

Ministry to the Military and Internationals, www.MMiChurches.com a work of the Southeast Alabama Presbytery is seeking a church planter to serve the Grafenwoerhr/Vilseck Germany military community for an English-language church plant. This location is approximately 90 minutes northeast of downtown Nuernberg and is near several small German communities. This is a beautiful area of Northern Bavaria filled with forests, recreation areas, and traditional German villages.

The ideal candidate is a retired military member or current military reservist with 5 years of pastoral experience who is committed to the WCF and ordinary means of grace ministry.

This community has approximately 30,000 permanent-party Americans and hosts thousands others who rotate through for several weeks for training in the largest Army training grounds outside of the US. MMI has 3 established churches in Germany with approximately 100 in attendance at each church, and a new work in Germany with approximately 25 in attendance. Based on past demographics, this church plant could also grow to be a 75-100 congregant work.

Additional information:

--Fund-raising is required. Based on family needs, \$125-150,000 annual package will be needed to cover expenses, taxes, and health care. In addition, as this is a cold-start, another \$30-\$45,000 will be needed to cover church expenses. The history of MMI churches shows that committed families will generously give and outside support will decrease over a few years.

-Homeschooling is not an option in Germany, unless a family member is under contract to the US government. German public schools are available for free and are generally good.

-There are sports leagues, community activities, and a host of other family-friendly activities in this area.

-German language skills are not required, but are helpful for interacting with the local population, government agencies and shopping.

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