



LAY SERVANT'S REPORT

PENINSULA – DELAWARE ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF
THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
REPORT OF THE LAY SERVANT TO THE CHARGE CONFERENCE
ANNUAL REPORT



This report covers the period from your **2017** charge conference to your **2018** charge conference.

PART 1. DATA ON THE LAY SERVANT

Name: <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. _____	District: _____
What name do you go by (e.g., Sue, Bob): _____	Home Church: _____
Address: _____	Church Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____	City/State/Zip: _____
Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____	Church Telephone: _____
E-Mail: _____	

PART 2. STATUS OF THE LAY SERVANT

<p>I am applying to BEGIN as a:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> certified lay servant <input type="checkbox"/> local church lay servant</p> <p>I <input type="checkbox"/> have <input type="checkbox"/> have NOT completed the basic training course for lay servant.</p> <p>I <input type="checkbox"/> have <input type="checkbox"/> have NOT completed an advanced course for lay servant.</p>	<p>I am applying for RENEWAL as a:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> certified lay servant <input type="checkbox"/> local church lay servant</p> <p>What year did you complete the LAST advanced course you took?</p> <p>What was the TITLE of the LAST advanced course you took?</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>(Renewal applicants must also complete other side of this form.)</i></p>
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PART 3. REQUEST OF THE LAY SERVANT

I hereby request recommendation of my pastor and my charge conference to begin or renew as a certified lay servant local church lay servant for the ensuing year.

_____ (signed)	_____ (Date)
(Lay Servant)	

PART 4. RECOMMENDATION OF THE PASTOR

I recommend concurrence with the request of this lay servant to begin or renew as a certified lay servant local church lay servant for the ensuing year.

_____ (signed)	_____ (Date)
(Pastor)	

PART 5. CHARGE CONFERENCE RECOMMENDATION

The charge conference of the _____ recommends that the above lay servant begin or renew as a certified lay servant local church lay servant for the ensuing year.

_____ (signed)	_____ (Date)
(District Superintendent)	

PART 6. ACTION BY THE DISTRICT COMMITTEE ON LAY SERVANT

This application to begin or be renewed as a certified lay servant local church lay servant within the _____ District of the Peninsula-Delaware Annual Conference is approved NOT approved for the ensuing year.

_____ (signed)	_____ (Date)
(Chair, District Committee on Lay Servant Ministry)	

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PART 7. MINISTRIES BY THE LAY SERVANT

During the past year I have participated in these ministry opportunities:

served as MEMBER of committee, board, commission, council, task force:

at my local church (what) _____

beyond my local church:

in my district (what) _____

in my conference (what) _____

in my jurisdiction (what) _____

at the general church level (what) _____

served as CHAIR of committee, boards, task force (what) _____

served as a volunteer at a community agency: _____

served as a volunteer in a care-giving institution (what) _____

provided one-on-one caring:

at a hospital, nursing home, or to a shut-in _____

in membership/evangelism visitation _____

other: _____

provided leadership in caring/outreach projects (food pantry, prison ministry, etc.) _____

taught classes (what, how many) _____

served as a worship leader in services (how many) _____

delivered devotional messages (where, how many) _____

preached in worship services (where, how many) _____

Additional leading, caring, and communicating ministries in which you participated (describe opportunity and your part in it):

Yes No I have/have not taken Safe Sanctuary training under the Peninsula – Delaware Annual Conference to work with Youth and Adults.

PART 8. PERSONAL AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH BY THE LAY SERVANT

In what activities have you engaged and/or what books have you read and used during the past year to help you develop your devotional life; improve your understanding of the Bible; improve your understanding of The United Methodist Church; or to improve your skills in leading, caring, and communicating?

PART 9. FEEDBACK BY THE LAY SERVANT

Do you believe that you have had adequate opportunity for service as a lay servant this past year? Yes No (If No, please explain.)

What additional training or support do you need? _____

Give your recommendations for improving lay servant ministry in your district or annual conference: _____

THIS CHARGE CONFERENCE REPORT FORM HAS BEEN APPROVED FOR USE WITHIN THE DISTRICTS OF THE
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