

The Episcopal Church
THE DIOCESE OF GEORGIA

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Lay Minister's License Application

Form LLM 12/06

Diocesan ID#: _____

Please give the applicant a copy of the Feb. 2006 "Standards For Licensed Lay Ministers"

To be completed by the applicant. Incomplete sections will delay processing.

CHECK WHAT'S NEW INFO IN LAST 12 MONTHS [] Address [] Phone [] Email [] Parish

PARISH	TITLE	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE	LAST	NICKNAME
APPLICANT'S MAILING ADDRESS		CITY	STATE	ZIP+4	
TELEPHONE HOME	WORK	FAX	MOBILE		
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➔ PLEASE PROVIDE US WITH YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS, IT'S THE MOST EFFICIENT WAY TO COMMUNICATE - WE WON'T GIVE IT OUT OR SPAM YOU! _____

- [] Use my email address for LLM business only
- [] I would also like to receive electronic notices of conferences, diocesan news etc.
- [] I do not use email

Check one **ONLY**: Application is for

- [] A **New License** in this parish never having been licensed in this diocese.
- [] *A **New License** in this parish having been licensed in _____ Parish, Georgia.
- [] *A **Renewal License** *I do [] do not [] have a diocesan lay minister's cross

All LLMs are required to participate in continuing education/spiritual formation conferences outside the parish twice in the 3-year licensing period (*1st year conference for **NEW** licensees **must** be diocesan training held at Honey Creek each March; all others may be but don't have to be diocesan sponsored).

	DATE	TITLE/ PLACE
*MARCH DIOCESAN TRAINING		LLM Training/Honey Creek
LAST CONFERENCE ATTENDED		
NEXT CONFERENCE		

State your understanding of your call to this ministry and, if renewing, report on ministerial acts.

➔ [] I have read and will abide by the diocesan standards for Licensed Lay Ministers and the pertinent church canons.

N.B.

 APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

 DATE

Applicant's Name: _____ ID# _____

Diocesan requirements *(If you don't have pertinent material on file, contact the diocesan office.)*

- Lay Eucharistic Minister - Lay Minister's Examination (set by diocese, administered and graded by rector/vicar or his or her designee), Diocesan Training at Honey Creek
New →
- Lay Eucharistic Visitor - As above PLUS training (set by the diocese, administered by the parish),
New → Reading "A Manual for Eucharist Visitors" by Beth Wickenberg Ely
- Catechist - The training by diocesan Commission on Christian Formation is on hiatus. Please contact the diocesan office.
- Lay Preacher - Lay Preacher's exam (set by the bishop and sent to him upon completion) Seminary degree OR EFM OR DOCC OR local training approved by the bishop

To be completed by the rector/vicar

If you are requesting a Lay Preacher's license for the applicant, please complete the following:

Type & Date Lay Preacher Requirement Completed: _____
Diocesan Exam enclosed [] OR sent to the bishop on _____

I certify that the herein-named applicant meets the standards for licensing in the Diocese of Georgia and has successfully met the diocesan requirements. In the case of a Lay Eucharistic Minister license request, I further certify that the vestry has endorsed the application. I hereby support the applicant's request to be licensed as a:

- Lay Eucharistic Minister: Liturgical (3-yr) [] Visitor [] (3-yr);
- Catechist licenses are not currently issued; contact diocesan office for more information
- Lay Preacher [] (3-yr)

PRIEST'S SIGNATURE OR SR WARDEN OF VACANT CURE

DATE

The approved application will be return to the parish, please keep it on file. In the case of first-time licenses, the bishop will present the LM cross at the time of his visitation.

Diocesan Office Use

Lay Eucharistic Minister: Liturgical [] Visitor []; Lay Preacher []

Approved by _____ on _____. License will expire on _____ unless it is lawfully revoked or LLM transfers from parish.