



2024 Important Licensure and Ordination Dates

	Fall 2024	Spring 2025
Licensure Type	Local and General Only	Local, General, Ordination
Application Deadline	September 11, 2024	TBD
Meet the District Board	October 11, 9:00 am – 1:30 pm	TBD
Mandatory Ministry Training (Optional for Ordination)	October 11, 9:00 am – 1:30 pm	TBD
Location	Central Arkansas, Exact Locations TBD	TBD
<i>More information to follow for applicants</i>		

Preapplication Requirements

- Complete all ten (10) Ministry Central courses for appropriate licensure. This also includes three videos and quizzes not associated with a book that will appear near the beginning of your online course work: UPCI Ministerial Introduction I by David K. Bernard, UPCI Ministerial Introduction II by David K. Bernard, and SafeChurch Training Video.

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Complete equivalent Purpose Institute training and three videos and quizzes found on Ministry Central: UPCI Ministerial Introduction I by David K. Bernard, UPCI Ministerial Introduction II by David K. Bernard, and SafeChurch Training Video:

<https://ministrycentral.com/course-category/licensing-resources-and-instructions>

- Read Manual of the United Pentecostal Church International (UPCI).
- Satisfy all other requirements for licensure/ordination as laid out in the Manual of the UPCI (Section VII).

Application

- Complete and submit the online application by the above listed due date. Application instructions can be found separately: Ministerial Application Process - <https://www.arkansasdistrictupci.com/current-ministers>

Meeting the District Board

- For new or reinstatement of licensure, please bring a check for one-fourth of annual Arkansas District UPCI membership dues (Not required for licensure promotions):
 - *Local License* - 2024 District Local License Annual Dues $\$240 \times 25\% = \60
 - *General License* - 2024 District General License Annual Fee $\$420 \times 25\% = \105
 - *Ordination* - 2024 District General License Annual Fee $\$600 \times 25\% = \150
- Local and General licensing applications will participate in the half day Ministry Training session listed above.
- Special Note: Other than nursing infants, no children should accompany applicants.

Need Help?

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