

Peace Community Church International

Levels of Affiliation

The PCCI levels of affiliation are:

Participating Member Licensed Student Licensed Teacher Licensed Minister Ordained Minister Elder Master Bishop

<u>Participating Membership</u> is open to anyone who wishes to affiliate with PCCI. Membership is for one year and may be renewed at anytime. Participating members have voting privileges at PCCI business meetings.

There are no qualifications.

Licensed Student

A Licensed Student learns spiritual unfoldment techniques in the arts of prayer, meditation, healing and the gifts of the Spirit.

QUALIFICATIONS: None. It is the first step in becoming an Ordained Minister.

RENEWAL: May be renewed annually by request and approval of the Board of Bishops. APPLYING FOR THE NEXT LEVEL:

After one year as a Licensed Student, a person may choose to apply to become a Licensed Teacher.

Licensed Teacher

A Licensed Teacher is licensed for one year as a teacher of unfoldment procedures in the arts of prayer, meditation, healing (including laying on of hands) and the unfoldment of the gifts of the spirit.

QUALIFICATIONS: Has been a Licensed Student for one year and has met the following prerequisites:

- 1. Certified in at least five elective courses including at least one of the following: 541-Inner Communication & Guidance; 3001 PMM Special Meditation Training.
- 2. Certified in at least five 600 level courses including 622 Ceremonies and Procedures of Peace Community Church [®]programs.
- 3. Has taken at least two 700 series courses.
- 4. Is certified in Profile course 1001- How to Admin. The Orientation counseling Profile (or 1000-A & 1000-B)

LENGTH of AFFILIATION: One year. Affiliation may be renewed yearly upon request and clearance by the Board of Bishops.

APPLYING FOR THE NEXT LEVEL: After being a Licensed Teacher for one year, a person may apply to become a Licensed Minister (see Licensed Minister Pre-requisites).

OPPORTUNITIES: May anoint Participating Members and Licensed Students. Receives periodic information from PCCI, announcements of meetings and may attend church conventions.

Licensed Minister:

A Licensed Minister makes a greater commitment in personal spiritual unfoldment and sharing with others. He has had training in administering profiles or giving consultations.

QUALIFICATIONS: Has been a Licensed Teacher for at least one year and is certified in the following courses:

- 1. At least ten elective courses
- 2. At least ten 600 series courses, including 622
- 3. At least four 700 series courses
- 4. 1001 How to Admin. The Orientation Counseling Profile (or 1000-A & 1000-B profiles) and 1002-A How to Admin. The Blockage Discovery Profile.

LENGTH OF AFFILIATION: One year and may be renewed yearly

OPPORTUNITIES: May anoint Participating Members, Licensed Students, and Licensed Teachers. Receives periodic communications form PCCI, announcement of meetings; may attend church conventions.

APPLYING FOR THE NEXT LEVEL: After one year as a Licensed Minister, a person may choose to apply to the Board of Bishops to become an Ordained Minister.

Ordained Minister:

An Ordained Minister is ordained for life. This is a lifetime commitment to oneself in personal spiritual involvement and unfoldment. This person extends his commitment to working closely with Spirit to be of service to others.

QUALIFICATIONS: Has been a Licensed Minister for at least one year and has met the following criteria:

- 1. Has taken at least 15 elective courses
- 2. Has taken at least 15 600 courses
- 3. Has taken at least six 700 series courses
- 4. Is certified in 1001 How to Admin. The Orientation Counseling Profile (or 1000A & 1000B), 1002-A How to Admin. The Blockage Discovery Profile, 1003-A How to Admin. The Percentage of Balance in the Glandular System Profile and 1003-D: How to Admin. The Spiritual Compatibility Profile.

LENGTH OF AFFILIATION: This affiliation is for life. However, an Ordained Minister is asked to keep certification in the specified requirements and make a financial commitment on an annual basis or at least every 5 years.

ANOINTED BY: A bishop, after approval of the Board of Bishops

OPPORTUNITIES: May anoint Licensed Students, Teachers, Licensed Ministers and Participating Members. Ministerial opportunities include Baptism, Marriage, Marriage Confirmation, Spiritual Consulting and Memorial/Funeral Services. He may organize Fellowship meetings in the community and send period reports to PCCI.

APPLYING FOR THE NEXT LEVEL: After one year as an Ordained Minister, a person may apply to become an Elder, the first step to advanced levels of spiritual leadership, which are Elder, Master and Bishop.

Elder

Being an Elder is a greater commitment to oneself spiritually by being of service to others in overseeing PCCI Fellowships. There is a desire to oversee PCCI activities on a larger basis, on a Regional Level.

QUALIFICATIONS: Has been an Ordained Minister for at least one year and has been approved by the Board of Bishop.

ANOINTED BY: a Bishop, after approval of the Board of Bishops.

OPPORTUNITIES: May anoint Licensed Students, Licensed Teachers, Licensed Ministers and Participating Members. Is willing to oversee PCCI activities in a certain area and has all the privileges and opportunities of an Ordained Minister.

COMMITMENT: There is a financial commitment paid on an annual basis.

APPLYING FOR THE NEXT LEVEL: After a year as an Elder, a person may apply to become a Master.

Master

Being a Master is a deeper step in expanding one's spiritual commitment to oneself and the work of Spirit by being of service to other in overseeing the expansion of Peace Community Church International on a wider geographical level. S/he desires to help oversee PCCI activities at a national level.

QUALIFICATIONS: Has been an Elder for at least one year and has been approved by the Board of Bishops.

ANOINTED BY a Bishop, after approval of the Board of Bishops.

OPPORTUNITIES: May anoint all levels with the exception of Elder and Bishop.

Bishop

Being a bishop is a spiritual commitment to be of service in working with Spirit in a national and international level, overseeing PCCI expansion and activities.

QUALIFICATIONS: Has been a Master for at least one year and has been approved by the Board of Bishops. S/he oversees a given territory or opportunity as appointed by the President. S/he performs the ordination service for Ordained Ministers and may anoint all levels of affiliation, including Board of Directors, Elders, Bishops, Executive Officers and those receiving the honorary Doctor of Divinity degree.

OPPORTUNITIES: S/he is willing to accept responsibilities of an Ordained Minister. He serves on the Board of Bishops which oversees the acceptance and progress of the affiliates. A current PCCI Bishop also sits on the Board of Directors of Wayshowers Community Fellowship Corp.

COMMITMENT: There is a financial commitment paid on an annual basis.

For more information about Peace Community Church International and becoming affiliated:

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