**Lay Evangelists in the Diocese of Edmonton**

**Application form for an Evangelist-in-Training**

Please:

1. Read through the leaflet “Lay Evangelists in the Diocese of Edmonton.”
2. Contact your rector and have a conversation with them about your sense of call to the ministry of evangelism.
3. Ask your rector if they are prepared to nominate you for training as a lay evangelist. There is a nomination form they will be required to fill out and submit to the warden of lay evangelists. Your parish vestry will also be required to endorse your rector’s nomination. Also, the warden of lay evangelists, the Rev. Tim Chesterton, will want to have a conversation with your vestry make sure they understand what the program is all about, and answer any of their questions.
4. If you need more information, or have questions that your rector cannot answer, please feel free to contact Tim Chesterton at [timchesterton@edmonton.anglican.ca](mailto:timchesterton@edmonton.anglican.ca) .
5. On completion of the above steps, please fill out this application form and give it to your rector to be returned to Tim Chesterton, along with the endorsement of your rector and vestry.

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Name: ...........................................................................................................

Address (including postal code): ......................................................................................................

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Preferred Telephone: ...........................................................................................................

Email address: ...........................................................................................................

Date of birth: ...........................................................................................................

Date of baptism: ...........................................................................................................

Date of confirmation (if applicable): ................................................................................................

Parish: ...........................................................................................................

Please list areas of ministry/service in which you are currently involved in your parish and/or beyond:

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Academic qualifications: ...........................................................................................................

Employment (if applicable): ..........................................................................................................

*On a separate sheet of paper:*

1. Please describe briefly your journey of faith in Christ
2. Please describe why you feel you may be called to the ministry of evangelism
3. Please describe briefly any experiences you may have had so far in sharing your faith in Christ with people who are not yet followers of Jesus.

This application, along with the rector’s reference/endorsement and the vestry endorsement form, is to be returned to the Rev. Tim Chesterton at [timchesterton@edmonton.anglican.ca](mailto:timchesterton@edmonton.anglican.ca) .