

June 14, 2018

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The Rev. N. J. L'Heureux, Jr. Executive Director

Dear Colleague:

The mission of the Church relies on the dedicated work of committed Christians. You depend daily on the faithful work of volunteers who extend the reach of your congregation to those in need in the community, who teach in the Sunday School, and who fulfill a variety of important assignments for the Church. One does not need gray hair to be a Faithful Servant – there may be one your Church's youth or young adults whom you would consider as having evidenced the qualities of a Faithful Servant of Christ.

I write to remind you of an opportunity to nominate one of these servants of God for recognition by the Queens Federation of Churches at the 26th Annual Presentation of the **Citation for Faithful Service** at an Ecumenical Brunch which will be Saturday, October 27, 10 a.m., at the Shin Kwang Church of New York, 33-55 Bell Boulevard, Bayside.

Nomination for the Citation must be made by the Pastor (or, in the absence of a Pastor, by the Church Board) in recognition of distinguished service by a volunteer in the congregation's ministry. Such volunteer service may include the congregation's ecumenical involvement and outreach to the community. Only one nomination may be submitted annually from any church. The nomination deadline for this year's award is Friday, September 14. Announcement of this year's honorees will be made September 28.

Please consider prayerfully this request. It is an excellent opportunity to honor one of the faithful servants in Christ's Church and, in so doing, to herald the selfless contributions made by members of the Body of Christ.

Sincerely, N. J. L'Heureux, Jr.

Executive Director

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P.S. A couple of other dates for your calendar:

- Saturday, November 17, 10 a.m. QFC Fall Assembly,
- Friday, January 25, 2019, 6 p.m. Celebration of 88 Years of Ecumenical Ministry in Queens at Terrace On The Park.

Check our website at www.QueensChurches.org for information on these and other coming events.



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"I am grateful to Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because he judged me faithful and appointed me to his service." —1 Timothy 1:12 (NRSV)

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Presentation of the Citation will take place at a special Ecumenical Awards Brunch on Saturday, October 27, 2018, 10 a.m. at the Shin Kwang Church of New York 33-55 Bell Boulevard, Bayside

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### Nomination Deadline — September 14, 2018



Pastor should submit Nomination on the enclosed form to: Queens Federation of Churches 86-17 105<sup>th</sup> Street Richmond Hill, NY 11418-1597 (718) 847-6764 • FAX (718) 847-7392

## Queens Federation of Churches

# 2018 Nomination for the Citation for Faithful Service

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Nominee:	
Home Address:	
Telephone — Home: ()	Daytime/Office: ()
Church:	
Pastor:	
Telephone — Home: ()	Daytime/Office: ()

The Nominee has been a member of this Congregation since [year]

Please attach separate pages for the following:

- 1. List of Positions held and the years of service.
- 2. A one paragraph (100 word) statement describing this person's ministry for your church.

Nominations for this year's presentation	Pastor — Sign within this box, avoid touching any of the lines. Your signature will be
must be <u>received</u> by Friday, September	reproduced on the Certificate.
14. Mail this completed form to the Queens	
Federation of Churches, 86-17 105th Street,	
Richmond Hill, NY 11418-1597. You may	
FAX the application and attachments to (718)	
847-7392 to meet the deadline, but please	
confirm by mailing the original, signed applica-	
tion. Citations will be presented at a special	
Ecumenical Brunch on Saturday, October 27.	