

Date

To: The Rt. Rev. Diane M. Jardine Bruce
Diocese of West Missouri
420 W 14th St.
Kansas City, MO 64105

From: Name
Church
Street address
City, state, zip

Dear Bishop Bruce,

Name of church Episcopal Church, City, Missouri, reaffirms its support for Name as he or she applies for ordination to the priesthood or diaconate. We continue to believe that Name possesses the gifts required for ministry as a priest/deacon and that God is now calling him or her to to exercise his or her ministry within the order of priests or deacons. We continue to pledge to contribute financially and to involve ourselves in Name's preparation for ordination.

Attesting to this letter are Name, Rector/Vicar/Priest-in-charge/Warden, and at least two-thirds of the Vestry or Bishop's Committee made up of # members.

Yours in Christ,

Name, Rector/Vicar/Priest-in-Charge/Warden
