APPLICATION FOR PARTICIPATION
IN AIDED CURACY PROGRAM

As part of our diocesan commitment to provide the best opportunity for ordinands to return to the Diocese to serve after they are ordained, the Diocese of East Tennessee provides a robust aided curacy program. A parish which receives a curate pays half of the cost of the curacy (including benefits) for the first two years, and the Diocese pays the other half of the cost. It is expected that the parish will, within reason, make provision for paying the cost of a third year of curacy on its own, during which time the parish may make arrangements for the Curate to become an associate, or continue the curacy program as the Curate looks for a next call. For 2027, the expected parish commitment for a curacy, inclusive of benefits, is $46,116.

Name of Parish:

City of Parish:

Describe the portfolio of the potential new curate:

Who would directly supervise the curate?

What else should the bishop know about the parish's desire for a curate?

Does the parish have sufficient projected resources to pay half of the curacy package...

The expected parish commitment of half of the cost of a curacy for two years? ☐

The full cost of the curacy for the third year? ☐

Please attach your last audited financial statements, and your last YTD revenues and expenses statement.

Submit form to Episcopal Engagement Specialist Jon Humber: jhumber@dioet.org.