

LAY SERVANT
ANNUAL REPORT TO THE CHARGE CONFERENCE
Central North District UMC Report for year ending 2014

PART 1 – INFORMATION

Name (Mr. __ Ms. __ Mrs. __) _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Telephone (Home) _____ (Cell) _____

Name of your Church _____

Church Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Church Telephone _____

PART 2 – STATUS OF THE LAY SERVANT

1. What year did you complete Basic Course? _____
2. What year did you complete Advance Course? _____
3. What was the title of the Advanced Course? _____

PART 3 – REQUEST OF THE LAY SERVANT

I request recommendation of my pastor and my charge conference to continue as a Lay Servant for the ensuing year. Date _____ Lay Servant _____

PART 4 – RECOMMENDATION OF THE PASTOR

I recommend concurrence with the request of this person to continue as a Lay Servant for the ensuing year. Date _____ Pastor _____

PART 5 – RECOMMENDATION OF THE CHURCH COUNCIL/CHARGE CONFERENCE

The church council/charge conference of _____ (Church/Charge)
recommends the above person to continue as a Lay Servant for the ensuing year.

Date _____ Church Council Chair or District Superintendent _____

PART 6 – MINISTRIES BY THE LAY SERVANT

During the past year, I have participated in caring ministries as follows:

___ served as a volunteer in a care-giving institution

___ provided one-on-one caring

___ at a hospital, nursing home or to a shut-in

___ served in caring/outreach projects (food pantry, prison ministry, etc.)
___ other caring ministries (Please list) _____

During the past year, I have participated in leading ministries as follows:

___ served as member of committee, board, commission, council, task force, etc.
___ as a volunteer at a community agency
___ at my local church
___ beyond my local church
___ on my District ___ Conference ___ Jurisdiction ___ General Church level ___
___ other leading activities (Please list) _____

During the past year, I have participated in communicating ministries as follows:

___ brought message in _____ worship services
___ served as worship leader in _____ services
___ delivered devotional messages
___ taught classes
___ shared my faith story
___ other speaking activities (Please list) _____

During the past year I have participated in additional opportunities for ministry as follows:

PART 7 – PERSONAL AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH BY THE LAY SERVANT

In what activities have you engaged and/or what books have you read or used during the past year to help you develop your devotional life; improve your understanding of the Bible; improve your understanding of the United Methodist Church; and to improve your skills caring, leading, communicating and speaking?

PART 8 – FEEDBACK BY THE LAY SERVANT

Do you feel called to be in service in any area of ministry, either in the church or outside the church, you are not currently involved in? ___ Yes ___ No If yes, please list those areas below:

What additional training or support do you need or would suggest to further your ministry:

Give any recommendation you have for improving Lay Servant Ministries in your District or Conference:
