



**Charge Conference 2017
CERTIFIED CANDIDACY RENEWAL**

The Candidate's home church charge conference must renew the certified candidacy status of each candidate annually or the candidate is automatically decertified.

REQUIREMENTS

- Evidence that the candidate's gifts, graces, and fruits continue to be satisfactory
- Evidence that the candidate is making satisfactory progress in the required studies
- Evidence that the candidate is making satisfactory progress in the required leadership position of their local church

ACTION

The Charge Conference of _____ in the _____ River District, believing that _____ is called of God and is a suitable candidate for ordained ministry in The United Methodist Church; move that the certified candidacy status be renewed for the coming year. In making this recommendation, we attest to the fact that the declared candidate has been a member or affiliate member of the charge for at least two years, has graduated from an accredited high school or received a certificate of equivalency, and has received a two-thirds vote of the charge conference.

Signed by Candidate: _____ Date: _____

Signed by S/PPRC Chair: _____ Date: _____

Signed by Pastor: _____ Date: _____

Signed by District Superintendent: _____ Date: _____