Job Description- Assistant Pastor
Crosswater Presbyterian Church, 1629 Jolliff Rd. Chesapeake, VA

General Description

Crosswater seeks an Assistant Pastor whose primary focus is reaching and discipling families and students. This pastor preaches monthly and assists in leading worship each week. He teaches and models the gospel of grace in such a way that encourages students, children and parents to love Christ’s Bride, embrace God’s beautiful vision for the family, and grow as disciples who make disciples. This pastor directs and guides the overall operations of family ministries, which consists primarily of K-12th grade students. While his more direct teaching focus will be with youth group aged students, he will take an active role in providing structure and oversight to the overall K-12th grade discipleship ministry and help reach, equip, and encourage parents.

QUALIFICATIONS

• Committed follower of Jesus.
• Willing and able to undertake membership vows at Crosswater if not currently ordained as a PCA pastor.
• Committed to the Reformed faith and the PCA standards.
• Bachelor’s degree. Seminary degree -completed or in processes- that meets PCA ordination requirements.
• Experience serving in student ministry
• Ability to organize multiple areas of ministry.
• Ability and willingness to connect with the lost and unchurched.
• Ability to work effectively with pastors, staff, and elders.
• Ability to recruit and support volunteer leaders.

RESPONSIBILITIES

• Teach and lead the weekly youth group meeting.
• Develop periodic social gatherings that help build relationships.
• Create a culture of discipleship among students and families that includes evangelism.
• Recruit and organize adult and college student volunteers.
• Arrange a yearly student retreat.
• Plan student outreach activities, including summer camps.
• Offer hospitality to model gospel life and homelife.
• Teach and develop teachers for Sunday School program - 6th to 12th grade.
• Coordinate a team of children’s Sunday School teachers and assistants.
• Review and order children’s curriculum as needed.
• Work with the pastor in offering parental training and support
• Review and implement child protection policies
• Assist with pastoral responsibilities, including preaching, pastoral care, and administrative tasks as needed.

**Working Conditions**

• Full-time employment
• Salaried Position with benefits

**How to Inquire or Apply**
For additional information- call or email Pastor Dan Kerley
To apply- send an introductory paragraph with attached resume by email

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