

APPLICANT

Name _____ DOB _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Employer _____ Occupation _____

CHURCH

Name _____

Address _____

Malawi Partner Congregation, if applicable: _____

REFERENCES

Please provide three (3) people who would provide a reference for you, one being your pastor (or, if you are a pastor, another pastor) and two (2) being elders or other leaders in your church. These should be people who can speak about your life of faith and practice and are familiar with your strengths and weaknesses.

Name _____ Position _____

Phone Number _____ Email _____

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QUESTIONS – *please write short, legible answers to the following questions:*

Why do you want to travel to Malawi?

What experiences do you have in sharing your faith with others?

What skills and/or experiences do you have that might be beneficial on this trip? (e.g., speaking, drama, music, etc)

What experiences have you had in mission service?

What involvement have you had in the International Partnership of Pittsburgh Presbytery?

What are some ways you have served God through your church or presbytery?

What, if any, limitations are there that would prevent your full participation in the journey?

Are you willing to participate in the orientation for this trip, which will include meetings with the rest of the team as well as some independent reading?

Are you willing to share about your experience in mission with congregations in Pittsburgh (both yours and others, if they request it) upon your return?

IMPORTANT NOTES

- *Applicants for this trip should be persons who are comfortable talking about their faith and willing to travel into rustic and challenging rural areas of Malawi.*
- *A Deposit of \$100.00 is due at the time of application. If for some reason your application is withdrawn prior to February 1 or disapproved, this deposit will be returned to you.*
- *Application deadline is January 15, 2015*

Please direct questions regarding this application or the application process to the Reverend Dave Carver, Moderator (412-921-6153) or Carl Suppo, Vice Moderator (412-496-9507)

Please send completed application and deposit to: Pittsburgh Presbytery

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