Family Pastor Job Description

**PURPOSE:** It is the desire of the Session of Faith Presbyterian Church to call a Family Pastor, who by his own testimony and the discernment of the Session, has been called by God to this ministry work. The purpose of ministry at Faith is for each congregant to be discipled continually as a follower of Jesus Christ and to grow to the point they are discipling others. This is done through "connecting to God, connecting to the body, and connecting to others."

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Since this position is one of spiritual leadership, the candidate should be able to share what spiritual gifts they possess, as necessary for successful accomplishment of this role. It is anticipated these include teaching, helping (exhortation), and administration. The candidate must be a man of prayer, committed to the inerrancy of Scripture, and the theology as contained in the Westminster Confession of Faith. By his conduct, he should exhibit the fruit of the Spirit and strive to further develop these gifts in himself and in the flock entrusted to his care.

**JOB DESCRIPTION:** Comes alongside families at Faith to assist and oversee discipleship ministries from cradle through high school. Align the vision and activities for this broad demographic to the overall purpose and goals of ministry while being covenantal with families. This will include program planning, development, implementation, and execution in the areas of worship, teaching, shepherding, fellowship, and outreach. This will best be done with purposeful teams so that the body of Faith is acting as the body. Creating volunteer teams to accomplish God's work in these ministries is crucial. There will also be some administration duties and reporting for these areas of ministry to the Session.

The family pastor reports to the Session and is supervised by the Senior Pastor. It is incumbent on all parties to facilitate consistent and frequent interaction to assess the effectiveness of this ministry and provide the necessary encouragement and support to accomplish God's plan and purpose for this body of believers.
EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS; Graduate from seminary and ordained, or in the process of being ordained and have relevant experience in a student ministry setting.

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