***PrairieFire:***

**A Program of Spiritual Renewal & Formation**

Application Form

Instructions: Please save this document to your computer, type in your answers (saving regularly) and email your completed application to dmcclanahan@dmpcc.org.

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| Phone: | Home: | Work: | Cell: |

Preferred Phone Number: (Select from Drop Box)

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| Email: |  |

Occupation and Current Work Setting:

Work History:

Education:

Current Religious Affiliation or Spiritual Orientation:

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| Denomination | Community/Congregation |

Please indicate your availability for class:

Opening Retreat beginning on Sunday, September 23, 2018 at 5PM and ending Tuesday, September 25 at Noon.

Monthly classes on the third Saturday each month from October-June (both years)

Please list any concerns that could impede your full participation in the two years of this program:

Please indicate how you learned about ***PrairieFire***:

**References**

Please provide the following information about persons you have asked to write reference letters for you:

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|  | Name | Address | Phone |
| Volunteer, Community, Professor |  |  |  |
| Pastor/church official/spiritual director/mentor |  |  |  |

**Spiritual Autobiography**

Please provide two copies of a 2-3 page, single spaced Spiritual Autobiography that addresses the following:

* What people, books, and experiences have influenced you and brought new insights into your relationship with God?
* What feeds you spiritually…gives you joy…brings meaning to your life?
* What are your gifts and limitations?
* Describe your most significant religious/spiritual experience and how it has been mean- ful to you.
* What attracts you to ***PrairieFire*** program at this time?
* What do you hope to receive from this program?
* Have you had experience meeting personally with a spiritual director? If so, briefly describe what this experience.

**Please check one:**

The $50 non-refundable application fee is enclosed by check.

The $50 non-refundable application fee has been paid online. (Go to www.dmpcc.org/PrairieFire)

**Return application to:**

*PrairieFire*

Attn: Diane McClanahan

Des Moines Pastoral Counseling Center

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