

COMPARE

MIF Narratives

- What is the congregation's or organization's vision for ministry? Additionally describe how this vision is lived out.
- 2. How do you feel called to reach out to address the emerging needs of your community or constituency?
- **3.** How will this position help you to reach your vision and mission goals?
- **4.** Provide a description of the characteristics needed by the person who is open to being called to this congregation and/or organization.
- 5. For what specific tasks, assignments, and programs areas will this person have responsibility?

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- 1. How would you describe the congregation's/organization's specific vision for ministry? How will this vision impact the community? Is the congregation part of a ministry vision or program?
- 2. What is the nature and context of the community in which your congregation lives out its mission/vision? How will you address the emerging needs that are impacting your community?
- 3. How will this call help complement the responsibilities of other staff/volunteer positions, and the life of the congregation/organization, so that you may accomplish your short and longterm goals for ministry?
- 4. Provide a description of the skills, gifts and training the person you hope will become a part of your ministry must have, to lead the congregation towards the vision and mission established.
- 5. What areas of ministry do you expect the person called to be responsible for? Share specific tasks, assignments, and programs.