

Blackfoot Community Bible Church Pastor Application Form

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Web site: blackfootcommunitybiblechurch.com Email: bfootcommunitybible@gmail.com Date:

Name		Social Security Number	
Mailing Address		Age	Date of Birth
Email address:		Citizenship	Place of Birth
Home Phone	Daytime Phone		Cell Phone
Marital Status: <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Engaged If married or engaged, please give name of your spouse/betrothed: _____ If married, what is your wedding anniversary date? If divorced, please summarize circumstances and proceedings on a separate sheet.			
Provide the following information concerning any children.			
Name	Relationship	Age	Date & Place of Birth

Section 2. Academic Information

Summarize your school history. Include high school, Bible institute, college, seminary, or any specialized schooling. Enclose a copy of any transcripts (unofficial is fine) from schools beyond high school.

Name & Location	Dates Attended	Course of Study	Degree Earned

Would you be willing to obtain further training if the mission should consider it advisable? Yes No

If you have training for a specific profession or trade, please provide details on page 6.

Section 3. Employment Information

Present Employer, Address and Telephone Number	Dates Employed	Reason for Leaving
What are your current duties?		
Name of your supervisor:	May we contact your current employer? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	

Please provide your employment history for the last 10 years and more if employed earlier than 10 years. Use additional paper if necessary.

Employer, Address and Telephone Number	Dates Employed	Reason for Leaving

Section 4. Physical Information

If the answer to any of the following question is "yes," please provide details on page 6.

Have you ever suffered from a serious illness, injury, sunstroke, or mental disorder?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Are there any hereditary diseases or mental ailments in your family?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Are you of a nervous disposition?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you ever use any substances that would militate against your testimony for Christ or impair your health?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Are you taking prescribed medications that affect your abilities?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Height: _____ Weight: _____	
Are you more than 10 pounds over the recommended weight for your height, sex, and body frame?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you ever been ticketed or arrested outside of a minor moving violation?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Section 5. Financial Information

If the answer to either of the following question is "yes," please provide details on page 6.

Are your parents dependent on you financially?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you any financial obligations and/or debts?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you have...	Company Name & Address
Health Insurance? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Life Insurance? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Disability Insurance? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Section 6. Church Affiliation and Christian Lifestyle

Home Church:	Member <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (Give details if "no.")
Church Address and Telephone:	Pastor's Name
Are you a member of any "secret" society? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (If "yes," give details on page 6.)	
For how long have you known Christ as your Savior?	
Describe your habit of personal Bible study and prayer (include frequency).	
Describe your practice of a family devotional time (include frequency).	
Using between 100 and 500 words, write an essay on the following topics. Use a separate sheet for each topic	
1. Family Background	2. Conversion Experience
3. Conviction about Entering Vocational Ministry	4. Experience in Christian Work

Section 7. Theological Information

Please make all responses in the space provided.

Define and defend your convictions on the role of women in ministry.

Define the relationship you see between the pastor, the local church, and congregation.

What are your convictions concerning divorce and remarriage for leadership in the church?

Define and defend your beliefs and convictions of LGBT lifestyles and relationships.

Explain the purpose and effectiveness of psychology and counseling in pastoral work.

Explain what happens in the believer's life at the baptism of the Holy Spirit. Relate that to the filling of the Holy Spirit.

Define and defend your position on sanctification in the believer's life.

Define sin and discuss the process a believer goes through to deal with sin.

Define and defend your position on the infallibility of Scripture as related to science and history.

Explain the power and influence demonic powers have on the church.

State your position on the return of Christ in relationship to a literal millennium. List several implications of your position.

Explain the process you use to make major decisions in your life.

Section 8. Ministry-Related Information

If your answer to any of the following questions is "yes," please give details or explain page 6.

Have you ever applied to any other churches or mission organizations?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you ever served as a summer worker with any mission?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you been ordained?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you have musical or other special abilities, skills, or talents?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you have difficulty assuming responsibility?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you find it difficult to work under the direction or authority of another?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you dislike teamwork?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you prefer to work alone?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
What is your idea of accountability in ministry?	
Briefly describe a disciple-making process that you have found to be successful.	
Should BCBC favorably receive your application, would you be able to visit us in Ovando, Montana with the church counsel (church leaders)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Why do you feel constrained to apply as pastor of Blackfoot Community Bible Church?	

Section 9. References

Name	Address	Telephone	Years Known
Christian Friend			
Christian Friend			
Employer			
Church Elder			
Advisor or Teacher			

Please provide us with a recent picture of yourself (including your family if you are married)

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