



## The Rev. Daniel J. Merrick, Jr. Award 2024 Nomination Form

The Rev. Daniel J. Merrick, Jr. Award recognizes graduates of Phillips Theological Seminary, Phillips Graduate Seminary, The Graduate Seminary of Phillips University or the College of the Bible whose service and dedication to the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) has been faithful and exemplary.

A nominee should be someone who has been ordained in the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), supports and participates in the General church at the local and/or national level. The nominee may minister in any setting but must be dedicated to the identity, vision, and mission of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). This should include a strong commitment to moving the General church forward to meet the needs of the future church in fulfilling 'a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world.'

A nominee should also show a commitment to Phillips values and ethos in their ministry. <https://www.ptstulsa.edu/about-us/culture-commitments/>

The Rev. Daniel J. Merrick, Jr. Award is given by the Phillips Alumnae/i Association and is selected by the Awards Committee of the Alumnae/i Association. The committee will decide each year if there is a worthy applicant to receive the Merrick Award.

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_ PTS Degree(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Field of Service: \_\_\_\_\_ PTS Class Year(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

### **On a separate sheet:**

Please describe the specific areas of service to God, the Church and the Human Community in which the nominee has excelled in 150-300 words.

The Awards Committee will contact the nominee to request biographical information and consent to be considered for the award.

Nominated by: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Nominations must arrive by **June 30, 2023**. The Award will be announced and presented to the recipient(s) at the Remind & Renew Conference in January of the following year.

Please return this form and your supporting comments to:

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(2023 - Present)**

January-23 Rev. Daniel J. Merrick, Jr.