

# Pastor's Annual Service Report To the District Conference



<b>Name</b>		
<b>(last name - first name - middle initial)</b>		<b>(town/city plus church name)</b>
<b>District</b>		<b>2019</b>
<p><b>INSTRUCTIONS:</b> Every pastor shall submit this report to the district board of ministerial development at the time designated by the district (<i>Discipline</i> 1390:7-8; 1402). Associate and assistant pastors shall complete an "Associate/ Assistant Pastor's Annual Service Report." <b>If you desire to expand on any of your answers, please use the additional space provided following the answers that suggest additional information. Be sure to answer the question at the end, if you have suggestions for the district.</b></p>		
<b>A. Labors</b>		
1. Have you sought faithfully by your personal dealings and by your public ministry to lead sinners to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ?		<input type="checkbox"/>
To lead believers into the experience of entire sanctification?		<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Have you provided shepherding, discipling, and pastoral care to your congregation, designed to establish in faith, prepare for service, and retain to the body?		<input type="checkbox"/>
If so, please describe briefly.		
3. Have you endeavored to involve your people in a personal visitation, soul-winning, and/or outreach program?		<input type="checkbox"/>
If so, please describe briefly.		
4. Have you presented the truth of Christian stewardship and storehouse tithing to your congregation ( <i>Discipline</i> 460-465; 725:22)?		<input type="checkbox"/>
5. In self-evaluation, how would you assess your affirmation of loyalty to these agencies of the Church:		
a. General Church	<input type="checkbox"/>	b. District
	<input type="checkbox"/>	c. Educational Institutions
If your assessment is "medium" or "low" it suggests you may have recommendations to offer. Please explain:		<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Are your church records carefully maintained as tools to facilitate present administration and to acquaint your successor with the state of the work?		<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Our church has a residents program to assist ministers-in-training.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B. Personal Responsibilities</b>		
8. Have you endeavored to live a life that is blameless and above reproach, thereby providing a good example of the life-style and conduct required by the Membership Commitments of The Wesleyan Church?		<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Are you currently involved in a relationship, questionable activity or addiction, which, if not properly addressed, will harm or destroy your ministry?		<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Is your personal spiritual relationship with Christ continuing to grow or has it plateaued? Give testimony of spiritual progress or requests for special needs.		<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Are you fully committed to uphold the doctrines of The Wesleyan Church, its Articles of Religion and Membership Commitments as defined in <i>The Discipline</i> ?		<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Are there unresolved problems (represented by questions 7, 8, 9, or 10) for which you would welcome or need counsel? If yes, would you be willing to seek counsel and therapy through the direction of the DBMD, or other appropriately sponsored/approved district referral program? <b>Confidential helpline: 1-877-REVCARE or 1-877-738-2273.</b>		<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Is it your purpose to be effective in the practice of personal evangelism? If you have a related testimony or request to share, please use this space.		<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Continuing education:		

a. What continuing education goals have you achieved this past year? Please list achieved goals here.

b. Does your church make funding provisions for your continuing education?

15. Have you faithfully tithed your income to The Wesleyan Church during this past year?

### C. Legal Accountabilities

16. Since your last report to the district conference, have you been accused or found guilty of any criminal activity? If yes, please explain:

17. Since your last report, have you participated in, or been accused of, any sexual misconduct (such as fornication, adultery, child abuse [pedophilia], the sexual abuse of adolescent minors or homosexuality)? If yes, please explain:

18. Are there any pending legal actions which might incriminate you in the future? If yes, please explain:

### D. Outlook

19. a. What areas near your church should be considered as possible sites for new congregations? Please list here.

b. Have you challenged your church to sponsor such a church planting?

20. Are you ready to renew or accept appointment (3250) at the hand of the conference again this year?

If not, please list your reasons.

21. Are you requesting a change in your category of appointment or district relations (1240)?

If so, please state what change you desire:

### E. Statistics and Reports

22. Have you forwarded statistical and other reports as required by the district superintendent (1310:24)?

23. Are you prepared to complete the LOCAL CHURCH STATISTICAL REPORT for the past year on The Wesleyan Church web portal?

24. Is your church paying its USF-EIF budget obligation to the district AND General Church in full?

If not, please tell what procedures are being followed to meet this responsibility:

25. What percentage of total giving does your church plan to give in support of Wesleyan Missions (Global Partners and Home Missions combined) during the coming year?

26. Is your church paying 12% pension assessment for the WESLEYAN PENSION FUND in full for the pastor?

Is your church paying 12% pension assessment for the WESLEYAN PENSION FUND in full for the associate/assistant pastor(s)?

If not, please explain:

### F. Personal Information

<b>27. SIGNATURE</b> [Please sign in ink. Electronic submission constitutes signature.]	→	
<b>28.</b> Mailing Address ( <i>Street or P.O. Box</i> )		
<b>29.</b> City/State or Province/Postal Code		
<b>30.</b> Home Address (if different from mailing address)		
<b>31.</b> City/State or Province/Postal Code		
<b>32.</b> Home Telephone		<b>33.</b> Year of ordination:
<b>34.</b> Cell phone number		<b>35.</b> Secular work phone number
<b>36.</b> Fax		<b>37.</b> Preferred Email address:
<b>38.</b> Church phone		
<b>39.</b> Highest level of education (General Education): Use space at end of this report to answer questions regarding Education and Ministry Training.		
<b>40.</b> Level of Ministry Education/Non-Traditional (unaccredited) Training: Traditional Ministry Ed.		
<b>41.</b> What college, university, and/or seminary have you attended? List all that are applicable (Please use space at end of form.)		
<b>42.</b> Name of local Wesleyan Church, city and district where your membership currently resides in good standing.	→	
<b>43.</b> If not a member of The Wesleyan Church, name of the local church, address and denomination affiliation where church membership currently resides in good standing.	→	
<b>WHEN YOU HAVE COMPLETED THIS DOCUMENT, BE SURE TO PRINT AND SAVE A COPY FOR YOUR RECORDS.</b>		
<b>44.</b> Type of pastoral employment [check one]		<input type="checkbox"/> Full-time pastor without other employment <input type="checkbox"/> Full-time pastor with other employment <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time pastor without other employment <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time pastor with other employment
<b>45.</b> Length of time in your current assignment	Years: →	Months: →
<b>46.</b> Your gender →		<b>47.</b> Your birth date →

**What ideas or suggestions do you have for the district leadership to consider?**