

Job Posting, Senior Pastor

Millwoods Evangelical Free Church

Edmonton, Alberta, Canada

General Description

We are a church that loves God and is looking for a senior pastor who is welcoming and friendly, and has a focus on community outreach and missions. We are searching for a pastor who upholds our strong interconnected fellowship, and our prayer and volunteer ministries. Most importantly, our ideal pastor is Biblical, demonstrating strong effective communication in preaching and teaching, servant leadership, compassionate care, and an ability to relate to people of all ages.

Living in Millwoods

The people of Millwoods Evangelical Free Church meet in our own wheelchair accessible building on attractive 3-acre landscaped grounds located in southeast Edmonton, Alberta, in the vibrant, young, and established but growing community of Mill Woods. Our building is equipped with a commercial kitchen, 6 age specific rooms, and the sanctuary seats 180. Mill Woods is home to shopping, a community hospital, recreation centres, green parks, playgrounds, sports parks, golf course, and many schools, daycares, and preschools. The area is bussed, and the Light Rail Transit expansion arrives soon.

Primary Responsibilities

- Provide **Biblical preaching** and **teaching** with a strong focus on **communicating** to this congregation as a whole.
- Act as a **servant-leader** to **compassionately care** for the church community, **equipping**, **teaching**, and **motivating** our people in maximizing their gifts and abilities in service to the Kingdom of God both within the church, and beyond.
- In concert with the Elders, who serve as fellow shepherds, determine specific vision and strategies which help implement the above.

Qualifications

- Display servant leadership and character in keeping with 1 Timothy 3, Titus 1, and 1 Peter 5.
- Demonstrate a heart for pastoral ministry, prayer, and Biblical study.
- Have successfully completed a graduate level theology program, Master of Divinity, or Master of Theology degree. Consideration will also be given to a degree from a recognized Bible School institution.
- Have, as strong assets, ministry experience in areas such as: teaching, outreach, discipleship, missions, Christian education, pastoral care, etc.
- Show strong communication skills and the ability to work effectively with others in all age ranges.
- Be ordained, be in the process of ordination, and/or be willing to transfer ordination to Evangelical Free Church of Canada.

Resumes accepted at searchteam@mefc.ca