

Requirements for applicants for ministry partnerships with Covenant Bible Church of Taylorsville North Carolina

All applicants for ministry partnership must read our positions on missionary partners and agree to the terms of those positions.

The following documents are also required by all who seek to partner with CBC in gospel ministry locally and around the world.

Returning these documents does not ensure any type of ministry partnership.

Once documents are received, they will be reviewed by our elders and some time will be spent in prayer to determine whether or not our church body can partner with the minister.

Letter from sending church

1. Request for partnership from the elders of the sending church
2. Analysis of ¹Subjective Call by the elders of your local church
3. Analysis of ²Objective Call by the elders your local church

Letter of Testimony from applying minister

1. Detail local Church ministry experience at your current home church. This should include various duties and years served.
2. Details of Subjective call to ministry.
3. Details of Objective call to ministry.
4. Partnership requests

¹ - Subjective call - The subjective call to ministry is one's own inner witness of the call of the God on their life to the gospel ministry. As we know, our hearts can deceive us (Jeremiah 17:9). Therefore, this subjective call needs to be tested by a wise, unbiased counsel who has your best interest and God's glory in mind.

² - Objective call - The objective call to ministry is the ministry work in which a person has already been participating within their local church. This work will display very clearly a person's gifts and calling from God, as well as weaknesses and areas that need improvement. Again, wise and unbiased counsel from the elders of the church will help to either sharpen the skills of one who has been called, or help a person see that this particular gospel ministry is not where they are gifted.