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## APPLICATION FOR GUEST OFFICIATING MINISTER – FUNERALS & MEMORIAL SERVICES

Peace Presbyterian Church (PPC) believes that funerals & memorial services should be conducted, in their entirety, in the spirit of a worship service. The sanctuary is a house of God; therefore, the service must be dedicated to the worship of God in Christ Jesus and be officiated by an ordained minister in a Bible-believing church, who is actively serving in a congregation or honorably retired. If you concur, please complete the following information:

(Print Name)

\_\_\_\_\_, agree with the following statement of faith:

**I believe** the Bible is the written Word of God, inspired by the Holy Spirit, is the revelation of God's truth and is infallible and authoritative in all matters of faith and practice.

I believe in the Holy Trinity. There is one God, who exists eternally in three persons: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

I believe that all are sinners and totally unable to save themselves from God's displeasure, except by His mercy.

I believe that salvation is by God alone, based on His grace, not on any human individual merit.

**I believe** that Jesus Christ is the eternal Son of God, who through His perfect life, sacrificial death, and bodily resurrection atoned for the sins of all who will trust in Him, alone, for salvation. Apart from Jesus there is no hope and no other way a person can have a relationship with God.

I believe that the Holy Spirit indwells God's people and gives them the strength and wisdom to trust Christ and follow Him.

I believe that Jesus will return, bodily and visibly, to judge all mankind and to receive His people to Himself.

I believe that all aspects of our lives are to be lived to the glory of God under the Lordship of Jesus Christ.

Signature:	Date:
Ordained By (name of denomination/church) :	
I'm In Good Standing in My Denomination 🗆	I'm Retired 🗆
Name of Church Currently Pastoring:	
Name of the family for whom you are officiating the service:	

Completion of this form does not constitute approval to officiate a ceremony.