

Application for Aspirant Status

Diocese of Fredericton

I accept the nomination of my parish to pursue ordination to the

(Vocational) Diaconate

Priesthood

I understand that in accepting this nomination I am putting myself under the authority of the Bishop of Fredericton and the direction of those overseeing the discernment process on the Bishop's behalf.

I understand that, should I be ordained, I will be required to make the following declarations and oaths according to Canon SEVEN:

Declarations

I profess the faith set forth in the Scriptures and in the Catholic Creeds and affirm my allegiance to the doctrine of the Anglican Church of Canada as set forth in the Book of Common Prayer and in the Ordinal,

In public prayer and in the administration of the Sacraments I will use the form of the Book of Common Prayer and none other except so far as shall be ordered by lawful authority, and

I will pay true and canonical obedience to the Canons which have been or are from time to time passed by the General Synod, the Provincial Synod and the Diocesan Synod of Fredericton.

Oaths

The oath of canonical obedience to the Bishop.

The oath of allegiance to the Sovereign.

I hereby seek permission from the Bishop of Fredericton to enter the diocesan discernment process leading to ordination and apply for status as an aspirant.

Name of Applicant	
Address	Parish
	Telephone
	E-mail

Signature

Date

This application should be submitted to the Office of the Bishop of Fredericton and accompanied by the Report of the Parish Discernment Committee and the completed form of Parish Commendation and Nomination to Holy Orders. Upon receipt and acceptance of this application, the Bishop of Fredericton will seek to meet with the applicant to discuss potential next steps in the process.

April 2008

Application for Postulancy

Diocese of Fredericton

I wish to apply for the status of postulant for ordination to Holy Order of

Deacon

Priest

I understand that I am putting myself under the authority of the Bishop of Fredericton and the direction of the Vocational Chaplains.

I understand that, should I be ordained, I will be required to make the following declarations and oaths according to Canon SEVEN:

Declarations

I profess the faith set forth in the Scriptures and in the Catholic Creeds and affirm my allegiance to the doctrine of the Anglican Church of Canada as set forth in the Book of Common Prayer and in the Ordinal,

In public prayer and in the administration of the Sacraments I will use the form of the Book of Common Prayer and none other except so far as shall be ordered by lawful authority, and

I will pay true and canonical obedience to the Canons which have been or are from time to time passed by the General Synod, the Provincial Synod and the Diocesan Synod of Fredericton.

Oaths

The oath of canonical obedience to the Bishop.

The oath of allegiance to the Sovereign.

I have completed the necessary requirements as an aspirant and have provided the requested information and documentation.

I have had an interview with representative(s) of those overseeing the discernment process and will seek to meet with the Bishop of Fredericton upon request to discuss my application.

Upon acceptance as a postulant, I will be ready and willing to enter (or continue) training as recommended by the Bishop in order to meet the necessary requirements. Should my training be as a full-time student in preparation for full-time stipendiary priesthood, I will be ready to sign the Memorandum of Understanding regarding financial support during training.

I hereby seek permission from the Bishop of Fredericton to continue in the diocesan discernment process leading to ordination and apply for postulancy.

Signature

Date

This application should be submitted to the Office of the Bishop of Fredericton. Upon receipt and acceptance of this application, the Bishop of Fredericton will seek to meet with the applicant to discuss potential next steps in the process.

April 2008

Application for Candidacy

Diocese of Fredericton

I wish to apply for the status of candidate for ordination to the Holy Order of

Deacon

"Transitional" Deacon

Priest

I understand that I am putting myself under the authority of the Bishop of Fredericton and the direction of the Vocational Chaplains leading to the time of ordination.

I understand that, should I be ordained, I will be required to make the following declarations and oaths according to Canon SEVEN:

Declarations

I profess the faith set forth in the Scriptures and in the Catholic Creeds and affirm my allegiance to the doctrine of the Anglican Church of Canada as set forth in the Book of Common Prayer and in the Ordinal,

In public prayer and in the administration of the Sacraments I will use the form of the Book of Common Prayer and none other except so far as shall be ordered by lawful authority, and

I will pay true and canonical obedience to the Canons which have been or are from time to time passed by the General Synod, the Provincial Synod and the Diocesan Synod of Fredericton.

Oaths

The oath of canonical obedience to the Bishop.

The oath of allegiance to the Sovereign.

I have met with a representative(s) of those overseeing the discernment process on the Bishop's behalf and have satisfied the training and requirements for this order of ministry as outlined by the Diocese and as a postulant for Holy Orders.

I am prepared to meet with the Bishop of Fredericton upon request to discuss my application.

I hereby seek permission from the Bishop of Fredericton and apply for candidacy.

Signature

Date

This application should be submitted to the Office of the Bishop of Fredericton.

April 2008