

Pastor of Preaching and Teaching

Job Description

Position Summary: The Pastor of Preaching and Teaching will lead the congregation in maintaining our Reformed Biblical grounding while guiding the congregation toward a more family focused and missional outlook. The Pastor of Preaching and Teaching will provide the congregation with Biblical preaching, spiritual leadership, and pastoral care. Additionally, the Pastor of Preaching and Teaching will work closely with ministry staff and Council in discerning God's will for our ministry together.

Responsibilities —

1. **Preaching and Worship** - The Pastor of Preaching and Teaching will provide the worship ministry with leadership, vision, and implementation.
 - Assume the primary responsibility for preaching, take the primary responsibility for setting preaching topics and themes, and take responsibility for communicating those topics and themes to the worship ministry team.
 - Lead the congregation through the administration of the sacraments.
 - Assume the primary responsibility for planning and leading worship by coordinating with the worship ministry team. Take the lead on planning additional worship services throughout the church calendar year.
2. **Pastoral Care** - The Pastor of Preaching and Teaching will provide the pastoral care ministry team with leadership, vision, and implementation.
 - Assume the primary responsibility for visiting, counseling, and encouraging the members of the community and addressing spiritual needs.
 - Assume the responsibility for giving leadership to the pastoral care ministry team.

- 3. Congregational Life** - The Pastor of Preaching and Teaching will take the primary responsibility for shaping the culture of the church toward being a more family focused community that embraces its missional role.
- Assume the primary responsibility for welcoming and caring for new members and for guiding youth and young adults toward profession of faith.
 - Provide the congregation and the broader community with adult education opportunities.
- 4. Leadership** - The Pastor of Preaching and Teaching will assume the primary responsibility of giving leadership with staff and with council, shaping the culture of council, and working with the Elders and Deacons.
- Assume the primary responsibility for giving leadership in council and for giving leadership to the Elder and Deacons.
 - Provide ministry staff with spiritual leadership, with direction, and with leadership.
 - Represent the congregation through Classical and Denominational representation and leadership.
 - Guide the congregation, and the various ministry teams, in aligning with our mission and vision.