

Pastoral Residency Application

For your application, please prepare a document including the information specified below. Application should be formatted to 12-point font, single-spaced and no more than five pages in length. Upon completion, please email your application to Ron May, rmay@firstfreewichita.org. Deadline: Monday, February 6, 2023.

Personal Information

- Your name
- Spouse's and children's names and ages (if applicable)
- Address
- Phone number
- Email
- Date of Birth
- Current church. Are you a member?
- Anticipated graduation date from Trinity

Calling

- Tell us about your faith journey.
- Tell us about your sense of calling. Where and how do you sense God is directing you to serve him after graduation from Trinity?
- Who have been the most important influences in your call to ministry?
- If married, what is your spouse's sense of your call to ministry?

Character

- How are you currently involved in your local church?
- What do you do to maintain spiritual health both personally and with your family (if applicable)?
- Read any good books lately? Tell us about one or two of them. (Exclude the Bible on this answer.)
- What is something fun or interesting that you would like us to know about you?

Convictions

- What is your philosophy of ministry?
- What constitutes a spiritually healthy person?
- What aspect of ministry excites you the most? Which is least exciting?

Competence

- What is your educational background?
- What is your current GPA and current area of focus in the MDiv program?
- What is your work and ministry experience?
- In what ways have you or are you currently demonstrating leadership?
- What are your greatest strengths and weaknesses as a ministry leader?