



## **Pastoral Vacancy Announcement: How to Apply**

**Pilgrim Rest Missionary Baptist Church** , 1800 S. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, Springfield, Illinois is prayerfully seeking a Pastor, called by God, equipped to effectively teach the Word of God to His people. The qualified candidate must be a visionary Leader with the ability to lead and direct the congregation by leadership, counseling, teaching and preaching to lead others to Christ. The candidate must be a born again Christian, licensed and ordained Baptist minister who believes in Jesus Christ, and also has the ability to fulfill the spiritual needs of the congregation. The ideal candidate must be a leader with sound biblical doctrine as stated in 1st Timothy 3:1-7 and Titus 1:6-9.

Pilgrim Rest Missionary Baptist Church was organized 45 years ago, August 13, 1973. A new facility consisting of a sanctuary, fellowship hall and office area was erected and dedicated on December 10, 2000. Dr. Charles W. Tiner, Sr., founder and pastor of Pilgrim Rest, retired December 31, 2018 after 45 years of faithful and dedicated service.

All interested persons must submit a complete application packet consisting of the following:

1. Cover letter, application and current resume
2. DVD or You Tube link of a sermon delivered within the past year
3. Current color photo (5 x 7)
4. License to Preach and Ordination Certificate (copy)
5. A completed and signed applicant checklist

**Submission:** You may submit your **completed candidate packet** via either of the below methods.

<b>U. S. Mail</b>	<b>E-Mail</b>
Pilgrim Rest Missionary Baptist Church P.O. Box 5057 Springfield, IL 62705	<a href="mailto:Pilgrimrestmbc1973@yahoo.com" style="color: blue; text-decoration: underline;">Pilgrimrestmbc1973@yahoo.com</a>

**Completed Candidate Packet must be postmarked no later than March 31, 2019**

### **FINAL CANDIDATES**

- Final candidate(s) must consent to a background check, credit check and drug screening test (performed through an outside agency to ensure complete confidentiality) All information received/presented will be treated as CONFIDENTIAL. For additional information or questions, please submit your request to the **Pastoral Search Committee** at the above P.O. Box address or e-mail address. In addition, letters of recommendation from three (3) pastors.
- No phone calls please