Jerome Christian Church

Minister Questionnaire

Matters of Christian Faith

- 1. Please define your faith in Christ.
- 2. Please define your belief concerning the Scriptures.
- 3. What are your convictions concerning the observance of the Lord's Supper?
- 4. Explain your belief in the Holy Spirit.
- 5. What is your belief concerning Hell?
- 6. What is your belief concerning the resurrection of believers and Heaven?
- 7. Do you hold any convictions of such an unusual nature that you would care to discuss them with us at this time?
- 8. What are your beliefs about the necessity of immersion.

Attitudes toward Cooperative Works

- 1. What is your attitude toward inter-denominational work? Please list any past involvement.
- 2. What is your attitude toward missionary support?
- 3. What do you think about county-wide cooperation among our Christian Churches?
- 4. How active would you like to be in community programs?

Matters of Local Importance

- 1. How do you view Christian camps, conferences, and mission trips?
- 2. What do you think the Minister's role should be with youth, and the church's educational programs?
- 3. Share how you would communicate with various volunteers in the church?

- 4. Share ways in which you would go about getting to know people at Jerome Christian Church?
- 5. Tell us about your experience bringing together people of various talents? And working with individuals with strong points of view?
- 6. In your opinion, what are the biggest concerns facing the church today?
- 7. What steps can the Church take to do a better job of influencing people for Christ?
- 8. What is your opinion of women's work in the church?

9. Explain your feelings toward working with the Elders and Deacons in the church.

- 10. How much time do you think you should be away from the local work for speaking engagements, revivals, camps, conventions, etc.?
- 11. How much termination notice is required by the church you now serve? (When could you relocate, should you receive a call from us, and how does this affect the other members of your family?)

Other Questions

- 1. What do you think is the most pressing issue facing ministers today?
- 2. What is your opinion of homosexuality, abortion, and other important social issues?
- 3. What are your thoughts concerning the charismatic movement?
- 4. What are your short and long-term goals in ministry?
- 5. What is your "Philosophy of Ministry" statement?
- 6. In what community activities have you been involved?
- 7. What do you believe is the role of the minister's wife?
- 8. What are your desires concerning:

New prospects?

Hospital visits?

Church family?

- 9. How do you prioritize spouse, church, your children, God, work?
- 10. How do you handle and work with people who might disagree with your ideas?
- 11. What is necessary to insure a long period of service by a minister with a single congregation?
- 12. What do you view as the role of elders in the church?
- 13. What is your view of who appoints elders and how that process occurs?

Signature

Date