

ARCHDIOCESE OF LOUISVILLE
PERSONNEL COMMISSION

1972 PERSONAL DATA FORM

PLEASE NOTE: The information which you supply below is confidential and will be used only by the personnel commission.

NAME: CREED C. PATRICK
(Last) (First) (Middle Initial)

2 BIRTH DATE: 3/13/26 ORDINATION DATE: 1951

3 My primary assignment is Pastor: St. Francis, Ky. since June 13, 1969

4 My other present official assignments are:
(Include work on any diocesan committees or boards.)

~~Executive Board Archdiocesan Liturgical Commission~~ since 1966

Seminary Commission since 1967

Priests' Advisory Exe. Board--Bellarmine College since 1970

Advisory Pastors Board: Parish Councils since 1970

President [elected]: Town & Country Apostolic Council since 1969

Board of Directors: Lincoln Trail Area Development Dist. 1970

5 My past official assignments have been:

Assistant Pastor--Holy Name, Louisville from Aug. '51 to Aug. '60

Administrator--S t. Aloysius, L'ville from Aug. '60 to Aug. '65

Assistant Pastor--St. Basil, L'ville from Aug. '65 to Nov. '66

Associate Pastor: St. John Vianney] from Nov. '66 to June '67
L'ville

Pastor: St. Bernard, Casey County, Ky. from June '67 to June '69

6. My other past assignments have been:

Director Holy Name Boys' Camp from June '52 to Aug. '60

Director: Cath. School Ath. Association from [c] 1954 to 1961

_____ from _____ to _____

_____ from _____ to _____

_____ from _____ to DAR 00823

7. Personal preference for my priestly ministry is:

X a) Assignment to a parish: If there are any distinguishing characteristics of your preference, specify:

I am very interested in the multi-parish concept, especially in the rural apostolate, which I am beginning to understand,

b) Education (outside parish environment):

Please, be specific concerning the particular area of your interest

 c) Combination of a) and b).

Please, be specific concerning the nature of your preference.

 d) None of the above. Please, be specific about the type of work and residence you have in mind.

 X e) Beside what has been checked above, I would also like to engage in: (Specify): I am interested in a multi-county [multi-parish] ministry to the aging--working particularly through and with government programs.

8. Do you think you are able to use your talents adequately in your present assignment?

I keep thinking beyond parish boundaries.

 Yes No

Comment: While the parish is a comfortable place to be and work, it is too scaled down to be effective in the kind of ministry which interests me most at this time in my life.

9. Do you think there should be a personnel change in your parish? Yes X No

Comment: I would rather the question read: "in your area?" Then, I would answer: "Yes."

10. Would you be interested in a change of assignment for yourself? Yes No

Comment: "No" if it's the parish. "Yes" I would like to take a year [or more] to work particularly with the problems of the aging. I do not wish to take a leave of absence. I would like to be assigned to this work like being assigned to take a year of school. What I could learn would be of great benefit to our Archdiocesan ministry to the aging, esp. our priests and sisters.

11. Would you be adverse to a change of assignment at this time? X Yes No

If other than the above.

Comment: _____

12. Irrespective of your seniority, would you welcome the responsibility of the office of pastor?

(a) Of an existing parish Yes No (b) Of a parish to be formed? Yes No

Comment: _____

13. If a pastor — Would you consider becoming an associate? Yes No

Comment: The question should read: "becoming a co-pastor?"

To which, my answer is "Yes."

14. If in special work — would you be interested in becoming a pastor? Yes No

Comment: _____

15. If in special work — would you be interested in becoming a full-time associate? Yes No

Comment: _____

16. If in special work — would you be interested in a change at this time:

(a) To the same type of work elsewhere Yes No

(b) To a different type of work Yes No

Comment: _____

17. Would you like to pursue further studies as specialized training? Yes No

If Yes, specify: I would like to try the training I have already indicated.

18. As a pastor — would you prefer a parish that was a (check one):

- one man parish
- two man parish
- three man parish

If the structures stay as they are, then I would prefer a one man parish. But I am more interested in multi-parish, co-pastors.

19. How would you evaluate your *previous* assignments?

PLACE	EVALUATION
<u>Holy Name</u>	<u>Good for that era.</u>
<u>St. Aloysius, Louisville.</u>	<u>Excellent</u>
<u>St. Basil</u>	<u>Nihil</u>
<u>St. John Vianney</u>	<u>Excellent</u>
<u>St. Bernard, Casey Co.</u>	<u>Excellent opportunity but assignment needs support--needs to be a part of a team effort.</u>

20. What is your evaluation of your present assignments?

Excellent opportunity but parish needs to be extended to include all of Western Marion County [towns of Holy Cross, St. Francis, Raywick, and Loretto] for the ministry to be really effective, to people as people and to be able to deal with the "real" community power structure.

21. Would you be interested in working in an experimental apostolate (e.g. a team situation with jurisdiction collectively held and administered)?

Yes No

Please comment: I am open to this idea. I am particularly interested in the comment I made to question # 10. [We have no one in our Archdiocesan priesthood who is an "expert" on the "aging" problems--which are ever increasing.]

22. Do you have any suggestions for a new kind of priestly work that you and/or others could do in the Archdiocese?

I am now Chairman of a Task Force on Aging for an eight county area. The problems are a real eye opener. I would like to take a year or two off from pastoral administration in order to devote my whole time to trying to come to grips with this exciting apostolate. I could support myself in this work for at least two years.

23. Please list names of priests with whom you think you could live, communicate, and work well:

No problem here from my side of the fence--except a lazy one!

24. How is your health?

Good Fair Poor

25. Are you planning your retirement for any time during the next two to five years? Yes No

If your answer is Yes — When? _____

26. Would you like to talk with the personnel board during the course of this year?

Comment: I would like to talk about ministry to the aging population. The unique opportunity is open to me and I would really like to learn all I can about this ministry. I would like to talk to you if this seems valid.

27. The Office of the Personnel Commission is located on the ground floor of the Chancery Office, 212 E. College Street. You will usually reach one of us at the Office on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Or contact us at our respective homes.

PLEASE, RETURN YOUR FORMS BY MARCH 3rd, 1972.

The members are:

Rev. Thomas Donohue

Rev. James Meder

Rev. Arthur Hartman

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Rev. Thomas Hommrich, Exec. Secretary

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