

Church Leadership Connection
The Call System for the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

Mif #: 08263.AFO

Ministry General Information

Ministry Number	08263
Ministry Name	Fox Chapel Presbyterian Church
Mailing Address	384 Fox Chapel Road Pittsburgh , PA 15238
Phone	412-963-8243
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E-Mail	apnc@fcpc.us
WWW Address	www.fcpc.us
Ministry Size	1001 - 1500 members
Ethnic Composition	
	Asian 1%
	Black or African American (African Native, Caribbean) 1%
	Middle Eastern 1%
	White 97%
Average Worship Attendance	358
Church School Attendance	285
Curriculum	Fox Chapel Presbyterian Church Church School Curriculum Toddler-36 Months Children learn that Jesus loves them as they adjust to separation issues
Certified as eligible for participation in the Seminary Debt Assistance Program	False
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Presbytery	PITTSBURGH PRESBYTERY
Synod	SYNOD OF THE TRINITY
Community Type	Suburban
Ten-year trend statistics of this church/organization Show Statistics	
Information about the position	
Position:	Associate Pastor (Christian Education)
Experience Required:	First Ordained Call
Specific Title:	Associate Pastor for Christian Nurture
Employment Status:	Full-time
Language Requirements:	
	English
Other Language:	
Statement of Faith Required:	True
Clergy Couples:	

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Training/Certificate Requirements:

Other Training:

Brief Church Mission Statement:

Our mission is to be a welcoming and caring community of faith through which the Living God transforms lives.

What is the congregation's or organization's vision for ministry:

Our vision is defined through the model of DANCE: Embrace the Joy, by which we encourage and foster Diversity, Adoration, Nurture, Community and Engagement, all carried out in the name of Christ, in the strength of the Spirit, to bring joy to the heart of God.

How do you feel called to reach out to address the emerging needs of your community or constituency:

Through this vision we strive to

- Welcome the gifts of each individual, celebrating our differences as our calling and our strength.
- Gather for worship in its various forms, offering our thanks, praise, hearts and lives to God.
- Journey as disciples of many generations, helping each other grow in knowledge, grace and faith in Christ.
- Enjoy being together as the family of faith; caring for each other with joy, compassion and open arms.
- Partner with neighbors near and far; embracing God's call to love one another in mission, service, justice and peace.

How will this position help you to reach your vision and mission goals:

The Associate Pastor for Christian Nurture will be expected to:

- Celebrate and proclaim the glory of God through inspirational and reverent worship
- Welcome all and create a feeling of belonging within a loving inviting multi-generational church family
- Utilize an empowering leadership style that recognizes the value of the individual and his/her initiative and gifts
- Develop and implement Christian education programs to emphasize spiritual growth, Biblical knowledge, outreach, and application to our daily lives
- Achieve membership growth through Christian Nurture programs

Provide a description of the characteristics needed by the person who is open to being called to this congregation and or organization:

- Strong relationship with Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior
- Gift for guiding others as they aim to deepen their spiritual relationship with Him
- Collaborative work style
- Ability to translate visionary concepts into active programs
- Ability to minister to a highly motivated and accomplished congregation
- Ability to team effectively with staff and volunteers at all levels
- Excellent listening and communication skills
- Energetic leadership style

What specific tasks, assignments, and program areas will this person have responsibility?

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- Participate in the life of the Presbytery
- Be a liaison to the following committees/teams:
 - Preschool
 - Children's Ministry
 - Youth Ministry
 - Fellowship
 - Stephen Ministry
- Supervise:
 - Preschool Director
 - Director of Children's Ministries (PT)
 - Director of Youth Ministries
 - Administrative Assistant to Christian Nurture (PT)
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- Provide baptism classes for parents contemplating baptism for their children
- Support, help plan, and participate in Vacation Bible School
- Facilitate and teach the confirmation class and recruit mentors/leaders
- Coordinate adult education classes and teach classes as requested and/or appropriate
- Support the Stephen Ministry programs:
 - Attendance at biweekly meetings
 - Periodic leadership training
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- Share responsibilities with pastoral team for:
 - preaching and leading worship services
 - baptisms
 - weddings
 - funeral/memorial services
 - congregational care/pastoral care/counseling

Optional Links:

<http://www.fcpc.us/giving/giving-programs/standing-on-the-shoulders-of-saints>

www.coopersiegelcommunitylibrary.org

www.lauriannwestcc.org

www.visitpittsburgh.com

www.circlespgh.org

Leadership Competencies:

Preaching and Worship Leadership

Spiritual Maturity

Teacher

Public Communicator

Organizational Agility

Strategy and Vision

Collaboration

Interpersonal Engagement

Motivator

Flexibility

