Pastoral Search Announcement

New Sunny Mount Baptist Church 4700 West Florissant Avenue Saint Louis, Missouri 63115

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Mission: The Church in the Sun of Righteous for Missions to the World

The members of New Sunny Mount Baptist Church are seeking a Pastor who will serve under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. He is responsible for providing the leadership and oversight of the church. With God's help and guidance, he will serve as the chief visionary to lead the church forward in fulfilling God's purpose. The Pastor will proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ, to teach the biblical revelation, to engage in pastoral care, provide administrative leadership in all areas of church life and function, and conduct the ordinance and function of worship.

Key Responsibilities:

- 1. Preaching and Teaching: The Pastor will serve as the primary preacher of the Word of God, also in charge of the preaching ministry. This shall be done with love, faithfulness, and impartiality and with the fearfulness in knowing that he will be held accountable for the welfare of the flock (Heb.13:17). The Pastor also will provide leadership in planning and executing the Christian Education programs and other programs in discipleship and ministry planning, in coordination with other ordained and lay leaders.
- 2. To lead the church in being a praying church. To call for corporate prayer times as well as prayer and fasting times, to emphasize that prayer is made for all people and places (1 Peter 4:7).
- 3. Provide for the overall spiritual health and welfare of the church.
- 4. To conduct weddings and funeral; to see that related counseling is done.
- 5. To administer communion, perform baptisms and infant dedications.
- 6. To facilitate peace among members of the staff and congregation; will seek to win back the estranged and to reconcile those with broken relationships, particularly when such conflict threatens the welfare of the church; also at time, to work with the Deacons to determine similar solutions within the congregation. (Col. 3:15).
- 7. To work with the Deacons to develop new ministries and help with the overseeing of the church ministries.
- 8. The Pastor is the CEO and charged with the administration of the church through the Deacon and Trustee Boards and appropriate auxiliary and staff.
- 9. Oversee the implementation of the church Policy and Procedure according to the By-Laws.
- 10. Facilitate with the Deacons and other ministries in providing Pastoral Care needs to the congregation.
- 11. The Pastor will represent the church at conventions and conferences
- 12. Serves as Ex-Officio member of all auxiliaries and ministries.

Expectations: We expect the Pastor to provide vision for the spiritual and Christian growth of the church. Opportunities to attend workshops, conferences, seminars will be made available to the Pastor to accomplish this growth.

Qualifications:

- Ordained Minister
- Preferred Seminary graduate

• Minimum of 5 years pastoral experience

The deadline for all resumes is December 30, 2015

No phone calls or faxes please. Final candidates must consent to reference checks, educational verification, criminal and financial background search, medical history check, and a drug screening test.

Please email resume to amcfarlind@gmail.com or mail to

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