

# **First Baptist Church of Augusta**

## **Job Description**

### **Responsibilities:**

- Be the primary communicator in expository preaching and teaching the Scriptures and overseeing gathered worship services.
- Prioritize prayer and the ministry of the Word to glorify God by making, maturing, and multiplying disciples of Jesus Christ who will in turn disciple others.
- Provide pastoral leadership to the congregation and community by loving God supremely and others sacrificially.
- Be the primary equipper of the church for both ministry (internally) and mission (externally), and share those roles with the congregation as they mature.
- Work in conjunction with the leadership of the congregation to pursue the mission and vision of our church.
- Network and collaborate with pastors of like faith in the area to grow a unified, cross-denominational church mentality and focus for the community.

### **Qualifications:**

- Demonstrates the qualifications of an elder as compiled in 1 Timothy 3:1-7 and Titus 1:6-9 with the heart of a shepherd as described in 1 Peter 5:1-4, including these skills:
  - Being a clear communicator
  - Having a teachable spirit with a willingness to seek the counsel of others
  - Ability to provide administrative help for the ministry
  - Experience and ability to recruit, train and develop leaders.
  - A commitment to lifelong learning to enhance his gifting and ministry skill set
- A bachelor's degree from an accredited Bible college or seminary is preferred. However, a combination of formal education and experience is also highly valued
- Three or more years of experience in local church preaching, teaching, and community outreach, preferably in a small-town, rural context.
- Full agreement with FBC's Affirmation of Faith
- Be ordained or eligible to be ordained by an acceptable church or ecclesiastical group.

### **Compensation:**

This is a part-time (with the potential of turning into a full-time) salaried position. Compensation ranges from \$32,000 to \$36,000 annually, depending upon education and experience.

Please email your resume and a cover letter to [pastorsearchfbc2023@gmail.com](mailto:pastorsearchfbc2023@gmail.com)