



Lake Trails Presbyterian Church

Wisconsin Presbytery, Presbyterian Church in America

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Demographics & Organization

MEMBERSHIP

100 (approximate)

MEMBERSHIP AGE RANGES

Ages 0–12:	13	Ages 35–49:	15
Ages 13–18:	5	Ages 50–64:	31
Ages 19–24:	8	Ages 65–74:	9
Ages 25–34:	25	Ages 75+:	1

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE

81 people (Sundays 9/15/2019–3/8/2020, before COVID)

TYPE OF COMMUNITY

Suburban

STAFF

We are currently looking for a senior pastor. When he joins us, we plan to add at least one associate pastor or staff member.

Finances

SUMMARY

Total income	2019 ACTUAL	\$307,519
Benevolent disbursements	2019 ACTUAL	\$24,500
Church Expenses*	2019 ACTUAL	\$113,672
Pastor Compensation		<i>To be determined</i>

*Expenses other than pastor compensation package.

MANSE

Lake Trails owns a manse, where our previous pastor lived with his wife and children until their move. While we assume that our next pastor will be interested in living there, the pastor might also choose to live elsewhere.

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Programs & Outreach

- Public worship
 - Sunday school
 - Prayer
 - Discipleship
 - Community groups, Bible studies
 - Ministry of elders
 - Ministry of deacons
 - Women's ministry
 - GriefShare
 - Missions
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PASTOR CANDIDATE CRITERIA

Experience

We prefer that the pastor have at least five years' experience in ministry.

Marital status

Our congregation is equally happy with married and unmarried candidates.

CONGREGATIONAL PRIORITIES

Responsibilities of a Pastor

These are the top priorities for our congregation:

- **Preaching:** Making the gospel known by proclaiming the Word of God clearly and applying it to people's lives.
- **Teaching:** Effectively communicating a thorough understanding of the Bible and Christian theology both in corporate and small-group settings.
- **Pastoral Care:** Ministering to, befriending, nurturing, supporting, reconciling, and affirming church members at church, during informal contacts, and in their homes.
- **Personal Growth:** Strengthening himself through private devotions, prayer, and Bible study, and availing himself of ongoing educational opportunities.
- **Discipleship:** Helping members of the church to grow in their faith through private and public spiritual disciplines including devotions, prayer, and Bible study.
- **Church Leadership:** Managing the affairs of LTPC as an organization through planning, decision-making, delegation, evaluation, and managing conflict and stress. He should capably lead the Session, the Diaconate, lay leaders, interns, and any future staff.