

**COM RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD**

I certify that at a regular meeting of the Commission on Ministry held on \_\_\_\_\_ the Commission acted affirmatively on the application of \_\_\_\_\_ for ordination to the Priesthood, and we do recommend him/her to the Standing Committee for its favorable recommendation to the Bishop for ordination to the Priesthood.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Chair, Commission on Ministry

**TESTIMONIAL OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE FOR ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD**

To the Right Reverend William E. Swing, Bishop of California:

We, being a majority of all the members of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of California, and having been duly convened at San Francisco, do testify that the Reverend \_\_\_\_\_, Deacon, desiring to be ordained Priest, has presented to us satisfactory certificates that since the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year \_\_\_\_\_, being the date of ordination to the Diaconate (or for the last three years), the Reverend \_\_\_\_\_ has lived a sober, honest, and godly life, and has not written, taught, or held anything contrary to the Doctrine, Discipline, or Worship of this Church; and we hereby recommend the Reverend \_\_\_\_\_ for ordination to the Priesthood.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, in the year of our Lord \_\_\_\_\_.

**Standing Committee**

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