CHURCH PROFILE FORM
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PART I -- BASIC DATA

1. NAME OF CHURCH: _______________________________________________________________________________________
   Renewal Presbyterian Church of the Main Line - 1398 Wendover Rd, Bryn Mawr, PA 19010

   TELEPHONE: 484-684-4101   PRESBYTERY: Philadelphia Metro West

2. NAME OF PULPIT COMMITTEE CONTACT PERSON: _______________________
   Luke Woo

   MAILING ADDRESS: PO Box 602, Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462

   TELEPHONE: 484-684-4101   EMAIL: lukewoo@renewalmainline.org

3. TYPE OF COMMUNITY
   Inner City ______
   Urban (Downtown) ______
   Urban (Residential) X________
   Suburban ______
   Small Town ______
   Rural ______
   College ______
   Retirement ______
   Resort/Recreational ______
   Agriculture ______

4. TYPE OF CHURCH
   Church with Multiple Staff ______
   Church with Solo Pastor ______
   Mission Church ______
   Non-PCA Church ______
   Overseas Church ______

5. SIZE CHURCH
   Under 100 members ______
   101-250 members ______
   251-500 members ______
   501-800 members ______
   801-1,000 members ______
   1,001-1,600 members ______
   Over 1,600 members ______
6. TYPE OF POSITION VACANT
Pastor (Solo) _______
Senior Pastor _______
Associate Pastor _______
Assistant Pastor _______ X _______
Interim or Supply _______
Lay Professional _______
(e.g. Educator, Musician) _______
Pastoral Counselor _______

7. CONGREGATIONAL INFORMATION
Average Attendance 117 (165 with children)
# of Adults over 65 _______ 0 _______
# of Adults under 65 _______ 177 _______
# of Teens _______ 16 _______
Number of Children _______ 71 _______

8. FINANCIAL INFORMATION
Total Income $344,953
Benevolent Disbursements $42,165
Church Expenses $320,362 (including staff salaries)
Ministers Compensation Package $78,860 (current asst. pastor + benefits)

9. MANSE:
(a) Does the church have a manse? ___ Yes X No  
(b) If “yes,” is the pastor expected to live in the manse? ___ Yes ___ No

10. SCHOOL:
Does the church own or operate a school? ___ Yes X No

11. PROGRAMS AND OUTREACH
Children and Youth Ministry. Community Group Ministry
College Ministry. Overseas Missions
Worship, Praise, Multimedia Ministry. Fellowship and Hospitality Ministry
Diaconate

PART II -- PASTOR CRITERIA DESIRED
(Check all that apply)

A. YEARS OF MINISTRY EXPERIENCE REQUIRED (may include ordained or nonordained experience):
None needed _______
1-5 _______ X _______
5-10 _______ _______
10-20 _______ _______
Over 20 _______
No preference _______

B. Marital Status:
Single _______
Married _______
No preference _______ X _______
PART III -- CONGREGATIONAL PRIORITIES

THE CONGREGATION PLACES PRIORITIES FOR THIS MINISTER ON THE FOLLOWING:
Check no more than six (6) of the following twenty activities to indicate the highest priorities for this ministerial position.

CHECK NO MORE THAN SIX (6)

1. **X** WORSHIP LEADERSHIP: Pastor and Session work to develop a rich worship life, educating the congregation for meaningful participation.

2. ____ PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD: The word of God is preached with urgency and conviction, bringing it to bear on the changing needs of individuals, the community, and the world. High priority of pastor’s time placed on sermon preparation.

3. ____ SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT OF MEMBERS: Pastor shares members’ struggles regarding the Christian faith, with opportunity provided for individuals and groups to reflect on beliefs, concerns, doubts regarding Christian understanding of the spiritual dimensions of life.

4. ____ CONGREGATIONAL VISITATION: Church officers and pastor develop and carry out a systematic plan for visitation of the entire congregation with special attention to prospective members and those with special needs.

5. ____ HOSPITAL OR EMERGENCY VISITATION: Those in hospitals or emergency situations are regularly visited; network developed to keep pastor and others informed of crisis situations; needs of ill or bereaved are met.

6. ____ CONGREGATIONAL FELLOWSHIP: Emphasis placed in developing fellowship, helping members to know one another; groups encouraged which give members the opportunity to love and support one another.

7. ____ COUNSELING SERVICE: A counseling program initiated for assisting those in and outside the Church; appropriate referrals made when needed.

8. ____ EVANGELISM: Pastor and congregation share faith in Christ as personal Savior in total lifestyle; seek to lead others within and outside the Church to accept Jesus Christ; congregation is informed, trained, helped to establish effective evangelism programs for the church.

9. ____ DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING

10. **X** ENCOURAGING THE MINISTRY OF THE LAITY: Creative ideas and directions developed together with the Session; many persons with appropriate skills stimulated to become involved in services.

11. **X** MISSION BEYOND THE LOCAL COMMUNITY: Awareness of the Church’s worldwide mission and opportunities for corporate and individual involvement; specific projects identified: persons challenged to support, study and/or visit mission programs on six continents.

12. ____ DEVELOPMENT AND SUPPORT OF EDUCATION AND TRAINING PROGRAM: Session and pastor identify the educational needs of persons of all ages and backgrounds, developing programs to meet needs; church education supported; educational goals are congruent with the total mission of the Church.

13. ____ TEACHING RESPONSIBILITY: Pastor accepts an active teaching role, interpreting and teaching the Scriptures, theological concepts, history of the Church and current events; provides instruction for Church Officers; educational leaders, and confirms new members.

14. **X** INVOLVEMENT IN LOCAL COMMUNITY PROBLEMS AND ACTIVITIES: Concern for identifying social problems in the community; work done with groups seeking solutions. Time and skills committed to community groups. Information and encouragement provided which enable members to become informed and involved.
15. **CONGREGATIONAL COMMUNICATION:** Two-way communication encouraged, information gathered and shared that will assist problem solving and decision making; varying opinions elicited and all encouraged to listen to opposing points of view.

16. **_X_ ADMINISTRATIVE LEADERSHIP:** Pastor accepts appropriate administrative responsibilities, in climate of delegated tasks and shared leadership; volunteers and professional staff encouraged to use their ideas and skills. Work done on developing accountability.

17. **_X_ STEWARDSHIP AND COMMITMENT PROGRAMS:** Session and pastor develop a planned stewardship education program to communicate the financial needs of the local church and mission beyond the local church; congregation challenged to commitment to Church’s work.

18. **_X_ EVALUATION OF PROGRAM AND STAFF:** Systematic procedures used to evaluate programs and staff performance in accord with goals and objectives. Others trained to use these skills. Regular assessment and evaluation.

19. **_X_ CONGREGATIONAL AND DENOMINATIONAL RESPONSIBILITY:** Value placed on balance between local church and Assembly responsibilities. Congregation and Session know and are involved in the work of the denomination.

20. **_X_ DIACONAL MINISTRIES:** Ministering to the needs of those inside and outside of the Church.

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**PART IV -- PASTORAL MINISTRY STRENGTHS OR EXPERIENCE DESIRED**

Please check **NO MORE THAN SIX (6)** primary pastoral ministry strengths or experience expected for this position.

___ Preaching  ___ Teaching  ___ Evangelism  ___ Discipleship  ___ Worship Leadership  
___ Team Work  ___ Counseling  ___ Youth Work  ___ Leadership Training  ___ Church Administration  
___ Christian Education  ___ Singles Ministry  ___ Stewardship  ___ Diaconal Ministry  ___ Ministry to Seniors  
___ Pastoral Visitation  ___ Community Service  ___ College & Career Ministry