. After fulfilling the Foundations Course, should you desire to become a licensed minister, and should your pastor feel that you are equipped for ministry, the local church conference would endorse you for ministry by completing the *Endorsement Form for Licensed Minister.*