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Lead Pastor Job Description

Who is Syracuse Church of God?

We are a church that believes in the Bible and makes it the center of all our ministries. Our church family loves to spend time together in fellowship and serving our community. We enjoy learning and have a rich history of educating all generations and equipping them for ministry. You can feel the love in our church as soon as you walk in the door.

Our New Pastor Should Have the Following Traits

* A part time or co-vocational pastor that loves to encourage, delegate, motivate and lead
* Someone with a youthful energy who is willing to mentor future leaders
* Theologically conservative while remaining relevant to the changing needs of our community and congregation

Responsibilities

* Provide leadership and vision for the church
* Sunday morning sermons
* Work with the Christian Ed. Leader to coordinate Wednesday evening ministries
* Foster and Develop a Youth Leader
* Encourage Lay Leadership for congregational care
* Attend monthly Administrative Council Meetings
* Officiate at weddings and funerals
* Uphold our church constitution
* Participate in Syracuse-Wawasee Ministerial Association and Boat in Services
* Attend annual Church of God Conference

The Position

* This is a part time position consisting of 20 hours per week. Our congregation will assist our new pastor in finding secondary employment in our community if the pastor would like us to do so.
* Two weeks of paid time off
* Salary of $30,000 to $40,000 based on education, experience and congregational approval
* Moving Expenses up to $1,000

Qualifications

* Holy Spirit led with a strong Christian faith and a personal relationship with Jesus Christ
* A belief that the Bible is the Word of God and a desire to preach straight from the Bible
* Degree in Biblical Theology or comparable degree is preferred

The Community

Syracuse is is small and friendly town in the county of Kosciusko which is home to over 100 lakes. Our town has two large, beautiful lakes, Syracuse Lake and Lake Wawasee, the largest natural lake in Indiana. Our population drastically increases in the summer as people come to enjoy our lakes, trails and other outdoor activities. Children in our community attend the Wawasee School District which serves our town as well as Milford and North Webster. As our chamber of commerce likes to say, Syracuse is a wonderful place to live, work and play.