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**Candidates 2025**

**Timeframe Checklist**

Candidates must inform their Presbyter as soon as possible, of their intention to candidate.

The Presbyter will then arrange a meeting with the candidate and Synod Candidate Convenor as soon as possible. At this meeting the candidate will be given a copy of all material for candidating. The Synod Candidate Convenor will help guide the candidate through the process and answer any questions.

It is important that you note all due dates and ensure that documentation is sent to the office of Te Hāpai ō ki Muri on time.

**Forms Set 1**

The following forms are due to Te Hāpai ō ki Muri by **Monday 4th August 2025**

Police Vetting Consent Form

Financial Report

Medical Report

Personal Data Report, with copies of all required documents as follows:

Passport sized photo

Copy of current driver’s license

NZ residency status

IELTS academic test results (if applicable)

Baptism certificate or letter

Confirmation certificate or letter

Academic transcripts or certificates

**Forms Set 2**

The following forms are due to Te Hāpai ō ki Muri by **Monday 25th August 2025**

Personal Ministry & Leadership Report

Referee Report 1

Referee Report 2

Presbyter Report

Leaders’ Meeting (Congregational Meeting in Pasifika Synods)/Parish Report

Synod Report (The Secretary of the Ministerial Synod will do this.)

**Candidates Assessment Event**

Date:  Thursday, 25 September to Sunday, 28 September 2025

Venue: Wesley College, Paerata, Auckland

**Please ensure this date is in your diary.**