

**NC SYNOD, ELCA
1988 Lutheran Synod Drive
Salisbury, NC 28144**

**Application for
"ON LEAVE FROM CALL STATUS"**

This form must be completed (all questions answered) and filed with the synod office within 45 days of the last day of active ministry. On Leave From Call status is not official until approved by the Synod Council.

Name:

Word and Sacrament

Address:

Word and Service

Home Phone:

Cell Phone:

E-mail:

Date of Ordination/Consecration/Commissioning:

Congregation/agency where you last served under call,
or where you are serving:

Last day of active ministry in the congregation/agency:

What type of leave are you requesting? Study

Family Leave

Other

Reason/s for requesting on leave from call status *(if you are requesting family leave, please include the names and ages of children or dependent(s) in your care):*

Would you be available for call to the North Carolina Synod and the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America? If so, in what way?

When would you be available? (give date)

Describe your ability and willingness to provide ministry services at the request of the bishop if on leave from call:

Describe your plans for continuing education during the coming year? *(list areas of study and reasons):*

Name:

In what congregation do you have membership? (an ELCA rostered leader must be an active member of an ELCA congregation)

What is your involvement in the congregation where you hold membership?

Are you on the ordained roster, or intend to be, of any other church body?

Yes No

If yes, which church body:

Yes No

Do you intend to be supportive of the ELCA?

Yes No

Are you a defendant in any pending civil or criminal litigation?

Yes No

Have you been convicted of any criminal offense in the past 2 years?

Yes No

Has anyone threatened to sue you within the past 2 years?

If yes to any of these last three questions, please state the nature, date & circumstances?

Date submitted:

Signature:

If submitting this application via e-mail, your typed name will serve as confirmation that you are the applicant submitting this request.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- (1) Complete application and email as an attachment to Kathy Muth at kmuth@nclutheran.org