

# MICHIGAN CONFERENCE LAY SERVANT MINISTRIES: Form 1

## Certified Lay Servant Application



### PART 1: CONTACT INFORMATION OF LAY SERVANT

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_ Best Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Church Name \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

### PART 2: COURSE INFORMATION

BASIC Course year completed? \_\_\_\_\_ Advanced Course year completed? \_\_\_\_\_  
Title of Advanced Course? \_\_\_\_\_

### PART 3: REQUEST OF THE LAY SERVANT

I request recommendation from my pastor and Church Council/Church Conference to be a Certified Lay Servant.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Lay Servant \_\_\_\_\_

### PART 4: RECOMMENDATION OF THE PASTOR

I recommend this lay member to be a Certified Lay Servant.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Pastor \_\_\_\_\_

### PART 5: CHURCH COUNCIL/CHURCH CONFERENCE RECOMMENDATION

The Church Council/Church Conference of \_\_\_\_\_ United Methodist Church recommends this lay member to be a Certified Lay Servant.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Church Council Chair \_\_\_\_\_

### PART 6: ACTION BY THE DISTRICT COMMITTEE ON LAY SERVANT MINISTRIES

The District Committee on Lay Servant Ministries has reviewed this layperson's qualifications and recommendations. This application is ☐ approved ☐ not approved.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of District Director of Lay Servant Ministries \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Note:** The original completed form, including all signatures, is to remain at the local church. A copy is to be submitted with church conference documents. Additional copies are to be distributed to the Certified Lay Servant and District Director of Lay Servant Ministries.

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