

Pastoral Call and Certification Form

The _____ Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

Of _____ belonging to Northumberland Presbytery, being well satisfied with your qualification for ministry and confident that we have been led to you by the Holy Spirit as one whose service will be profitable to the spiritual interests of our church and fruitful for the kingdom of our Lord, earnestly and solemnly call you, Rev. _____ to undertake the office of _____ of this congregation, beginning _____, promising you in discharge of your duty all proper support, encouragement and allegiance in the Lord.

That you may be free to devote full-time (part-time) to the ministry of the Word among us, we promise and obligate ourselves to pay you the sum of \$ _____ a year in regular monthly payments. Further, we promise to provide you the following:

Use of the manse	_____	Vacation time of _____
Housing Allowance	\$ _____	Study leave of _____
Utilities Allowance	\$ _____	
Automobile Allowance	\$ _____	Other provisions include:
Expense Allowance	\$ _____	_____
Book Allowance	\$ _____	_____
Medical Insurance	\$ _____	_____
Study Leave Allowance	\$ _____	
Moving Costs	\$ _____	
Other (specify)	\$ _____	

We also promise to pay regularly in advance to the Board of Pensions a sum equal to that requisite percent of your salary which may be fixed by the General Assembly of the PCUSA for participation in its pension plan, during the time of your being and continuing in the pastoral relationship set forth in this call to this church. We further promise and obligate ourselves to review with you annually the adequacy of this compensation.

In testimony whereof we have subscribed our names this _____ day of _____, A.D. _____

Having moderated the congregational meeting which extended the call to

The Rev. _____, I do certify tht the call has been made in all respects according to the rules laid down in the Form of Government, and that the persons who signed the above call were authorized to do so by vote of the _____ Presbyterian Church U.S.A.

_____ Moderator of the meeting Date: _____