



Great Lakes
Christian College
Lansing, Michigan

6211 West Willow Highway
Lansing, MI 48917
517-321-0242

Open PREACHING MINISTRY Positions

Listings will be posted for 6 months. Churches desiring a listing or extension should contact
pbeavers@glcc.edu mriggs@glcc.edu or call 517-321-0242 x 250.
Please include church name and address with your message.

Updated: March 23, 2015

Openings are listed by state, name of church, and first date of listing

MICHIGAN

East Arbela Church of Christ

3/2/2015

- A country church just outside of Millington, MI.
- We are looking for a **full-time minister** who is self-motivated and ready to work for Christ and His Kingdom.
- We have Elders and Deacons in place who are ready to work with him.
- Our attendance ranges from 40 to 60 weekly.
- We have a nice facility with many new upgrades to worship in and a nice parsonage if needed.
- We have a strong restoration background and expect the minister to have the same
- Please contact if interested: Ron Couch at 989-871-4726.

Lake Superior Christian Church

3/19/2015

- 393 M553, Marquette, MI 49855
- We seek a leader with a compassionate, engaging **preaching/teaching** style.
- You must have excellent people skills and be able to apply loving accountability; a desire to fulfill the Great Commission in accordance with the Bible; and a willingness to live in our extreme climate.
- Responsibilities include partnering with the leadership in developing our strategic plan for the church as a whole, and forming a strategic plan and budget for the Outreach Ministry to help achieve the church's vision.
- As a minimum, applicant must have a Bachelor's degree from a Restoration Movement Bible College (Christian Churches/Churches of Christ). Seminary experience is preferred.
- Candidates should have five to ten years preaching experience in a larger church and a willingness to develop and train a preaching team to assist.
- Leaping tall buildings in a single bound a plus.
- Send Resume', cover letter and references to:
Don Withrow, Executive Minister
executiveminister@lsc.tv
(906) 249-1431

Monroe Christian Church

11/21/2014

- Seeking a full-time **Senior Minister** with a Restoration Movement Background.
- The candidate should possess a degree that is affirming a doctrine, belief, and lifestyle consistent with the Christian Church and Restoration Movement.
- We are looking for a man who relates well to people of all ages and will be able to work with Elders, church staff, and church leadership.
- The ideal candidate should be gifted at preaching, teaching, and growing in his personal walk as well as growing the church. He should desire to become a part of the community, building relationships and offering leadership.
- Monroe Christian Church is a small church of about 55 people located about 15 miles north of Toledo, Ohio and just south of Monroe, Michigan.
- Our building is paid for. There is no parsonage.
- Compensation will be determined based on the candidates experience and qualifications.
- Interested candidates are encouraged to send a letter of interest, resume, and a sermon if possible.
- Materials should be sent to Minister Search Committee at davidbraden_1@charter.net

ILLINOIS

Community Christian Church

10/13/2014

- 4330 12th Avenue, Moline, IL 61265
- Forty-year old congregations is seeking a **senior minister**
- Average worship attendance is 45 – 60
- Church is seeking growth and is mission-minded
- Applicant should be a Bible college graduate, committed to long-term ministry, be strong in the Bible, evangelism, teaching, and office management
- Send resume, personal statement of faith, philosophy of ministry, references, and a sermon audio to:
 - Keith Bailey, Search Committee
4109 8th Avenue
East Moline, IL 61244
 - Phone: 309-792-0778
 - Email: kcbailey@mchsi.com

INDIANA

Church of Christ at Wabash

1/12/2015

Evangelist Job Description

- **Summary:** The evangelist of the Church of Christ at Wabash is to spiritually lead, feed, and strengthen the body of Christ thorough living a Godly life, delivering doctrinal sermons, and interacting positively first with the members here at Wabash, second with the brotherhood beyond this congregation, and third with the community of Wabash and its surrounding area.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Preaches and teaches the Word of God both publicly and privately
- Works to restore backslidden Christians
- Encourages members of the Church during difficult times including sickness, death, family problems, etc.
- Maintains regular office hours and is available to members of the congregation and those seeking to become members
- Leads the congregation in evangelizing the community for Christ
- Conducts funerals and weddings according to guidelines agreed upon by the leadership of the congregation and himself

- Provides Biblical counseling when he is able and offers referrals when he is not able to counsel himself

Church Vision:

- Leads in setting the church in order by establishing and maintaining Biblical leadership in the congregation
- Leads in helping each member of the congregation to grow to their full potential in Christ
- Develops and maintains good relations with the members and leadership of this congregation as well as other Church of Christ members and leadership both in the local area and beyond

Qualifications:

- Meets the qualifications for an evangelist as laid out in the books of I and II Timothy and Titus
- Able and willing to perform the duties of an evangelist as laid out in I and II Timothy and Titus
- Has a minimum of one year of experience as an evangelist

Organizational Relationship: The evangelist will be accountable to God first and be mutually accountable to the other leadership in the congregation.

Training and Development: The evangelist is expected to devote himself to continual study of God's Word. He will be assisted in this by the congregation its leadership in whatever way they deem appropriate.

Evaluation: The evangelist will be evaluated by the leadership 90 days after he is hired and annually thereafter.

How to Apply

Please submit the following in your application packet:

1. Resume – include your job history, education, military history, etc. Describe your leadership roles in other congregations, accomplishments, and any other information you believe would be relevant to the evaluation process along with at least three references with addresses and phone numbers.
2. A CD/DVD or cassette tape of a recent sermon or sermons.
3. A brief personal statement explaining: how you came to Christ, why you became an evangelist, and anything else you believe would help us to get to know you.
4. Applications should be submitted to:

Church of Christ at Wabash

Attn: Oversight Committee

P.O. Box 77

Wabash, IN 46992

Or contact us electronically at achbsu@yahoo.com

Frankton Christian Church

1/30/2015

- Frankton, Indiana
- Seeking a full-time **Senior Minister** with a Restoration Movement Background.
- The candidate should possess a degree that is affirming a doctrine, belief, and lifestyle consistent with the Movement.
- We are looking for a man who related well to people of all ages and will be able to work with Elders, Youth Minister, church staff, and church leadership.
- The ideal candidate should be gifted at preaching, teaching, and growing in his personal walk as well as growing the church. He should desire to become a part of the community, building relationships and offering leadership.
- Frankton, Indiana is a small town of about 1800 people located about 40 miles north of Indianapolis. The Frankton Christian Church is a congregation of about 120 that was established in 1839. Along with the church there is a separate debt free building, the Family Life Center, consisting of a full size gym, fellowship room, and an extra-large kitchen. The building is used to extend our ministry to the community and houses the community food pantry. On the adjacent property is a shelter house which is used for outdoor fellowship.
- Compensation will be determined based on the candidates experience and qualifications.
- Interested candidates are encouraged to send a letter of interest, resume, and a sermon video if possible.
- Materials should be sent to the Pulpit Committee via e-mail at franktonccresumes@gmail.com.

Laud Christian Church

1/26/2015

- Small congregation needs someone to fill **part-time ministry position** about 15 miles west of Fort Wayne, IN.
- Can be someone already working in a secular job, who has the desire to preach and help a small congregation grow.
- Contact B Clifford, phone 260-244-6201. Laud Christian Church.

Roann Christian Church

10/14/2014

- PO Box 355, Roann, IN 46974
- Seeking a part-time **preaching minister**
- The church prefers a qualified, experienced, Bible college graduate
- A good position for a retired minister or another man with a second income
- Please send resume to the church at the above address.

MASSACHUSETTS

REUNION Christian Church

3/23/2015

What is REUNION?

- REUNION is a community of imperfect people pursuing the mission of helping people find their way back to God. We believe the Gospel changes everything, especially the hearts of those who follow Christ. We also believe that God has graciously provided the means to reconcile and redeem our broken lives and world through Jesus Christ, the hero of the story. We seek to be a grace-filled community that is approachable to all, yet courageously speaks the truth of the Gospel I Love. Faith is never an expectation of someone who walks in the door at REUNION and we desire to be a community that is welcoming to those searching for truth. We want to be a place that provides rest for the weary and hope for the hopeless; a place where people can grow and mature, where we can challenge people to learn what it means to passionately follow Christ. We strive to create a place to live out our growing faith in Christ by living humbly and living recklessly. To do all this, we expect our leaders to connect with people from various places of spiritual health and maturity and to point them to a life of discipleship. We seek to tell the story of God's grace through our generosity in both local and global causes, community groups, the arts, and Sunday gatherings. We are committed to reproducing disciples, community groups, and churches that are radically committed to the good of the city. We are a multi-site, Independent Christian Church serving the neighborhoods of Boston, the city of Somerville, the surrounding communities and beyond.

Who are we looking for?

- We are looking for someone who has been called by God to **lead** REUNION in Boston, Somerville and wherever the Lord may call us to grow. We are seeking to find someone to lead us into the next chapter of our story who is ready for the challenge of an urban ministry in a Northeast post-Christian context. We are looking for a servant leader with a love for developing and discipling staff and lay leaders who in turn reproduce passionate leaders. We need someone gifted in cast, and inspiring, a Christ-centered vision for the next season of growth at REUNION. Most importantly, we are looking for someone radically committed to the Gospel who seeks to live that out through a life of daily discipleship.

What is your Role?

- You get to drive the mission of REUNION and ensure that all we do helps people find their way back to God and helps them grow as disciples of Christ. You will oversee our full and part time staff and their one-on-one coaching. Discipling and development of staff is a priority and we expect you to create an environment of teamwork and collaboration that reproduces leaders. You will lead our teaching team and set direction of Sunday messages. You will function as both the lead pastor to our entire community, but also as the location pastor our Back Bay community. From time to time you will pastor people through counseling (typically marriage, pre-marriage, and other pastoral meetings for those at our Bay Back location). You will help oversee the budget, hire staff, and be a member of the Elder team.
- Contact our Search Team at searchteam@reunionboston.com
- 30 The Fenway, Unit #1, Boston, MA 02215
- www.reunionboston.com

MISSOURI

Central Church of Christ

10/14/2014

- Central Church of Christ is a non-denominational community of believers in Kirksville, Missouri that is Bible and prayer oriented, believing God's promises to be true and real and that God is active, loving and present in our lives.
- We are a small congregation with current attendance at Sunday morning worship between 35 and 45.
- In addition to the full-time minister who recently stepped down, we have four appointed elders, one deacon, and a part-time secretary. We are seeking to continue having the leadership of a full-time minister working with us.
- Kirksville has a residential population of around 17, 000 and is the home of Truman State University and A. T. Still University which was the first osteopathic medical school in the United States and has just recently added a dental school.
- We seek a **minister** who loves God, loves people, and believes that he has been called by God to proclaim the good news. We expect the person would have a strong foundational knowledge of the Scriptures achieved through personal study and formal education and have a knowledge and appreciation of independent churches of Christ. We also believe it is important that the person called to work with us have the self-confidence, personality and social skills to relate to and work with persons of all age groups and from different nationalities, cultures, and socioeconomic groups.
- Salary and any associated benefits are to be determined.
- Letters of application together with a resume and supporting materials may be directed to the Elders and mailed to:
The Elders
Central Church of Christ
2010 South Halliburton St.
Kirksville, MO 63501
- Interested persons may also submit application letters and resumes by email or contact one of the Elders for more information by phone or email as follows:

Larry Louder at (660)665-0101
Scott Meredith at (660)665-1544
Fred Peterson at (660)349-6560
Dennis Wilson at (660)488-6834

Email: janet@thelouderfamily.com
Email: scottmeredith50@hotmail.com
Email: bjpdfp@sbcglobal.net

WEST VIRGINIA

First Church of Christ

9/10/2014

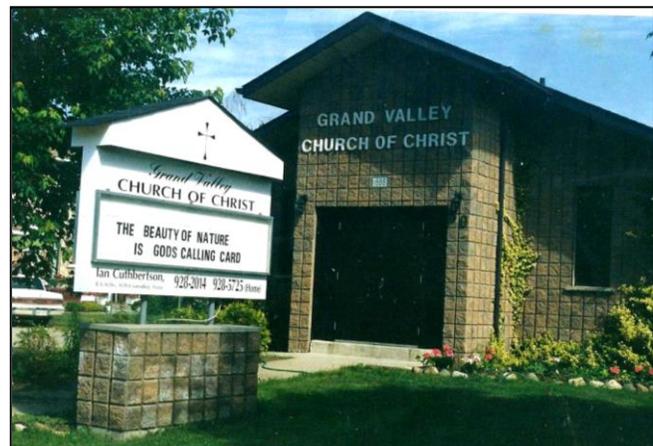
- First Church of Christ
300 Main St.
Elkins, WV 26241
Contact: David H. Wilmoth
david@wilmothlaw.com
304-678-9425
- Average attendance: 75
- A full-time **preaching minister** position for a man holding a degree from a Restoration Movement Bible College or Seminary.
- Successful applicant will work well across all age groups, interact with the congregation and the community at large, work with the Elders and Board of the local congregation and possess the zeal and initiative needed to build relationships with others.
- Applicant should be well grounded in Biblical Doctrine and able to convey to others through effective preaching and teaching.
- Additionally, we are interested in having someone, either a student or other, to fill the pulpit, regularly or occasionally until we can locate a full-time minister. If you know someone or ones who may be interested please let us know. We would consider a spring '15 graduate who may want to get a foot in the door, and get to know us as we get to know him as well.

ONTARIO, CANADA

Grand Valley Church of Christ

3/17/2015

- 50 Amaranth Street E., Grand Valley, Ontario, L9W 5L2
- **Pastor Search** (present pastor is retiring)
- We are an independent church which fellowships with Churches of Christ/Christian Churches.
- Grand Valley is a small town with a population of 2390 and is around an hour northwest of Toronto.
- The church is over 150 years old and was the first church in town. The original building was totally destroyed by a tornado in 1985 and then rebuilt in 1986.



Our ministries include:

- Weekly grade school children's program: "Kids Klub" which has an average attendance of around 20. Most of the children are from non-church homes.
- VBS every summer with an average attendance of 48.
- Yearly cemetery memorial service held in conjunction with the Grand Valley Ministerial.
- Strong supporter of Ontario Christian Assembly, a Church of Christ/Christian Church Bible camp located around 60 k northeast of Grand Valley.
- A strong supporter of Ontario Christian Conference.
- In our constitution we have stated our purpose is: To minister in the name of Jesus Christ and to proclaim salvation through His name according to the Bible. (Matthew 26:18).
- Our Sunday morning worship service is a blend of choruses and hymns. The messages are all Christ centered with a focus on relevance to our daily lives. Communion is celebrated weekly.
- At present, the church can only afford an honorarium of \$100.00 a week. However, there are plans to have a day care rent the basement which will enable the church to pay more. Thus, the person who comes will need to have a sponsoring church or be a tent maker like Paul.
- The town of Grand Valley has been designated as a growth area by the province and 350 new homes are in the process of being constructed.
- We are seeking a pastor who has:
 - A saving faith in Jesus Christ as witnessed through public confession and believers baptism by immersion
 - The ability to work in a small church setting
 - The ability to communicate with persons who come from a non-church background

Please send resumes to: The.Cuthbertsons@gmail.com or to the above address