



2009 Gertrude Apel Pioneering Spirit Award
Nomination Form



In 1930, during a period of major economic depression, Rev. Gertrude Apel was the first General Secretary of what would become the Church Council of Greater Seattle. In a time when women did not “lead” organizations, Rev. Apel was a tireless ecumenical leader and amazing organizer. She had a talent for fostering cooperation and always getting things done. This year we honor and remember her by initiating the Gertrude Apel Pioneering Spirit award. Please help us by nominating someone who embodies Rev. Apel’s spirit and lives out his/her faith in the social justice/community service arena.

Your name _____ Date _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Congregation or Association _____

Award Nominee _____ Phone _____

Email _____ Congregation/ Association _____

Please tell us in 500 words or less why you believe this person deserves the 2009 Gertrude Apel Pioneering Spirit Award.

The winner of this award will be announced on September 30, 2009 at our fall dinner.

Please email - (aerickson@thechurchcouncil.org), mail to address below or fax (206 525-1218) this nomination form by **August 30, 2009**.