

# Application Instructions

The information and documents referenced on the following pages are required to apply for the position of 12th Bishop of Louisiana. All required items must be submitted together as one packet for receipt no later than Friday, December 31, 2021.

These forms should be downloaded and either saved to your computer/laptop/etc. as a pdf file or printed and completed by hand. In order to ensure proper formatting and functionality, we suggest downloading the latest free version of Adobe Reader DC which can be found in the link below:

[Download Adobe Reader](#)

The entire packet may be electronically filled out, signed, saved, attached and uploaded online to:

[nominations@edola.org](mailto:nominations@edola.org).

Completed packets may also be submitted via U.S. Mail to:

Jay Albert, dcn., 335 Carr Drive, Slidell, LA 70458

If you have any questions, please contact us at [nominations@edola.org](mailto:nominations@edola.org)

## PLEASE INCLUDE ALL THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PACKET:

*We have provided an interactive checklist for your convenience.*

### Personal Information

Full Name

SSN

Driver's License Number

Name of Spouse/Partner (if applicable)

Addresses for Self and Spouse/Partner for last 10 years

Employment History for Self and Spouse/Partner for last 10 years

Names and Ages of Children (if any)

### Your Curriculum Vitae

Details of your education

Entire employment history, both clerical and secular,

All ecclesiastical experience

Any other information you feel pertinent (e.g., service on boards or committees, honors or awards)

### Completed Forms

Application

Nomination Form - Completed and Signed by all three nominators

Consent and Release Form - Completed and Signed

### Recommendation Letters (As listed below)

One clergy person

One lay person

One long-time friend or colleague not connected with The Episcopal Church.

### Your Responses to the Following Questions

What has led you to respond to this process for nomination to be the 12th Bishop of Louisiana?

Describe your passion for mission and ministry.

One of the challenges that our denomination faces is an aging population. What are your ideas for motivating the next generation of clergy leaders?

Almost two years have been spent in struggles with the COVID pandemic and the many social, political, and economic challenges it brought it to the forefront. How have you fostered unity among individuals of differing values and diverse opinions? Where do you see hope springing forward in the Episcopal Church?

We will be sending a detailed questionnaire to all applicants meeting minimum requirements.

Thank you for your application.

# Application



## Nomination Instructions & Application

Our Search Committee looks forward to providing prayerful consideration of your application. The committee will contact you about your status at each stage of our process. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at [nominations@edola.org](mailto:nominations@edola.org)

Please submit the following:

### Completed

- Nomination Form
- Consent and Release of the Nominee Form
- Application Form

### Personal Information

Full Name

SSN

Driver's License Number

Name of Spouse/Partner (if applicable)

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### Recommendation Letters (must be from persons other than your nominators)

One clergy person

One person

One long-time friend or colleague not connected with The Episcopal Church.

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# Consent & Release

## Consent and Release of the Nominee

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby consent to my name being placed in nomination for the position of Bishop of the Diocese of Louisiana, and I hereby authorize the Diocese of Louisiana and/or its assigns to carry out any investigation(s) of me they may deem necessary for this purpose. This includes but is not limited to professional licenses, criminal records, civil litigation dockets, motor vehicle records, educational transcripts, credit reports and a reference check with all prior employers, other acquaintances, personal references, and public records. In this connection, I hereby authorize all prior employers, supervisors, bishops and other persons whom the Diocese of Louisiana believes may have relevant information to discuss and disclose to the diocesan representatives all information with respect to me and my background. I hereby release and agree to hold harmless all such persons and the Diocese of Louisiana and its representatives from any and all damages, claims and other liabilities whatsoever that may accrue to me or my family, heirs or assigns by reason of or in connection with such investigations or disclosures.

Name:

Social Security Number:

Drivers License Number & State of Issue:

In consideration of my participating in the nomination and election process:

1. I will not engage in lobbying or campaigning at the individual, parish, regional or diocesan level.
2. I hereby release, hold harmless, and forever discharge (including my waiver of the right to assert a claim now or in the future against) the Episcopal Diocese of Louisiana and members of the Committee together with their subcommittees, consultants, agents and other members of the Diocese who seek to obtain and consider information in the nomination and election process, and those who provide such information, from all liabilities, claims, demands, losses, or damages which may or could arise from my participation in the nomination and election process.

Date:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



# Search for the 12th Bishop of Louisiana

Episcopal Diocese of Louisiana  
1623 Seventh Street  
New Orleans, LA 70115



## NOMINATION FORM FOR THE XII BISHOP OF LOUISIANA

### Full Name of Nominee

Current Canonical Position

Current Canonical Residence

Address for Current Position

City

State

ZIP

Home Address

City

State

ZIP

Preferred Email

Preferred Phone

### CLERICAL NOMINATOR FROM THE DIOCESE OF LOUISIANA

### Nominator Full Name

Current Canonical Position

Phone Number(s)

Email Address(es)

I Personally Know the Nominee

If "Yes", describe how you know them

YES

NO

I believe this person should be considered because of the following reasons (please be specific)

Signature

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## BISHOP NOMINATOR

### Bishop Nominator Full Name

Current Canonical Residence

Phone Number(s)

Email Address(es)

I Personally Know the Nominee

If "Yes", describe how you know them      YES      NO

I believe this person should be considered because of the following reasons (please be specific)

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## LAY NOMINATOR FROM THE DIOCESE OF LOUISIANA

### Lay Nominator Full Name

Diocesan Congregation

Phone Number(s)

Email Address(es)

I Personally Know the Nominee

If "Yes", describe how you know them      YES      NO

I believe this person should be considered because of the following reasons (please be specific)

Signature \_\_\_\_\_