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MINISTRY OPENING

CHURCH

Regal Heights Church

Dartmouth, Nova Scotia regalchurch.com

MINISTRY POSITION

Associate Pastor of Worship

AVG SUNDAY ATTENDANCE

200 or above

FULL TIME / PART TIME

Full Time

REQUESTED CREDENTIALS

None

POSITION DESCRIPTION

Please see attached job description.

POSITION CLOSING:

Closing Date: 1/31/2020

SEND RESUME / CV TO:

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Lead Pastor: Jason Cole

ASSOCIATE PASTOR OF WORSHIP (AND PASTORAL CARE OF YOUTH MINISTRY)

Job posting closing January 31st, 2020.

Full time position

Regal Heights Baptist Church is a growing contemporary community of all ages strategically located in the middle of the suburbs in Dartmouth/Cole Harbour, N.S. This is a beautiful place to live where big city amenities, country/ocean experiences and countless outreach opportunities are mere minutes away. As we pass 250 people who call Regal home and with our current facility at capacity, we need to move towards 2 worship services each weekend. To do so, our next engagement is for this position. If your giftings are in worship and youth ministry instead of worship and pastoral care, please apply. We could rearrange our current staff of 3 to accommodate the right person because at this time, the worship pastor is the main objective to help us take the next steps. Please also apply if worship is your only gifting and you are interested on a part time basis. As you can see, we are flexible about getting the right people in the right places because we are passionate about leading everyone to Christ in this city where they can learn to know Him, experience Him in worship and be led by Him in our daily lives.

Position Objective: To provide leadership to the worship ministries and organizing/providing pastoral care. This position will also include general associate pastor duties in assistance to the Lead Pastor in the areas of preaching, weddings, baptisms, communion, funerals, membership classes etc.

Position Description: The Associate Pastor will be the 'producer' of each worship service and special programs. Although the Lead Pastor sets the theme and overall direction, the Associate Pastor will oversee and coordinate all the details that a service encompasses. This individual must be a visionary who is creative in leading people to God. This position is pastoral in nature and one that therefore requires the individual to serve not solely as a musical or performing arts director, but also as a shepherd to the people who serve in this ministry. The Associate Pastor will be an effective leader that lives out the faith in their daily life. Someone who works well with the Lead Pastor, Leadership Team and Deacons, a good listener who communicates well with people of all ages. Building both the pastoral care and worship teams, as this position is not just about doing the job, but seeing that the job gets done in accordance with Regal Heights Vision, Mission, Strategic Objectives and Core Values:

Vision: "A joy-filled family of Christ's ambassadors, impacting the lives of all generations"

Mission: "Building up disciples through engaging Bible based, Christ-centered ministry. We intentionally seek to serve and invite others to encounter the love and hope of Christ that transforms lives."

Strategic Objectives:

- 1. Evaluate the facility needs which are required to progress our vision and mission.
- 2. To raise up a servant base for every ministry that meets the ministry's needs.
- 3. Develop and maintain a robust and well-equipped staff & leadership team to promote the ministry of Regal Heights.
- 4. Equip and disciple people to know Jesus and share their faith.

Core Values:

Spirit-led, Grace, Unity, Prayerful, Accountability, Committed, Humility, Worshipful

Qualifications:

- 1. A clear testimony of faith in Jesus Christ and a vital, growing personal relationship with Him.
- 2. A clearly demonstrated love for and willingness to serve, equip, and minister to the church body and the greater church and community.
- 3. Commitment to moral purity
- 4. Demonstrated standard of excellence in performing the tasks of the job
- 5. A servant leader
- 6. Has a good reputation

Education and Experience: Theological Education, training and experience in worship and pastoral care.

Abilities:

- 1. A leader as well as musician who can work with a team of staff and volunteers effectively
- 2. A heart for spiritual formation of those in the congregation and the worship ministry.
- 3. Relational skills and an enthusiastic presence for leading a growing church in worship.
- 4. Skilled in vocal and instrumental direction.
- 5. Skilled in the use of technology in worship and in the use of sound, lighting, computers, PowerPoint, and video projection.
- 6. Ability to incorporate other art forms as needed.
- 7. Ability to organize and prioritize multiple tasks
- 8. A self-starter
- 9. Good communication skills, both written and oral.
- 10. Working knowledge of computer programs like Microsoft office and email.
- 11. Proactively advance theological study and learn new skills relative to this position.
- 12. To recruit workers.

Responsibilities:

- 1. Maintain authentic and growing walk with Jesus Christ through ongoing spiritual disciplines of Bible reading, prayer, personal worship, fasting, confession and fellowship.
- 2. Plan the corporate worship service in consultation with the Lead Pastor and do so with prayer, conceptual forethought, theological accuracy, and musical appropriateness.
- 3. Serve as lead worshiper in most worship services.
- 4. Direct all weekly activities and rehearsals necessary to facilitate worship in services.

- 5. The Associate will also work with the Deacons and care team on spiritual care of the church body.
- 6. Introduce our worship teams and choirs to worship training provided by other ministries, books, and conferences.
- 7. Assist with planning special events and outreach.
- 8. Oversee the worship department budget, organization, and volunteers.
- 9. Build contacts and relationships with local musicians, studios, etc. for both evangelistic and volunteer purposes.
- 10. Set annual goals for the worship ministry that are in line with our vision and then evaluate how those goals were attained or modified during the year.
- 11. Assist Lead Pastor and Deacons in areas of spiritual care of the church body.
- 12. The Pastoral care will be wide spread connection with the attenders so that we can be up to date on all personal issues facing our congregation, so that we can deploy the proper level of care/counsel, while leading them in spiritual formation. General pastoral duties, such as, leadership, preaching, funerals, weddings, baptisms and membership classes as related to your responsibilities.
- 13. Preparation of written communications and documents, for congregational meetings.

Please Note that though continued growth will be challenging, you will have an incredible team working with you in all this. You will have plenty of freedom, but you will not be on your own. If some of the responsibilities seem beyond you but you are willing to learn and be used by God in a mighty way, please apply, we are more than ok to help someone grow and walk out their giftings. Also, re pastoral care. The first stage of pastoral care here at Regal is small groups (we have a staff person leading small groups) where friendship care can be available for everyday concerns of our people. Next, we have the deacons who have the attenders list divided among them. They are the 'go to' for people assigned to them and they officially touch base with all their people approx. once a quarter. If a person's need is greater than small group care and the deacons, it then and only then comes to the pastoral staff. We believe this to be the most biblically accurate way of organizing care so that pastors do not get burned out doing all the care. In fact, they are to teach how people should care for one another, so we'd like you to generally try to get to know most folks but only provide direct care for urgent matters along with the lead pastor.

Hours of Work: 40 hours a week with flexible scheduling. Must be flexible to work other hours on occasions where attendance is required. Flexibility also exists so you can easily care for your family and personal life. We are far more concerned about quality ministry being accomplished than you 'punching a clock'. Overtime, when needed, will be paid back with extra vacation time. For example, we usually close the office between Christmas and New Year to make up for how busy the Christmas season is.

Renumeration and vacation will be competitive and in line with your skill. Regal provides a generous co-pay retirement saving package and our medical benefits, which are excellent, are paid for by entirely by the employer.

We are praying for you. All applicants will be replied too. If after praying you discern you should apply, please send your resume to Leah at regalheightsoffice@gmail.com