

## **SENIOR PASTOR, GRACE CHRISTIAN CHURCH – RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA**

**Job Type:** Full-time, Bi-vocational

### **GRACE CHRISTIAN CHURCH BACKGROUND**

Established in 2004, Grace Christian Church is a diverse congregation affiliated with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. We are a congregation whose vision and purpose are God-centered, Scripture-based, and led by the Holy Spirit. We are committed to reaching the unsaved through church-based and outreach ministry, preaching and sharing the gospel of Jesus Christ. Our mission aligns with God's charge to carry out the Great Commission, "...go ye therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit," (Matthew 28:19)

### **PASTORAL KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES**

The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill, and/or ability required to satisfactorily perform the duties of senior pastor.

- Prepare, preach, and teach biblically-based and God-inspired sermons that educate, and inspire Christian growth.
- Administer the Ordinances of Baptism and the Lord's Supper.
- Sound knowledge of Baptist doctrine.
- Exceptional written and oral communication skills.
- Establish and cultivate relationships throughout the community of faith.
- Provide administrative leadership to church programs and initiatives.

### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**

- Must be a licensed and ordained minister of the Gospel.
- Have three to five years of pastoral experience.
- Possess a Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university. Completion of Seminary or Bible College are preferred.

### **APPLICATION PROCESS**

To apply for this position, please complete and email a letter of interest, resume' and three letters of recommendation from professional references to [GCCRaleigh@outlook.com](mailto:GCCRaleigh@outlook.com). You may also mail your application packet to Grace Christian Church Pastoral Search Committee, 7715 Louisburg Highway Raleigh, North Carolina 27616.

**Application Deadline: October 31, 2017**

Note: A background check and credit check will be conducted on the final candidate as a prerequisite to hiring. This requirement ensures that the pastor's personal character and financial standing are above reproach.