

**PULPIT SUPPLY
INFORMATION SHEET**

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Church Status (check one):
 Pastor CLP Elder
 Educator Other Honorably Retired Pastor
 Member @ Large Pastor of another denomination

Church of membership (if an elder, educator, CLP): Iowa Conf. of the United Methodist Church

Date of Ordination and Ordaining Body (if ordained): 06/13/76 - UMC

Are you willing to serve communion as part of the worship? (Applies only to ordained ministers in good standing with PGR) Yes

How far you are willing to drive to fill a pulpit: 50 miles

What parts of the worship service are you willing to lead (i.e. will you just preach or would you do the liturgy, children's moments etc)?

Anything that's needed - I've done it all!
(even sing solos & duets with my wife)

Please briefly describe your style of preaching.

I have donelectionary preaching, but after sermons series such as biblical characters, Parables, biblical books or section like The Sermon on the Mount; or sermons that may be topical or issue oriented. I try to be practical and speaks to people's needs. I use a manuscript but I try not to be too tied to it.

What are some key theological issues that shape your ministry?

I think of myself as an orthodox evangelical (but not fundamentalist). Open to diverse views and respect other's opinions when they may differ from my own. I have functioned rather well in various denominational settings - Presbyterian, UCC, Disciples of Christ as well as those more conservative. The church's ministry should always be inclusive rather than exclusive; addressing issues and needs that people face in their everyday lives. I simply love ^{all} people and want to be useful in ministry for as long as I'm able.