



Spring/Summer 2011

Position Opening: Assistant Pastor for Shepherding

Grace Redeemer Church is a daughter church of Redeemer Presbyterian Church in New York City. Originally planted in 1999, GRC is now an organized church, having planted our second daughter church in a nearby suburb. We are a multi-ethnic congregation in the midst of a highly diverse suburban county just outside of Manhattan.

This position is full-time and provides a salary/benefits package commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Candidate must be ordained in the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA) or have educational and experiential qualifications suitable for (transfer of) ordination in the PCA. Candidate should have 3-5 years of experience in church ministry with demonstrated and relevant leadership responsibilities. Applications via email-only should be sent to recruiter@graceredeemer.com. Any materials which cannot be emailed should be mailed to: Grace Redeemer Church, Attn: Recruiter, 125 Galway Place, 2nd Floor, Teaneck, NJ 07666. Applications should include a resume/C.V., Ministerial Data Form (if available), 2-3 sample sermons (mp3 strongly preferred!), 2 writing samples (at least one of which should be outside the biblical-theological realm), and 3 or more references. Please do not inquire or follow-up with phone calls to the church office due to the volume of interested candidates. For more information about GRC, please visit our website at www.graceredeemer.com.

Expected responsibilities:

This Assistant Pastor will be asked to shepherd, disciple, teach, counsel, and equip a cross-section of the congregation from middle school students through young adults, including parents of youth. This involves a collaborative partnership with other pastors, lay leaders, and parents.

- Our philosophy of ministry for youth ministry is key to understanding what this role would entail! The ministry responsibilities involve as much investment and interaction with the parents of our youth and children and with the lay leaders involved in the youth ministry, as with the youth themselves. We are interested in a recruiter/equiper who can effectively model inter-generational discipleship.
- Pastor/Shepherd college students and young adults
- Participate in preaching, worship leadership and administration of the sacraments
- Collaborate with other members of the pastoral team in vision-casting, shepherding, preaching prep, outreach and assimilation, etc.