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Application Form

As this form will be photocopied, please use a black pen or black type.

If there is insufficient space for your response to any question please attach further sheets.

**Position applied for: Minister, Christ Church Earlsfield**

###### Personal details

Name: Nationality:

Usual first name: Marital status:

Other names: If appropriate, name of spouse:

Age: Date of birth:

Address: Name(s) and age(s) of children:

Postcode: Email:

Daytime telephone number: Home telephone number:

Mobile telephone number:

How long have you lived at the above address? ……………..…… years

If less than 3 years, please give previous address(es) with dates:

From / / to / / From / / to / /

Previous Address: Previous Address:

(Please note that we may need to see birth/marriage certificates to check names.)

###### Current employment

Present Employer Starting date

Position held Salary

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| Employment historyPlease tell us about your past employers in the table below. |
| Employers name and address | **Employed from (date)** | **Employed** **to (date)** | **Job title and description** **of duties** | Reason for leaving |
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###### Personal qualifications

List (with dates) secondary schools, colleges, universities or other places of education and training you have attended together with any qualifications that you have obtained.

Place of education Dates and qualifications

(We may later ask for a copy of any certificates, diplomas, degrees, or other qualifications you hold.)

###### Health and character

Would you state that your health is: Good / Fair / Poor? (please explain your answer)

In a few words, what do you think are the strengths and weaknesses of your personality?

Your Christian experience and understanding.

1. How and when did you become a Christian?
2. What is really important to you about your faith today?
3. How would you describe the character of God, the Father?
4. What do you believe concerning the person and work of Jesus Christ?
5. What do you believe concerning the person and work of the Holy Spirit?

1. What do you believe about the Bible, and its use?

1. What do you find hardest about being a Christian (and why)?

Your skills and experience.

1. Why would you like to be the Minister of Christ Church Earlsfield?

2. What do you perceive to be the key priorities for leading a 10 year old church?

3. What do you consider to be your key strengths in ministry?

4. In what areas would you need most support?

* **Please email links, or files of 2 recent sermons when sending in this form.**

**Interests**

Outside of your work, what are your interests? (please give details)

###### General information

For the safety of the vulnerable people within our church, ministry staff are required to apply for an enhanced criminal records check through the Disclosure & Barring Service (DBS).  Will you agree to co-operate fully in such checks?”

If appointed, when would you be free to join Christ Church Earlsfield and when would be your preference?

**Referees** Please provide us with the details of THREE referees. One referee should be your present or last employer. We would prefer referees who have known you for at least two years. The referees should not all be of the same sex, nor should they have known you in the same context.

**1. Recent employer:**

Name Telephone

Status Email

Address When may we contact this referee?

**2. Referee: 3. Referee:**

Name Name

Status Status

Address Address

Telephone Telephone

### Email Email

DECLARATION: The facts set out in this application for employment are, to the best of my knowledge, true and complete. I understand that a false declaration may result in the withdrawal of any offer or in the immediate termination of employment.

**Signature of Applicant:**

**Date:**

***Please return the completed form to…***

***The Elders, Christ Church Earlsfield, c/o 161 Elsenham Street, London, SW18 5NZ.
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