Pastor for St. Andrew’s Presbyterian Church, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

We are seeking a pastor, to provide spiritual leadership and a strong pulpit and worship presence. Commitment to biblical teaching, expository preaching and pastoral counselling is essential.

The church is the home for a culturally rich and a vibrant congregation including local members and worshippers from the expatriate community.

The church celebrated 100 years of God’s faithfulness in 2017 and has approximately 300 worshippers attending the two Sunday worship services. Other ministries include the Sunday School, Home Fellowship, Women’s Fellowship, Adult Christian Education, Mission & Church Outreach.

A. Qualifications

1. Strong sense of God’s calling
2. Ordained in a reformed tradition, preferably Presbyterian.
3. Fluent in English
4. Spiritual and pastoral leadership qualities required is that the pastor has a close personal relationship with God and prioritizes guiding the congregation towards the same goal.
5. The pastor is a minister of The Word and a spiritual guide who will provide challenging opportunities for the congregation to grow in faith and actively involved in helping us to live out our faith in our everyday lives.
6. A leader with strength in delivering biblically based sermons & expository preaching.
7. Skills to lead a multi-cultural & international congregation
8. The pastor must have strong verbal and written communication skills and be a team player with the ability to build bridges between groups with diverging views with an emphasis on inclusiveness.
9. An energetic team worker and able to demonstrate initiative and resilience.
10. A Minimum of 7 Year’s experience as a full time Pastor

B. Responsibilities

1. Conduct of Worship.
   i. The Pastor is responsible for the conduct of worship, teaching, and preaching The Word.
   ii. Administering the sacraments of baptism and Holy Communion
   iii. Conducting weddings, funerals, infant and adult baptisms.

2. Pastoral Care.
   i. The pastor should have an understanding of the different needs of the groups within the Church and be able to shepherd them to include but not limited to visitation, counselling and prayer for members and prospective members in their homes, nursing care facilities and hospitals.

3. Leadership
   i. The pastor is a Teaching Elder and a non-voting member of The Session.
   ii. Join with the Session in exercising spiritual oversight
   iii. Work with the Leadership to organize and develop the possibilities of service available in the church
   i. The pastor is responsible for leading the congregation to fulfill the goals laid out in the Vision & Mission Statement (see below)

5. To connect and grow our congregation of young adults

Those interested should visit www.standrewschurch.org.my/psc to download the “Opportunity Profile” & complete the “Questionnaire for Applicants” which can also be downloaded from the same link.

The completed “Questionnaire for Applicants” document together with your “Statement of Faith” & “Curriculum Vitae” should be mailed to Sanjeeva Jayewardene at psc@standrewschurch.org.my. The closing date for applications is 31/1/2019.

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