



CIRCLE CHURCH OF CHRIST

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APPLICATION FOR EMPLOYMENT

We are seeking an experienced, energetic and mission-minded Pulpit Minister gifted to preach, teach, and equip the church for discipleship and service. Candidate attributes include:

- devotion as follower and disciple of Christ with a passionate faith in God.
- in-depth knowledge of God's Word with ability to effectively communicate Biblical truth.
- zeal for making disciples of Jesus and helping others to live and grow as disciples.
- strong commitment to the Lordship of Christ, leading of the Spirit, and authority of Scripture.
- ability to work as a member of the Ministry Team under the oversight of the Elders.

Education requirements:

- a Bachelor's degree with Bible training or equivalent experience.
- a graduate degree in Biblical Studies is preferred, particularly from a Christian university, seminary or preaching school.

Candidates must be known for spiritual and personal integrity. For full job description, see:

<http://2020circle.com/minister-search/>

Located in Corvallis OR, we are a 150+ member congregation with great multi-cultural and socio-economic diversity. With two elders, four deacons, four full-time staff, and several ministry groups, our congregation has a rich history of serving God. We are known in the community for campus ministry (Oregon State University), clothing and food giveaways, international ministry, quilt making for local CASA, and Christmas Sing-A-Long.

Please note: All applicants are subject to a criminal background check.

Your application will be treated as confidential and not shared outside our congregation without your consent. As deemed necessary, your references and/or Elders will be contacted, but you will be notified before this happens.

Please provide the following:

- 1) A comprehensive resume including educational background, military service, employment history, and spiritual/leadership experience.
- 2) At least one video of you delivering a sermon. We would prefer a link to your site or video hosting service. Please email the link to 2020circle@gmail.com.

DVD's or 'thumb drives' can also be submitted by mail at:

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ATTN: Minister Search Committee

The following are intended to help us get to know you better and assess the potential fit between your personality and spiritual philosophy with that of the congregation.

1. Tell us about your family.
2. Oregon is a highly unchurched state—a mission field. For example, with a weekly attendance of 150-160, our congregation is among the top 10 largest Churches of Christ in the state. People in Oregon tend to be very accepting of everything and everyone while largely rejecting Jesus Christ. How do you think this will impact your ministry and family?
3. Scripture places an extremely high value on unity and truth...yet sometimes there is a perceived conflict between those two imperatives. How do you resolve this?
4. Ministry is a very broad topic and can include preaching, teaching, administration, caring and counseling, one-on-one evangelism, discipling, hospital visits, weddings and funerals, leading a small group in your home, hospitality and other things. Please indicate the aspects of ministry you do best or are most interested in. Why? Which aspects of ministry are you less interested or have less capability for? Please explain.

Thank you for submitting your application! You will be contacted shortly to confirm receipt.