Senior Placement Opportunity Notice

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Southern Missionary Baptist Church
3143 Midland Avenue
Syracuse, NY 13205
http://www.smbcsyr.org/

The Southern Missionary Baptist Church is in search of a Pastor. Our purpose is to win souls for Jesus Christ by teaching, growing, and making disciples for the building of God’s Kingdom. One of our primary focal point is to enhance our mission meadow. We are in search of a candidate that God Almighty has preordained and predestined for Southern Missionary Baptist Church. If the Spirit of God is directing your heart in this direction, please carefully examine our posting with prayerful thoughtfulness to your response.

The successful candidate must demonstrate the following:

- The ability to prepare and deliver biblically sound, inspirational, and spirit-filled sermons.
- Competence in leadership and management, communications (oral and written), and strong interpersonal skills
- A vision for growing church membership which is rooted in the Word of God.
- The heart/passion for Christian education, discipleship, evangelism, and the ability to provide strong bible-based teaching and study that is relevant, engaging, and understandable. Sunday School and Bible Study
- A commitment to growing, encouraging, and nurturing the spiritual development of children, youth, young adults, and families within the congregation.
- Exceptional standards of personal character, ethics, and integrity
- A strong commitment to denominational affiliations including local district, state, and national relationships

Interested and qualified candidates please submit: current resume, copy of ministerial license and ordination certificate, and copy of degree(s). All information submitted will be treated as “confidential”; Pulpit Search Committee, Southern Missionary Baptist Church, PO Box 13, Syracuse, NY 13207. **Deadline for application acceptance is April 15, 2014.** Interested candidates please see our link for more information: http://resources.razorplanet.com/510611-8783/461148_SouthernMBC_PastorAd.pdf.

Kayne Avenue Missionary Baptist Church
1025 12th Avenue South
Nashville, TN 37203

The primary purpose of Kayne Ave. Missionary Baptist Church is to be a Christian Fellowship where the Gospel of Jesus Christ is preached and the ordinances and doctrines of the Baptist Church are properly taught and administered.
The successful candidate should meet the following qualifications:

- Must have Christ in their life first
- Must meet the requirements of the Pastor as stated in 1 Timothy3:1-7
- Experience as:
  - A Pastor of a church considered first
  - However, an applicant without experience as a Pastor may be considered if they have significant training and have had Pastoral responsibilities and is able to demonstrate such training.
- Applicant should demonstrate a thorough knowledge and adherence to the principles of the articles of Faith, as well as a passion for Bible-based Teaching, Evangelism, and Counseling
- Applicant must be a gifted Preacher of the Gospel of Jesus Christ who exhibits proficiency in preparing and delivering sermons that demonstrate a firm comprehension of the Holy Bible and Baptist Polity

For a complete and thorough list of qualifications and to submit an application please click on the following link http://resources.razorplanet.com/510611-8783/448901_pastorvacancykayneavenue.pdf.

Interested candidates should submit all information required by April 30, 2014.

Virginia, Suffolk

Senior Pastor

East End Baptist Church
523 E. Washington Street
Suffolk, VA  23434
http://www.eebconline.com

We are seeking a person, called by God, to preach and teach the uncompromising Gospel of Jesus Christ to serve as its Senior Pastor. EEBC is a historically African-American church with regular attendance of 475 which welcomes a diversity of people and cultures.

The responsibilities of the position include:

- Leading full time and part time staff and volunteers
- Mentoring and contributing to the spiritual growth and development of the associate ministers
- Mission and evangelism experience
- Proficient in information technology, strategic planning, program management and financial skills

For more information contact Deacon E. Christian Jones, Chair, Pastor Search Committee, East End Baptist Church, P.O. Box 1834, Suffolk, VA, 23439. All correspondence should go to this address.
The Vienna Baptist faith community seeks a strong pastoral leader to guide us, to minister alongside us, to cast the vision, and join our journey of spiritual growth and discipleship. The Senior Pastor is called to provide spiritual and institutional leadership and guidance through preaching, teaching, worship planning, pastoral care, administration, supervision of staff and working with the elected church leadership.

The successful candidate will be an ordained Baptist pastor; a seminary or divinity school graduate; previous pastoral experience; and a belief that the Bible is the inspired word of God.

For more information contact Nancy Curtis, Vienna Baptist Church Pastor Search Team, at (703) 608-0680 or VBCpastorsearch@vbc-va.org

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**CHURCH POSITIONS – EPISCOPAL**

**Pennsylvania, Maple Glen**

Saint Matthew’s Episcopal Church  
919 Tennis Avenue  
Maple Glen, PA 19002  

Saint Matthew’s is a vibrant, multi-generational congregation with a bright future. We exist to honor God and serve Christ by building a Christian community of worship and caring fellowship, where each member will grow spiritually and be fulfilled as they offer their gifts and talents for Christian ministry, reaching out to all in the power and love of God’s spirit.

This position of Assistant to the Rector offers an opportunity for growth in ministry, under the mentorship of an experienced and long tenured Rector in a healthy parish setting. The Assistant to the Rector will be given opportunity to preach, preside at liturgies, teach, and support parish ministries, with special focus on our ministries with children, youth, and their families.

Parishioners are committed to a broad variety of outreach ministries, including transitional housing to homeless families in our community, and support to a medical mission in Haiti. The pastoral ministry of the clergy is enhanced by a team of lay parish visitors and Eucharistic visitors.

Interested applicants are invited to visit the website [saintmattsec.org](http://saintmattsec.org) and contact the Rector, David S. Robinson (student at PTS 1975-1977), at [rector@saintmattsec.org](mailto:rector@saintmattsec.org) for more information.
North Carolina, Southport,  Assistant Priest

St. Philip’s Episcopal Church
PO Box 10476
Southport, NC 28461
(910) 457-5643
http://www.stphillipschurch.org

Our church is an historic 650-member parish located in a beautiful coastal community 35 miles south of Wilmington, NC. We seek an energetic Assistant Priest who will lead Christian Education, engage in pastoral care and work with parish youth. This individual will report to our interim rector.

The deadline to apply is April 30, 2014.

For more information, contact Senior Warden Ruth Smith at www.asstpriestsearch2014@gmail.com.

Texas, Dallas  Curate for Youth Ministry

The Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd
11122 Midway Road
Dallas, TX 75229
http://www.goodshepherddallas.org/

The Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd is a mid-sized, moderate congregation in an affluent neighborhood in north Dallas. Almost 600 students from pre-kindergarten to eighth grade attend our school, about 10% of those from the parish.

The Curate for Youth Ministries (CYM) reports directly to the Rector, and has primary pastoral responsibility for families with students in sixth through twelfth grade. In addition, the CYM serves as chaplain to fifth through eighth grades at our school. The CYM must exhibit strong leadership and administrative skills, and have a heart for nurturing faith in adolescents.

Responsibilities:

- Member of Parish Clergy: A priest or transitional deacon, the CYM has regular duties of preaching, teaching, and leading worship, pastoral care and visitation, and parish administration. Newly-ordained clergy should expect to follow an organized plan of leadership and core competency development to ensure broad parish experience.
- Direct and Manage Parish Youth Program: The CYM coordinates and oversees Good Shepherd’s parish ministry for students from a variety of schools in grades six through twelve. The youth minister works with adult volunteers and parish leaders to create and coordinate an attractive and sustainable youth program.
- Middle School Chaplain: The Youth Minister exercises a sacramental, pastoral and educational ministry, with particular focus on Good Shepherd’s fifth through eighth grade students. This work includes teaching a seventh-grade “Faith Studies” class and leading chapel three times per week.

If interested please submit cover letter and resume to: resumes@gsecd.org.
Iowa, Des Moines

Plymouth United Church of Christ
4126 Ingersoll Avenue
Des Moines, Iowa 50312
http://www.plymouthchurch.com/

“We agree to differ. We resolve to love. We unite to serve.” Plymouth Congregational United Church of Christ in Des Moines, Iowa— an Open & Affirming congregation with over 3,000 members— we are a community of people from the entire Greater Des Moines area- people of all ages who embrace life’s questions, even when we don’t have all the answers.

We are a progressive, active, inclusive, joyful congregation whose purpose is the heart of Christianity… to increase the love of God and neighbor

Plymouth Congregational UCC seeks a Minister of Discipleship to direct the congregation’s ministries of spiritual growth and faith formation. As a member of the pastoral staff, this minister will take the lead in overseeing educational programs from baptism through adulthood. Join a talented staff team at a historic and thriving church where all are welcome! Open to all denominations, must be an ordained minister OR eligible for standing in the United Church of Christ. For more information about our church please visit plymouthchurch.com. Resumes can be emailed to pwilkerson@plymouthchurch.com.

New York, Claverack

Reformed Dutch Church of Claverack
88 Rt. 9-H
Claverack, NY 12153
http://www.claverackreformedchurch.org/

The Reformed Dutch Church of Claverack, built in 1767, is nestled in the Village of Claverack between the Berkshire Mountains and the Hudson River in Columbia County, NY.

The mission of the Reformed Dutch Church of Claverack is that we are a Christian fellowship proclaiming God’s love and the gospel of Jesus Christ in our community and throughout the world. We are prayerfully searching for a servant leader who is passionate about sharing and preaching God’s word. This person is committed to spiritual growth and intergenerational engagement within an atmosphere of love, and has a desire to be involved in the life of our church and the community.

The Reformed Church in America (RCA) has the same theological beliefs/creeds as the Presbyterian Church USA, The Lutheran Church and the United Church of Christ. The Pastor position is open to anyone from any of those denominations,
During the past year, our congregation has been seeking God’s direction as we begin to search for a new pastor. We are prayerfully seeking a servant leader who is passionate about sharing and preaching God’s word. At Claverack, we have a strong and continuous ministry which began back in 1767. In view of this, we are looking for a person who is committed to spiritual growth and intergenerational engagement, having a desire to be involved in the life of this congregation as it reaches into the surrounding community.

Please note that even though this position is described as “three fourths time,” the salary and benefits package already meets our classis’ full-time minimal standard. However, since several congregations in proximity to Claverack are looking for part time pastoral assistance, we have built in a possibility for a one quarter time position with another church. Depending on the individual wishes of any candidate for ministry with Claverack, we have initiated conversation within our classis should such an arrangement be pursued. This option has flexibility with regard to what each candidate might have in mind.

Please contact Louise Bliss, claveracksearch2013@gmail.com, or 518-828-7884 to express your interest in becoming our new pastor. Resumes may be emailed or sent by UPS to Louise Bliss, 24 Becraft Avenue, Hudson, New York 12534.

New York, Brooklyn  

Part-Time Associate Pastor

Plymouth Church  (Congregational)  
75 Hicks Street  
Brooklyn, NY  11201  
http://www.plymouthchurch.org

Plymouth Church is a Congregational Church located in Brooklyn Heights. We are a Christ-centered community of faith that is thriving and growing. Average attendance at Sunday worship is 240. We are looking for an Associate Pastor for 25 hours per week. The position would begin this spring.

The successful candidate will be involved in leading youth groups; worship (periodic preaching and children’s sermons); teaching Sunday School and helping with recruitment of other teachers; selected pastoral care; and engage in the life of fellowship at the church.

For more information, contact Senior Pastor, Rev. Al Bunis at abunis@plymouthchurch.org or (718) 624-4743.

New York, New York  

English Evangelist

The First Chinese Presbyterian Church  
61 Henry St.  
New York, New York 10002

The First Chinese Presbyterian Church of the Presbytery of New York City is seeking an Evangelist to share, with the Pastor, the ministry to the English-speaking members of the congregation, including preaching, teaching, pastoral care, fellowship ministries, and reach-out to members and non-members. The candidate should have a degree from a Seminary or is currently in progress of attaining a theological degree; experience in preaching and in working
with youth and young adults; the ability to use social media and technology; and knowledge of Reformed Theology and PC(USA) polity. We will definitely consider non-PC (USA) and non-denominational students.

An attractive salary, one month annual vacation, social security, health insurance, and pension benefits will be provided. For more information, please visit www.fcpc.org. Please send resume to Evangelist@fcpc.org.

New York, Rye

Rye Presbyterian Church
882 Boston Post Road
Rye, NY 10580
(914) 967-0842

Our church, which has a membership of 1100 members with over 200 children enrolled in our Sunday School program, is looking for a creative, energetic person to run our Sunday School program for nursery through eighth grade as well as mentor the middle and high school youth through youth groups and a high school mission trip.

Job responsibilities include:
- Leading the Sunday School program
- Coordinating childcare for children to three years old
- Organizing periodic family fellowship events
- Coordinating twice monthly middle school youth group get-togethers
- Leading twice monthly high school youth group meetings
- Planning and overseeing an annual one week mission trip with high school students

For more information contact Adrienne R. Rogers at dajpm@optonline.net.

Ohio, Middletown

First Presbyterian Church
2910 Central Avenue
Middletown, OH 45044
http://www.fpcmiddletown.com/

A pastoral resident at First Presbyterian Church will serve as a pastoral leader under the direction of the Interim Pastor and will be responsible for growth in their own pastoral identity and skills. A pastoral resident will be responsible for developing, supporting, and coordinating programs within the church and further the mission of the church and serve to glorify God.

A pastoral resident will participate and lead in all areas of church life including worship, pastoral care, spiritual growth, and mission. A pastoral resident will also be participating in education and opportunities including assigned readings, seminars, and pastoral care case studies.

Personal Qualifications:
- Holds a Master of Divinity Degree and is working towards ordination.
- Holds and demonstrates Christian values and deep faith in Jesus Christ.
- Possesses a love for the church and a passion for parish ministry.
- Demonstrates excellent interpersonal skills, an ability to give and accept feedback, and a strong desire to learn and grow.

The First Presbyterian Church of Middletown, Ohio, is open to qualified candidates of ALL DENOMINATIONS. Resume, cover letter, and letters of reference can be sent to Gregory Gibson, First Presbyterian Church, 2910 Central Ave, Middletown, OH 45044, telephone: 513-422-6365.

**Pennsylvania, Philadelphia**  
Pastoral Residency, The Broad Street Ministry

Broad Street Ministry  
315 S. Broad Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19107  
(215) 735-4847  
http://www.broadstreetministry.org

The Pastoral Immersion Program at Broad Street Ministry is a residency program for the entrepreneurial church of the 21st century. BSM Pastoral Associates will serve one organization that is both a worshipping community and a non-profit. Please note that the deadline for applications is **April 1, 2014**.

Primary responsibilities include:
- Worship leadership
- Pastoral care to the congregation and the recipients of social services
- Weekly supervision and theological reflection
- Monthly leadership field trips with Rev. Gill Golderer
- Pastoral participation in social service initiatives
- Staffing dynamic congregational initiatives
- Representing BSM to various community organizations throughout Philadelphia

For more information, contact Rev. Andy Greenhow, BSM’s Minister of Stewardship, Congregational Partnership, and Belonging at andy@broadstreetministry.org.

**Texas, Austin**  
Minister Leader

**Live Oak Church Presbyterian (PCUSA)**

1890 Ranch Mall  
Austin, TX (Cedar Park, Leander)  
www.liveoak-church.org

Position: Ministry Leader, **open to any denomination**, this position is not currently ordained, but could become an ordained position. The salary will be on par with associate pastors in our region.

Live Oak Church is a new church in the fast growing suburbs of Austin, TX (Cedar Park, Leander) helping people move from the search for success to a life of significance. We focus on:
families, service, relationship, and transformation. Speaking the language of our culture and grounded in the scripture, we are reaching un-churched and de-churched families in the area. We have the character and energy of a church plant, yet we’ve established ourselves enough to move beyond some of the insecurities of a start-up. We are characterized by an authentic approach to faith which is both thoughtful and passionate.

As a Ministry Leader you will develop relationships within the community and the congregation; inviting people to join us on our journey and encouraging/equipping/coaching disciples to live their faith passionately. You’ll be responsible for the daily leadership of the congregation, developing teams and programs to carry out our mission and working with the lead pastor and elders (leadership team) to set the vision and create the culture of our church. This position oversees and develops program staff as well as volunteers who lead our ministry areas and collaborates with the team to lead and design the weekend worship experience with occasional preaching responsibilities (20% of the preaching). You’ll need to create an outwardly focused culture in our church, equipping people to reach out to their neighbors -- providing environments and programs to foster and support outreach. Developing and implementing a strong communication strategy using social media, website, blog, etc. is key. You will also give oversight to our church operations.


**CHURCH POSITIONS – NON-DENOMINATIONAL**

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The Vine Church
1003 S. John Pkwy.
Kissimmee, FL 34741
http://www.thevinechurch.cc/

The Vine Church is a Christ centered faith community in Kissimmee, Florida. We have a weekly attendance of 200. It is our dream to become a unique community, sharing Christ, where everyone can be accepted and empowered to honor God. The Vine represents a variety of faith background and church histories. We are a unique church of people on a faith journey, who have joined together to seek God.

The Family Life Minister serves the church by growing community among all generations through worship, education, fellowship, and outreach, with particular responsibility to ministering to emerging generations and their families. Key responsibilities of this position include: develop and oversee programming appropriate to children, youth, young adults, and families with children, and lead such programming as appropriate. Develop the vision and strategy for this ministry that compliments the vision of the congregation as a whole, including plans for growing the ministry into its future.

The position is full-time and is expected to be 40+ hours per week. Interested parties should submit cover letter and resume to: info@thevinechurch.cc.

Maryland, Baltimore

Chinese Christian Church of Baltimore
1800 Cromwell Bridge Road
Parkville, MD 21234
http://cccb.us/

Chinese Christian Church of Baltimore (CCCB) is in search of a full-time associate pastor to minister to its English-speaking congregation and to help the senior pastor build up the church leadership team. The associate pastor has the primary responsibility for all facets of the English ministry including but not limited to preaching, worship, fellowship, evangelism, and discipleship. In addition, the associate pastor must be able to demonstrate a deep love of Christ and calling in this ministry.

Job vision:
• To care for and nurture an Asian American, English-speaking congregation so that their lives, in both word and deed, may glorify the true and living God.
• To train and mentor those in leadership roles.

If interested, please send resume, references, and detailed testimonies of your salvation experience, examples of spiritual maturity and God’s calling in pastoral work to: CCCB Pastoral Search Committee, 1800 Cromwell Bridge Road, Parkville, MD 21234. Alternatively, they can be emailed to: cccbpsc@gmail.com.
Hanaim Church
9 De Bruyle Cr. #C1
Hawthorne, NJ 07506
http://www.hanaimchurch.org/

The main vision of Hanaim Church is “life together”. Hanaim church is a Korean American independent church. We are looking for a pastor who can lead our English Ministry (EM) and Youth Group on a full-time basis.

The EM has less than 10 members, who are mostly second generation Korean American young adults. The Youth Group has about 35-40 students on any given Sunday. They are from 7th graders to 12th graders. The Korean Ministry has about 230 members.

We are looking for a dedicated person who shares the vision and is willing to serve both the EM and the Youth Group with that vision. Should you be interested in serving with us, please contact Henry Kwon (Elder) at hongsokkwon@hotmail.com.

North Carolina, Durham
Pastoral Intern

Bull City Vineyard Church
118 W. Parrish S.
Durham, NC 27702
http://www.bullcityvineyard.com/

We’re looking for men and women to come along with us as we follow Jesus together. Complement your theological study with practical experience. You must be willing to learn how to lead with a willingness to fail as well. Come embrace an opportunity to step out of your comfort zone in a safe, nurturing place in the heart of the city of Durham. Become bold in love. Welcome the stranger. Sit with the lonely. Have fun! Draw near to God. Grow up into the person God made you to be. Come along into the heart of God’s coming Kingdom. Contact Maggie Mraz, Maggie@bullcityvineyard.com, 919-923-6027.

CHURCH POSITIONS – PRESBYTERIAN (PCUSA)

Alabama, Fairhope
Associate Pastor

Trinity Presbyterian Church
545 S. Mobile Street
Fairhope, AL  36532
(251) 928-2524
http://www.tpcfairhope.org
Trinity Presbyterian Church, a sixty-year-old PC(USA) congregation located directly on the eastern shoreline of beautiful Mobile Bay in Fairhope, Alabama, is seeking to fill the vacant position of Associate Pastor. Even as we are seeking a generalist associate, we envision our candidate providing inspired, effective leadership to our young adults, youth and children. This person will lead the total experience that the church provides for youth, including youth functions, camps, and mission trips. The successful candidate will preach on a regular schedule using Bible-centered theology in a style that proclaims the centrality of Christ within each of us, our church and the world. This person will also share with the senior minister and members of the congregation in the pastoral care of the congregation, providing comfort, strength and assurance of God’s presence to all in need.

For more information, contact [http://www.tpcfairhope.org/](http://www.tpcfairhope.org/).

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**Arizona, Paradise Valley**  
**Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care**

**Valley Presbyterian Church**  
2800 Camino Del Sol  
Green Valley, AZ 85622  
www.valleypres.net

Valley Presbyterian Church is a 780-member church in Green Valley, Arizona, 20 miles south of Tucson and 40 miles north of the US/Mexico border.

The Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care will be a compassionate leader who is able to create a community to support each other in the transitions of life. He/she must be able to help others discover their gifts of service and be able to inspire others to use those gifts for the community. He/she will share the love of Christ with the people of this congregation and have a heart for meeting the spiritual needs of elders.

Our associate pastor will have a strong commitment to Jesus Christ and willing to be part of a team ministry in a church predominately of retired persons. This person must be dedicated to our ministry as stated in the Mission Statement, “To know Christ and make Him known through word and deed.” This associate pastor will provide leadership and support with special focus on the pastoral care of congregation and community. See our MIF # 10410.AE. E-mail your PIF to apnc@cox.net.

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**Florida, Jacksonville Beach**  
**Associate Pastor for Youth and Their Families**

**Palms Presbyterian Church**  
3410 S. Third Street  
Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250  
http://www.palmchurch.org/

The Palms Oasis is a Community Nurtured by the Grace of Jesus Christ to Serve God’s Mission in the World. The term “Oasis” has a special meaning to Palms’ members. It is not an escape from the difficulties of our world, but a place to come for spiritual sustenance and renewal to equip us to go out and serve God’s mission in the world.
As congregants of Palms seek to live into God’s Kingdom by growing in relationship with God and one another, we recognize the importance of a strong youth program. Therefore, the candidate for this pastoral position will cast their vision on a ministry that nurtures the spiritual development of our young people as they move forward in their journey of faith, instilling in them a lifelong love for God and his creation. This pastor will support families as they parent their children providing families with spiritual, emotional and social guidance. This pastoral position will be the catalyst for bringing the broader congregation of Palms into relationship with the youth. As an advocate for youth ministry, this pastor will nurture a network of youth and adult volunteers, encouraging both to work together in collaborative ways as we strive as a community to live out God’s mission in the world.

Responsibilities include:

- Coordinate, resource and cast vision for a multi-faceted, comprehensive youth ministry that engages and strengthens the faith of youth/their families via retreats, mission work; confirmation; Youth Group; fellowship, fun and education.
- Identify, train and serve as a resource to adult volunteers while advocating for integration and visibility of youth ministry into overall church life.
- As a member of Christian Education Ministry, identify and select curriculum that provides a foundation for the spiritual journey of our youth. Teach classes/facilitate group discussion
- Share leadership of The Bridge (5th/6th graders) with Director of Children’s Ministry.

The candidate for this position will report to the Associate Pastor of Nurture in a warm, collegial staff environment. It is important that the candidate be comfortable working in a tiered organization structure with clear lines of responsibility reporting relationships. The position involves program planning, attendance at regular business meetings and generating structured reports on program status. The candidate will also work with peers in other congregations within our Presbytery, serving as participant, organizer and thought leader.

The candidate for this call must be at ease while addressing a congregation of several hundred people, i.e., informally in casual setting and formally in worship while leading prayer, administering sacraments and preaching.

For more information about this position please see CLC MIF# 04017.AF0. Resumes should be submitted to PNC: Dan Cavey, dankv@me.com.
The Associate Pastor for Christian Discipleship will:
- Build and lead a team to provide educational ministries for the Vanderbilt family
- Supervise staff and programming in the area of children and youth ministry areas while personally providing leadership for adult and family ministries
- Work as a part of the pastoral team to provide overall leadership of ministries
- Provide small group and age-specific programs for our senior adults
- Teach regular classes on Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings

For more information contact Bill Beynon at bbonavita@vpcnaples.org.

Kentucky, Lexington

Associate Pastor, Faith Formation

Second Presbyterian Church
460 E. Main Street
Lexington, KY 40507
(859) 254-7768

Our 900 member, multi-staff church is located in downtown Lexington, KY. We are looking for an Associate Pastor for Faith Formation.

Responsibilities include:
- Youth Ministry – weekly youth group, annual mission trips, confirmation class
- Young Adult Ministry – plan/participate in activities with young adult singles/couples
- Adult Christian Education – coordinate adult education classes and programs
- Lead worship regularly
- Preach 6 to 12 times annually

For more information contact Head of Staff, Rev. Dr. Dan Hans at dan.hans@2preslex.org

New Jersey, Bridgeton

Solo Pastor

First Presbyterian Church
119 West Commerce St.
Bridgeton, NJ 08302
http://www.fpcbridgeton.org/

The First Presbyterian Church of Bridgeton, is looking for a pastor who is creative, and who understands the dynamics of change and transformation. S/he should have the ability to effectively lead and inspire others, have the capacity for visionary thinking and be able to embrace our vision. S/he will serve as head of staff and provide administrative leadership for the church. S/he should be willing to assist the music program in updating our worship, possibly looking to a more blended service to include youth participation. Our minister needs to embrace the community and represent our church in working with outside organizations. S/he should look for opportunities to reach out to the Mexican, Hispanic, and African American populations in the Bridgeton area. Our minister needs to establish ecumenical communications with other churches in the area. S/he will encourage the congregation to take a leadership role in broadening our Church attendance and service by reaching out to the community surrounding the church including residents living in senior housing.
Please see our Church Website for our Mission Study and Statement, Visioning information as well as our facebook page: www.fpcbridgeton.org. Interested applicants should see our MIF #: 05020.AA0. Resumes can be submitted via email to Robert A. Woodruff Sr., PNC Chair, at bobsr@woodruffenergy.com.

New Jersey, Tuckerton  Director of Christian Education (Part-time)

First Presbyterian Church of Tuckerton
210 East Main Street
Tuckerton, NJ 08087
http://www.FPCTuckerton.org/

We are a congregation who, being keenly aware of God’s love, is set on sharing that love with one another and with our community, through various multi-generational ministries, acts of hospitality and service. Our central, formational activity together is worship. Worship feeds us, sustains us, and prepares us to go out into the world to serve the Lord. We are deeply committed to growing in faith through the study of the Word and spiritual formation.

This is a new position for our church. We strongly believe that Christian education is central to faith formation. This ministry is essential to our purpose and mission and as a congregation we fully support and embrace this new direction.

This position is Part-time with flexible hours (12-15 hours/week) and is open to non-graduating students and also to spouses of someone attending PTS. To Apply: Send cover letter, resume, and references to FPCTuckerton@comcast.net. For more information please visit our website: http://fpctuckerton.org/ and “Like” our facebook page; https://www.facebook.com/pages/First-Presbyterian-Church-of-Tuckerton/206457204977

New York, Hamburg  Solo Pastor

Hamburg Presbyterian Church
177 Main Street
Hamburg, NY  14075
(716) 649-1970
http://www.hamburgpresbyterianchurch@verizon.net

Our vision is to become the Christ centered hub of our community. Our vision’s growth will come through proclaiming the Word of God through education, mission, energized worship, inspiring music, Christian fellowship and support of families throughout our community.

We are a PC(USA) church located in a suburb of Buffalo, NY. Our average worship attendance is 93.

For more information, contact the PNC Co-Chair Shawn Ferro at 1669 Schoellkopf Road, Lakeview, NY, 14085 or (716) 627-7746 or pnc@hamburgpresbychurch.org.
Rutgers Presbyterian Church
236 West 73rd Street
New York, NY 10023
www.rutgerschurch.org

Rutgers Presbyterian Church is a progressive, ethnically diverse family with 110 active members ranging in age from infants to centenarians. As followers of Jesus Christ, we rejoice in God’s plan for a just, loving, and peaceful world, and we commit ourselves to making it a reality for ALL people everywhere.

The Director of Christian Education is responsible for directing and working to expand the Sunday school, as well as maintaining and developing programs for elementary and high school-aged youth. They will be expected to prepare and present the Children’s Message at worship service in coordination with the Pastor and teach Sunday school for elementary school-aged children. The Director also manages all childcare arrangements and assists the pastor in the Adult Education programs. You will have the opportunity to plan and coordinate special events for families, including Thanksgiving Party, Tree Trimming Party, and Children’s Christmas performance during worship service, etc.; support the Pastor as requested.

Qualifications include:
- A person with demonstrated experience and reliability in Christian Education and relevant educational training
- At least five years of experience working with children in a church setting (could include volunteer work), someone who enjoys children and sees them as whole people.
- Someone who is enthusiastic and creative, has excellent people-skills, and is also fun to be around.
- Musical and artistic abilities are a plus

For more information about us, see www.rutgerschurch.org and www.facebook.com/rutgerschurch. To apply please email a cover letter, resume, and contact information for three references to recruitment@rutgerschurch.org. No phone calls please.

The First Presbyterian Church of Watertown
403 Washington St.
Watertown, NY 13601
http://www.watertownfirstpres.org/

Seeking God’s help, we will pursue growth and renewal as a united Christian body. We will nurture people within our church and provide Christian leadership and care throughout our community. We will be a force for Christianity in the Community and the World!

First Presbyterian is currently searching for an additional leader. The Holy Spirit may bring us this person from two different pathways: and Associate Pastor for Christian Education OR a
Certified Christian Education. We remain open to either possibility. More detailed information can be found here: http://www.watertownfirstpres.org/opportunities.

The major responsibilities are:
- Development of Sunday School Programs for all ages
- Supervision of Youth Group
- Support staff for Mission Council and Deacons
- Membership support and development including Membership Committee involvement
- Fostering growth in congregation
- Preaching
- Visitation/Pastoral Care

Send a cover letter, resume, and three letters of recommendation to PNC Chair, Peter Schmitt, ymca_pschmitt@yahoo.com. Their MIF can be seen here: https://clc.pcusa.org/aspx/CIFViewQuery.aspx?ReturnUrl=%2faspx%2fOpportunitySearchResults.aspx&cif=09543.AF

New York, Waverly Pastor, Transformation/Redevelopment

Valley Presbyterian Church
P.O. Box 611
Waverly, NY  14892
http://www.valleypresby.org

We believe our congregation is on an exciting journey – the Holy Spirit has moved us to make bold changes in the past year and we look forward with enthusiasm to our future ministry. The Athens (PA), Sayre (PA) and Waverly (NY) churches recently merged into one new church. We are currently worshipping together and implementing the merger of mission and ministry.

A priority of the new congregation is the continuation and extension of Christian Education. Our new pastor will inspire and help us establish a spiritually confident body of faith. We seek a Teaching Elder who is a true teacher, helping us to understand the Word, challenging us with good preaching and guiding us to reach this new vision of what it means to be the "Presbyterians" in our community.

For more information contact:
http://www.valleypresby.org/
http://www.athenspresbyterian.org/
http://www.forministry.com/USNYPCUSAFC5
http://www.greatervalleychamberofcommerce.com/
http://www.thevalleybridge.org/

Ohio, Cincinnati Solo Pastor

Immanuel Presbyterian Church
3445 Clifton Avenue
Cincinnati, OH  45220
(513) 751-0312
www.immanuelpresby.org
We are a community of faith, hope, love – and joy! While we’re mostly business and professional people and their families, we are diverse in our life situations. Yet we’ve been given a common purpose in the world: to make friends for God in the name of Jesus Christ.

We are an urban PC(USA) congregation of approximately 90 people. Our church is located just off the University of Cincinnati campus.

For more information, contact Bill Smart at (513) 706-1253

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**Ohio, Cleveland Heights**  
**Director of Children, Youth, and Family Ministries**

Forest Hill Church PC(USA)  
3031 Monticello Blvd.  
Cleveland Heights, OH 44118  
http://www.fhcpresb.org/

Everyone is welcome at Forest Hill. This may look like your parents’ Presbyterian church—but insider there’s much, much more. Inside people or welcome and accept each other no matter what. A congregation of Open and Affirming people committed to spiritual growth, social justice, following Jesus Christ, and celebrating God’s love; Forest Hill is a place to belong, to serve, and to grow with fellowship, worship, education, community outreach, and more. Inside Forest Hill Church is an inclusive, Christ-centered, progressive, welcoming community of seekers and believers.

Believing that Christian formation is foundational, the Director will provide vision, creativity, leadership, organization, and support for children (birth through graduation) and their families. Individual will creatively engage the congregation’s dedicated lay leadership and its commitment to children, youth and families.

**General Responsibilities:**

- Coordinate programming involving children, youth, and their families, including Christian Education, youth groups, mission trips, and fellowship activities
- Develop meaningful and caring relationships with children, youth, and their families and provide pastoral care as needed
- Oversee recruitment of, and provide training, support, and resources for, lay leaders involved in children and youth programming
- Be an advocate for children, youth, and their families in all ministries of the church
- Ensure a safe environment for children and youth
- Work with Children and Youth Core Teams

Forest Hill Church, Presbyterian is a 475 member inner ring suburban congregation. Be part of an inclusive, diverse, and hospitable church that is active in its community. Come share your faith in Jesus Christ and love our children, youth and families. **We are prioritizing minority candidates but completely open to all qualified candidates!** This is a full-time educator position; competitive salary and benefits. Send resumes and PIFs to office@fhcpresb.org and check website http://www.fhcpresb.org/wp-content/uploads/2008/12/Job-Description-Dir-Children-Youth-Families-w-benefits.pdf for job description.
Ohio, New Concord

Chaplain Intern, Muskingum University

Muskingum University
163 Stormont Street
New Concord, OH 43762
http://www.muskingum.edu

This paid, nine month internship for PC(USA) seminary graduates is a shared full-time internship between Muskingum University and First Presbyterian Church in Caldwell, OH.

Responsibilities Include:
- Leading a monthly service event at the university
- Coordinating and leading a bi-monthly after-school mentoring program for at-risk middle school students
- Maintaining office hours for counseling and mentoring students at the university
- Providing a worship leadership role at the university chapel service and the Sunday worship service at FPC of Caldwell
- Providing pastoral counseling and crisis intervention when requested

For more information contact Rev. William E. Mullins, University Chaplain at wmullins@muskingum.edu or (740) 826-8120 (work) or (740) 804-3079 (cell).

Edinburgh, Scotland

Associate Pastor

Greyfriars Church
1 Greyfriars
Edinburgh, Midlothian EH1 2QQ, United Kingdom
+44 131 225 1900

Greyfriars Kirk, in Edinburgh’s Old Town, has been at the heart of Christian worship and social outreach for many centuries. As well as providing Parish Ministry to a large and diverse city center and inner city parish, Greyfriars has also seen the development of the Grassmarket Community Project, an innovative approach to supporting vulnerable people. Additionally, it has developed the Kirk as a major arts venue and visitor attraction.

With the support of the Church’s ministry council and resources available locally, our ambition is to develop a team ministry both to support our work as a parish church but also to build upon our successful community development and social enterprise network.

For more information, contact Rev. Richard Fraser at 0131 667 6610 or minister@greyfriarskirk.com.
Northridge is a growing 600 member Presbyterian Church (USA) congregation located in a beautiful, established neighborhood near White Rock Lake, in Dallas, TX. The church is a welcoming place with an open, inclusive, nurturing culture. We are seeking a creative, energetic Director of Children and Family Ministries to design and lead programming opportunities for children and their families.

The DCFM will discern God’s will to develop, implement, manage, support and energize programs in the Christian Education ministry program for children and their families. The DCFM will recruit, train and manage volunteer teachers and part-time staff, while recommending innovative educational and outreach opportunities. The DCFM has primary oversight for all aspects of ministry and programming for preschool and elementary age children. The DCFM will also be responsible for high school and junior high Sunday school and teacher recruitment. The DCFM will work closely with the associate pastor (Adult Education) and the Youth Director (Youth fellowship/mission) to form a cohesive Christian Education ministry team.

This is a full-time, salaried, exempt position, NOT available for ordination. Interested candidates for the Director of Children and Family Ministries position should contact the chair of the search committee, Ann Binford, at abinford@stjohnsschool.org.

Since Opequon Presbyterian Church is a dynamic, enthusiastic and fun-loving congregation, the person who is called to the position of Associate Pastor at our church should, first and foremost, be creative and relational, especially when it pertains to the youth, emerging adults and young adults in our congregation and community. He/she should be a visionary who isn’t afraid to try new ways to attract young people to the life of the church. Good listening skills are a must for this person, and he/she should have a gift for inspiring people through their own life experiences. Being tech savvy will be an effective tool in helping us realize our goal of connecting to all people within the congregation. He/she should be prepared to be socially adaptive and flexible in their schedule and willing to be collaborative in new and existing ministries within our church.

Representatives from Opequon Church will be visiting our campus on Monday, March 31. Contact the Office of Student Relations and Senior Placement for an interview slot. Please see our MIF #: 23245.AB0. For more information, please visit our website at http://www.opequonchurch.com/. Send your PIF to Dr. Gerald McNichols, PNC Chair, drmcnichols@verizon.net.
**Washington, DC**  
**Associate Pastor of Youth, Mission and Pastoral Care**

**Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church**  
One Chevy Chase Circle  
NW Washington, DC 20015  
http://www.chevychasepc.org/

We like to think of the Chevy Chase PC as a community where faith and life intersect. That intersection is quite busy, sometimes even a bit chaotic, but always caring and productive. We firmly believe you meet God through others, not in isolation, so we reach out to young and old, healthy and infirm, rich and poor, both here in the nation’s capital and as far away as Shikokho, Kenya.

Our new Associate Pastor will be energetic, creative, and dynamic. An appreciation for youth and knowledge of best practices in youth ministry are essential. You should have imagination and be a welcoming and compassionate individual with the ability to lead the Deacons in spiritual growth. He/she will be technically savvy and a skilled resource navigator. They must be Biblically astute and capable of delivering meaningful, thought-provoking sermons that will give direction and purpose to the congregation.

We hope to find candidates possessing 2 years’ experience in the three areas for which the associate pastor will be responsible, although the experience need not have been gained in a pastoral role. Applicants must be ordained or candidates for ordination in the PC(USA).

Our Ministry Information Form for the Associate Pastor position is posted on the PC(USA)’s Church Leadership Connection website, MIF #: 00412.AFO. Questions concerning our MIF and this position should be directed to PNC: Christy Schmidt & Howard Davis, Co-chairs, email: ccpc.apnc@gmail.com.

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**CHURCH POSITIONS – Reformed**

**Michigan, Grand Rapids**  
**Seeking 4 different part time positions, which may be combined**

**Central Reformed Church**  
10 College Avenue  
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503  
http://centralreformedchurch.org/

Central Reformed Church is seeking energetic and qualified individuals to direct our lifelong learning programs. The following four part-time positions may be combined to create full-time positions under the appropriate circumstances.

**MINISTER/DIRECTOR OF LIFELONG LEARNING** - will help create and oversee a coordinated and comprehensive ministry of lifelong learning for all ages. Hours/Salary: 20 hours/week; $15,000 - $20,000 annually.

**DIRECTOR OF ADULT DISCIPLESHIP** - will lead a program of lifelong learning that intentionally ministers to adults in a way that nurtures their faith, uses their gifts, expands their
horizons, calls them to discipleship, and deepens their relationship with Jesus Christ. Hours/Salary: 20 hours/week; $15,000 - $20,000 annually.

**DIRECTOR OF YOUTH DISCIPLESHIP** - will lead a program of lifelong learning that intentionally ministers with youth in a way that nurtures their faith, uses their gifts, expands their horizons, calls them to discipleship, and deepens their relationship with Jesus Christ. Hours/Salary: 20 hours/week; $15,000 - $20,000 annually.

**DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN’S DISCIPLESHIP** - will lead a program of lifelong learning that intentionally ministers with children and their families in a way that nurtures their faith, uses their gifts, expands their horizons, calls them to discipleship, and deepens their relationship with Jesus Christ. Hours/Salary: 20 hours/week; $15,000 - $20,000 annually.

Interested candidates should forward their cover letter and resume or any questions to crcgr.search@gmail.com.

**SPECIALIZED MINISTRY POSITIONS**

**Kentucky, Louisville** Associate, Special Offerings Ambassador Program (PCUSA)

PC(USA)
100 Witherspoon Street
Louisville, KY 40202
(800) 728-7228
http://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/hr

The Presbyterian Mission Agency seeks an Associate for the Special Offerings Ambassador program. This person will lead the successful cultivation of and communication with current and potential donors designed to increase awareness, appreciation and financial support of PC(USA) Special Offerings through the creation of a robust volunteer promotion networks.

Roles and Responsibilities Include:

- Lead the design and implementation of a Special Offerings program, centered on recruitment, training, executing, benchmarking and incentivizing volunteers to garner financial support for PC(USA) Special Offerings.
- Manage the resourcing, support, recruitment and training of people in local presbyteries
- Coordinate communications and marketing projects and events

For more information, contact the Presbyterian Mission Agency at http://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/hr/.

**Texas, Amarillo** Chapel Immersion Program Intern/Boys Ranch

The Iona Project at Cal Farley’s Boys Ranch
600 W. 11th
The Iona Project chapel immersion program offers internships for those interested in sharing a common discipline of prayer and scripture, mutual accountability, and “life sharing” with others while serving in a residential childcare setting. The Iona Project is intentionally designed as a one year program. Those accepted into the program covenant together stay together for the duration of the program.

The Iona Project at Cal Farley’s Boy Ranch is a modern community of at-risk boys and girls who have found “a shirrtail to hang onto.” In a nurturing, structured environment, boys and girls from pre-school through high school live in group homes with house parents and a supportive community. Cal Farley’s provides professional programs and services in a Christ-centered atmosphere to strengthen families and support the overall development of children.

For more information and requirements on how to apply: https://www.calfarley.org/jobs/Pages/BoysRanch.aspx

HELPFUL WEBSITES


NOTE: The Office of Student Relations and Senior Placement have an on-line subscription to the Ministry Opportunities of the American Baptist Personnel Services:
www.abpsconnection.org
If you would like to view that newsletter, or receive a printed copy, stop by the office in 204 Templeton.

Baptist: http://roberthouston.org/category/vacant-churches/
Campus Ministry: www.higheredmin.org
Church positions: www.churchjobs.net, www.churchstaffing.com
Non-ordained or volunteer positions: www.pcusa.org/onedoor
PCUSA positions: www.clc.pcusa.org/OpportunitySearch.aspx
State-to-state cost of living comparison: www.homefair.com
Teaching positions in private schools: http://www.capenet.org/teach.html
United Church of Christ: www.ucc.org
National Association of College and University Chaplains: http://www.nacuc.net/Job-Postings