FFWPU USA: Family Church of Connecticut is seeking an Assistant Pastor

Alexa Sensini January 12, 2023

The Family Church of Connecticut, a long-standing, stable, and vital community of approximately 50 families, is seeking an Assistant Pastor to support the growth and development of our local church community. The ideal candidate feels called by Heavenly Parent to take an active role in the leadership and administration of church activities in line with the vision and projects of True Parents.

The Assistant Pastor is a part-time position designed to support the Co-Pastors in planning and execution of initiatives designed to grow membership and to care for our local congregation, comprised of first, second, and third generation members. Duties of the Assistant Pastor require a clear understanding and commitment to the teachings of our True Parents, and a firm understanding of the mission and goals of the Family Church of Connecticut.

Responsibilities will include assisting the Pastor in overseeing church activities. The Assistant Pastor is expected to be in direct communication with the members of the congregation, maintain a familiar and friendly relationship with our members, and be available to guide and support youth ministries. He/she is expected to attend church functions and to preach at Sunday Worship Service.

This is a wonderful opportunity for the candidate to gain experience and to develop skills required for advancement in ministry. We will work with the successful candidate to mentor them and cultivate their talents and abilities.

Responsibilities:

1. Spiritual

- Give a sermon once every 2 months
- Serve as the MC for the Sunday Service as needed
- Attend weekly pastoral leadership meetings
- Organize fun social events for youth and young adults together with the Youth Minister
- Organize and lead the Sunday School program
- Support witnessing and education activities through teaching and organizing outreach and workshops

2. Communications

- Responsible for preparing and sending weekly Mailchimp newsletter
- Maintain the Family Church of CT Website with regular content updates
- Prepare monthly PowerPoint or written reports of church events for National Headquarters

• Support Sunday Service with technical support and coordination of volunteers each Sunday

Requirements:

- 2+ years experience involved in Ministry (GPA, etc.)
- Firm belief in supporting True Parents and the current providence
- Fluency in the English language
- Associates degree or pursuing academic degree
- Legally eligible to work in the U.S.
- Strong organizational and communication skills
- High level of initiative and ownership

Compensation:

Hours: Part time, approximately 25 hours per week. (No benefits.) Pay rate and accommodation will be negotiated with the successful candidate according to their qualification and commitment.

TO APPLY

Applications are currently being accepted with the intent to fill the position of Assistant Pastor of the Connecticut Family Church. Applicants may be asked to travel to Connecticut to interview and to deliver a sermon to the congregation.

Complete the Online Job Application at: jobapplication.unification.org

Submit the following documents as attachments:

- Cover letter
- Resume
- 1 Letter of Recommendation from a Pastor or Church Elder

Send to:

Steven Boyd

Chair, Pastor Search Committee

Family Church of Connecticut (pastor.connecticut.application@gmail,com)