

# ALL CHRISTIANS' FELLOWSHIP INTERNATIONAL

## PROCEDURE OF ORDINATION OF WORKERS

Scripture Reading: - Acts 13:2-3 (*A chosen reader.*)

Pastor: - *"But when He saw the multitudes, He was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd." Then said unto His disciples 'the harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few'."*

Pastor: - *"You have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that you should go and bring forth fruit and that your fruit should remain."*

Pastor: - What a high privilege of being 'labourers together with God! (*Name(s):* .....), will you now stand before this congregation and declare unto them the call of God upon your life and the purpose for which you go forth to serve?

Ordinands: - A brief response from each of the ordinand(s): (I Brother/Sister ..... hereby declare before God and before this congregation that I'm convinced by the Spirit of God to serve God and the Brethren of this Church to the best of my ability through Christ Jesus.

Pastor: - Who of this congregation is willing to give to (*Name(s):* ..... ) your expression of Christian thankfulness for their call into active service, your vote of encouragement in their undertaking, your promise of loving support and faithful prayer? Let him/her who is willing stand to his feet."

*(The congregation will stand and the ordinand(s) are to be on their knees)*

Ordinand(s): - Being Confident of my calling from God, and realising that I am dealing with eternal souls, I hereby, covenant before God to dedicate my life to His service. In humble dependence upon God I pledge myself to the faithful fulfilment of all my ministerial duties, to live a consistent Christian life, and earnestly to endeavour to be a soul winner. I also pledge without reservation my commitment and loyalty to the message, doctrine, constitution and programs of All Christians' Fellowship International.

Pastor: - Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, for as much as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.

Pastor: - Minister: While the ordinand(s) remain on his/her/their knees, let every other Pastors and Ordained Ministers present here today, join me in laying hands upon him/her/them and praying the prayer of consecration over him/her/them as ..... and Minister(s) of the Lord called forth from this congregation - (*Prayers!!! - And while soft music is being played in the background, let the congregation and friends move forward to congratulate the ordinand(s).*)