

SECOND SHILOH CHURCH OF CHRIST DISCIPLES OF CHRIST INC

PASTOR APPLICATION FORM

1355 Homestead Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21218

*** Indicates required response**

1. Personal/Family Information			
*Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial		E-mail address:	
*Street Address (including City, State, and Zip Code)		*Phone Number:	
Date of Birth:	*Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female	*Social Security Number (Last 4):	*U.S. Citizen ☐ Yes ☐ No
What is it about this position that attracts you?			
What is your current occupation? Are you currently employed as a minister/pastor? If so, where? Why are you interested in making a change?			
Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor? ☐ Yes, felony ☐ Yes, misdemeanor ☐ No			
If yes, please explain:			
*What is your current marital status? ☐ Single ☐ Married ☐ Divorced ☐ Widowed	*Have you previously been: ☐ Married Date: ☐ Divorced Date: ☐ Widowed Date:		Wife's Name: Occupation:

	Check all that apply or ☐ N/A			
*If you have raised children in your household, please list their names and ages:				
2. Education – Include copies and list all certifications and diplomas of training documents related to Christianity				
Name of high school attended:	City & State	*Diploma ☐ Yes ☐ No	*GED ☐ Yes ☐ No	Year
Name of college(s)	City & State	Degree (specify)	Year	
*Are you ordained? ☐ Yes ☐ No *Date:	*Ordaining Church: (Please provide a copy of license and ordination certification)			
Do you hold any pertinent secular certification or licenses? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, please describe:				
Military service? ☐ Yes ☐ No				

3. Pastoral Experience Paid/Unpaid (List most recent first)	
*Name of Church: *Address (including City, State, and Zip Code):	*Church Phone: *Church Website:
# Membership when appointed as Pastor:	# Current membership/membership at time of separation:
Salary:	Title/Position:
Years of Service From: To:	Major Responsibilities:
Reason for Leaving:	
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Reason for Leaving:		

4. References (3 Pastoral and 2 Professional/Personal)		
*Name and Occupation:	*Relationship:	*Phone Number and Email
References' Mailing Address (including City, State, and Zip Code):		
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5. Employment History Relating to the Position of a Pastor Other than Pastoral	
*Name of Employer: Job Title:	*Duties:
*Address (including City, State, and Zip Code):	*Dates of Employment From: To:
*Supervisor: *Telephone:	*Reason for Leaving:
Name of Employer: Job Title:	Duties:
Address (including City, State, and Zip Code):	Dates of Employment From: To:
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6. Vision: Please <u>describe</u> your vision for Second Shiloh Church of Christ in two or three lines.
7. Philosophy of Missions: What is your definition of missions and how it is accomplished?
8. Philosophy of Administration: Please <u>describe</u> your administrative philosophy and how this philosophy influences your administrative style. Please include concrete examples from your experience as an administrator.
9. Philosophy of Leadership: Please <u>describe</u> your leadership style.
10. Professional Accountability: Please <u>describe</u> your view of how a pastor should function in regards to: a. Church finances

b. Relationship with the church deacons

c. Relationship with church staff (custodian, musicians, recording secretary)

d. Hospital visitation/sick and shut-ins

11. Professional Development: Please tell us how you stay up to date in your vocation.

12. Issues: Please briefly describe your position on current social, theological, and ethical issues.

13. Personal Christian Experience:

a. Please give a brief summary of your conversion experience.

b. Please discuss your calling to full-time work in the church.

c. Describe your spiritual gifts.

d. Describe your spiritual maturity and how you cultivate it.

14. Family/Personal/Civic Activities:

- a. How does your wife enhance your ministry?
- b. How do you make family a priority?
- c. What are your special interests and hobbies?
- d. What is your chief contact with non-Christians?
- e. List any community organizations (civic, social, etc.) of which you are currently involved.
- f. What three people have had the greatest positive impact on your life and why?
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.

15. Is there anything in your past or present that has negative impact we should be aware of and discuss before we consider you as a candidate for pastor of this church?

16. How did you hear about this position?

CAREFULLY READ EACH STATEMENT BEFORE SIGNING AT THE BOTTOM

I certify that all the information provided in this employment application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge, and I authorize investigation of all statements contained in this application. I understand that any false or incomplete information may disqualify me from further consideration for employment and may result in my immediate discharge if discovered at a later date.

I authorize any person, school, current employer, past employers, and other organizations to provide information concerning my previous employment and other relevant information that may be useful in making a hiring decision. I release such persons and organizations from any legal liability in making such statements.

I understand a criminal background and credit check will be required for this position and I may be contacted in that regard later in the application process.

I have read, understood, and agree with the above statements.

By signing your name along with the date below, you are verifying you agree with the above statements.

***Signature:**

***Date:**

HOW TO APPLY

You may submit your application form electronically at <https://www.secondshilohchurchofchrist.org>. Otherwise, you may submit your form via email to info@secondshilohchurchofchrist.org or mail to Second Shiloh Church of Christ, Attn: Pastoral Selection Committee, PO BOX 33385 Baltimore, MD 21218.

CONTACT INFORMATION

For questions or if you are a person with a disability and wish to request reasonable accommodation, please email us at info@secondshilohchurchofchrist.org.