



New Valley Church

Chandler, AZ

The opportunity

New Valley Church (<https://www.newvalleychurch.org/>) is a vibrant and growing PCA church in Chandler, AZ (a suburb of Phoenix). New Valley was planted in 2004 and is rooted in a gospel-centered and outward-focused philosophy of ministry. We consistently connect with unchurched and de-churched people and a majority of our people are not from a PCA background. We average 450 in our Sunday morning services and have about 600 people who are members or regular attendees.

New Valley's values are:

- Authentic Community
- Gospel Growth
- Kingdom Mission

New Valley is seeking a full-time assistant pastor or director for student ministries. We have 60 students in our ministry (6th-12th grade) and we average about 35-40 in our main weekly gathering. The youth ministry team has nine volunteer leaders and two interns.

The Community

The greater Phoenix area is home to nearly five million people and continues to grow at a rapid pace. Phoenix is a blend of cultures as there are more transplants from the Midwest and California than there are native Arizonans. Phoenix has a very casual feel and would have more in common with Southern California than a more traditional Southwestern city. According to Barna, Phoenix is among the ten most unchurched metro areas in America and yet is home to many healthy and kingdom-minded churches and networks.

The Candidate

The ideal candidate will have the following character, gifts, and commitments:

- A life that is consistent with the gospel exhibiting spiritual maturity, integrity, and humility.
- A passion for student ministry as well as prior experience leading a student ministry.
- Experience in teaching/preaching, gathering, and leadership/administration.
- Experience in recruiting, leading, and equipping volunteer teams.

The ideal candidate will have a missional approach to student ministry:

- Adept and comfortable in walking with students in the real-world struggles and issues they face on a daily basis and doing so with grace and patience.
- An ability to minister to students in a way that brings the gospel to bear on issues like anxiety, eating disorders, depression, sexuality, and gender and to do so in a winsome loving way instead of an “us/them” approach.

Our compensation and benefits packages are competitive.

Seminary/ordination is ideal but not necessary. Ordained or ordainable candidates would be members of our preaching team and leadership in weekly services. Potential candidates should email Carson Joyner (Executive Pastor), carson@newvalleychurch.org, and please include your resume and a bio.