

DIOCESE OF DAVENPORT
APPLICATION FOR PARISH CATECHIST

BASIC INFORMATION (Please Print)

Name: _____ Social Security Number: _____
 Address: _____
 City/State: _____ Zip Code: _____
 Evening Telephone: () _____ Day Telephone: () _____
 Parish Name _____
 Date of Birth _____ Married Single
 Spouse's Name _____ Anniversary Date _____

I am applying for the position of parish catechist for the (complete one)

_____ grade level _____ age level _____ program

EDUCATION

Name	Address	Area of Study	Year Graduated	Degree
High School:		N/A		N/A
College:				
Graduate Work:				
Other (describe):				

EXPERIENCE

Previous experience as a catechist (where/years):

Diocese of Davenport Catechist Certification: Yes No Date _____

Level/Number of Hours of catechist enrichment in the past 5 years: _____

Topic	Hours	Place

Certification from another diocese: Yes No Where _____ Date _____

Participation in parish/diocesan organizations or activities:

I have been a member of **this** parish for _____ years.

I was previously a member of _____ parish for _____ years.

REFERENCES

Name	Address	Telephone Number
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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Please list chronologically your principal activities during the past five years. This should include both employment and periods of non-employment, if any. For periods of non-employment, please furnish the dates and describe your principal activity.

Dates	Position (include address, phone number)	Reason for Leaving

Have you ever used a surname other than those indicated on Page 1? Yes No

If yes, state name and explain _____

Have you ever been convicted of a crime? Yes No

If so, please explain. If you have ever been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic offense, please state the following: Nature of conviction, date, sentence received, sentence served including date and location, probation or parole officer, and any other facts or circumstances you wish to provide.

I certify the information contained in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I am committed to attending catechist formation sessions, giving religious instruction to the children/youth/adults in the parish and seeking diocesan certification as a catechist through the parish.

I authorize the diocese or its agents to undertake **any investigation it deems appropriate** in connection with this application, **including contact with all prior employers and a criminal background check.**

A am aware of the Iowa Abused and Neglected Child Reporting Act and its requirements.

Signature of Catechist

Date

(For Parish Use)

REFERENCES CHECKED:

Name: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

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