Pastor Position Opportunity - Position Open Until Filled -

McConnelsville Methodist Church 98 N. 10th Street, McConnelsville, OH 43756

Seeking a Pastor Called to Lead, Preach, Shepherd, and Disciple

Our church is prayerfully seeking a Pastor who has a growing relationship with Jesus Christ, a commitment to the authority of Scripture, and a heart for shepherding God's people. We desire a pastor who will faithfully proclaim God's Word, lead with humility and integrity, and equip believers for ministry while helping our congregation reach our community for Christ.

About Our Church

We are an independent Christian church with a Methodist/Wesleyan heritage located in southeastern Ohio with a heart for biblical preaching, meaningful worship, Christian fellowship, discipleship, and community outreach. We seek to be a welcoming congregation where individuals and families can grow in their faith and serve Christ together. Our congregation is a close-knit church family with a rich history of serving the McConnelsville community, and we look forward to building on that foundation for future generations.

Our church values:

- Biblical authority and sound doctrine
- Prayer and spiritual growth
- Evangelism and outreach
- Christian fellowship and community
- Servant leadership
- Ministry to all generations

Position Summary

The Pastor will serve as the primary spiritual leader of the church and will work alongside church leadership to provide vision, pastoral care, discipleship, and biblical instruction.

Primary Responsibilities

- Prepare and deliver biblically grounded sermons
- Provide spiritual leadership and vision
- Shepherd and care for the congregation
- Lead worship services and administer ordinances
- Encourage discipleship and spiritual growth
- Provide counseling, visitation, and pastoral care
- Equip and mentor ministry leaders and volunteers
- Engage in community outreach and evangelism
- Work collaboratively with church leadership and ministry teams
- Help strengthen ministries and relationships across generations, including engagement with children, youth, and young families.

Qualifications

Candidates should:

- Demonstrate a personal saving faith in Jesus Christ
- Live a lifestyle that reflects biblical standards for Christian leadership
- Possess strong preaching and teaching abilities
- Have a passion for discipleship and pastoral ministry
- Exhibit integrity, humility, and servant leadership
- Be able to effectively communicate and work with people of various ages and backgrounds

Education and Experience

The church welcomes applications from:

- Experienced pastors
- Associate pastors seeking a senior leadership opportunity
- Qualified seminary graduates sensing God's call to pastoral ministry

Formal ministry training is preferred; however, strong biblical knowledge, ministry gifting, and evidence of God's calling will be carefully considered.

Total Compensation Package Value: $57, 500 - $64,550

Full-time position. Cash Salary & Housing: $30,000 - $37,000 annually, plus a church-owned 3-bedroom parsonage with an attached garage located on church property next to the church. Parsonage maintenance and yardwork covered. $500 Monthly Healthcare Stipend, 5% match to a retirement plan, Up to $500 reimbursement for ministry travel/mileage, 4 Weeks of Paid Time Off (including 4 Sundays). Compensation and benefits will be commensurate with experience, education, and qualifications.

Application Process

Applicants should submit:

- Resume
- Personal Testimony
- Statement of faith
- Philosophy of ministry
- Three references
- Links to recent sermon recordings, if available

How to Apply

Please submit application materials to:

McConnelsville Methodist Church
Attn: SPRC - Todd Spence
98 N. 10th Street, McConnelsville, OH 43756

Email: mmc43756@gmail.com Website: www.mcconnelsvillemethodistchurch.com

We believe God is already preparing the individual He is calling to serve this congregation. We invite qualified candidates to prayerfully consider whether the Lord may be leading them to partner with us in ministry as we seek to glorify Christ and make disciples. ***"Sharing the Love of Jesus to Transform Lives."***