

## Chaplain of the Year Award Nomination

**Purpose:** To Honor Post and District Chaplains for their commitment and service to our veterans.

The following are the criteria for Chaplain of the Year Award:

- Must be serving or have served as either Post or District Chaplain.
- Be recognized for a positive impact on veterans in the community and for contributing to furthering the goals of the VFW.
- Focus shall be on ministering to other veterans and their families.

## Nominations can be made by any Post or District Officer. Details:

- Nominations must be submitted to the State Chaplain no later than March 31<sup>st</sup>
- The written nomination should be no more than 2 pages
- Include a list of accomplishments and/ or community events participated in (ie. Volunteering for community, hospital visits, nursing home visits, etc.)
- Tell why you feel the Chaplain should be honored. Include the nominee's cap size and phone number.
- Department judges will be 1 District Chaplain, 1 Past Department Commander, and 1 member at large.
- The Chaplain selected by the judges will be notified by the State Chaplain and announced at the State Convention Awards Banquet.