To those interested in applying for our Executive Director position

Redeemer Presbyterian Church Winston-Salem

We invite you to read the following to begin an understanding of Redeemer Presbyterian and then visit our website at <u>www.redeemerws.org</u> and YouTube for Redeemer Presbyterian Winston-Salem to get a bigger picture and enjoy sermons and other teachings.

Redeemer Presbyterian is a worshiping community that exists to be transformed by God's grace into faithful servants of all. After our start in the mid 1980s, we planted several churches in the surrounding area that we now partner with in our work around Winston-Salem, NC. We are now a church of about 500 members who are eager to see what the Lord has for us in this new season. We are nestled in the Ardmore Neighborhood of Winston Salem, having bought the former Ardmore Elementary School. We also own four houses and a barn (which sits on our Hawthorne Grounds where we hold gatherings). One house is our Youth House, a second our Guest House for visiting cross-cultural workers, a third used for staff offices and our Hawthorne House which houses refugee families partnering with World Relief.

Post Covid, we are moving into a new era with priorities of next generation ministries, hospitality and deepening relationships and spiritual formation. We are also looking toward a shared leadership model. Our senior pastor is celebrating his tenth year anniversary this summer.

As a redeemed people, we see church as a new family, not as an activity. We see our individual selves as members of a collective family of God. Love from God drives our actions as we interact with and serve people both in Winston-Salem and into every part of the world. We support 18 cross-cultural workers and are deeply involved locally. The teaching of God's Word helps us live faithfully and at peace with Him and one another. We are intentional about spending time in the Word, worship, and prayer as we both reach out to others and welcome those who reach out to us. We use our abilities and gifts to be the hands and feet of Jesus, so we can effectively serve others. Our desire is for God to advance His Kingdom in our becoming faithful servants of all.

Thank you for taking the time to read this and consider where God might be leading you!