

## PASTORAL VACANCY

The New Thankful Baptist Church of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, is prayerfully seeking God's guidance in securing a pastor to fill our pastoral vacancy. New Thankful Baptist Church (NTBC) was organized on October 6, 1948. Our purpose is to exalt God through Jesus Christ, expressing His love through evangelism, sharing His love through service, promoting His love through discipleship, and experiencing His love through fellowship. The church has a rich history that includes doctrinally sound preaching, teaching, and evangelism. Our current church ministries include, deacons, trustees, prayer service Sunday school, bible study, ushers, and choirs. We are a very small congregation, but our faith in God's promise is large. Preferably seeking candidates from PA, NJ, DE locality, but any applications received will be considered. All approved candidates will have numerous opportunities to preach/teach God's word on various Sundays.

### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Must possess the spiritual maturity and characteristics outlined in ... 1 Timothy 3: 1—7 and Titus 1: 6-9
- Licensed/Ordained verification required
- Bachelor's Degree is preferred, but not required
- Complete Work History
- Personal History
- Special skills and abilities (administrative and spiritual)
- Personal and Vocation references
- Must maintain an outside source of income.

### APPLICATION TIME FRAME

Opening Date: April 18, 2017

Closing Date: May 31, 2017

### SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING:

- Cover letter
- Current resume with two personal references and two professional (minister/pastor) letters of reference.
- Copy of Ministerial License and/or Certificate of Ordination
- Current/Permanent address, email, and phone numbers

All documents can be mailed to:

New Thankful Baptist Church

Attention: Pulpit Committee

P. O. Box 26558

Philadelphia, PA 19141-6558

All documents will be treated as confidential. Note: background checks, and credit checks will be required of all finalists. Documents of non-finalists will be shredded or return to applicant, if requested.

NOTE: No expenses will be paid for travel and meals during interview process, but a stipend will be provided for Sunday sermon.