Lead Pastor - Christ Chapel Wesleyan Church

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Christ Chapel Wesleyan Church in Silver Creek, NY is prayerfully seeking a pastor whose heart passion is for the lost and hurting and who has a desire to disciple and equip the church to effectively convey Christ-centered transformation through the love and power of the Holy Spirit. Christ Chapel is an active congregation which offers multiple ministries that focus on outreach, service, and fellowship. Our mission is to Love, Grow, and Serve. We have an average Sunday worship attendance of 75 people. Before COVID, our attendance was 125. As we look to the future we are seeking a pastor who has a passion and vision for evangelism to help us reach people in our community who are currently not being reached by our church. We have a vibrant children's ministry, but there is a need to better reach many of their parents who are not connected to our church or any other church.

Our campus, like our church and community, is full of potential just needing the right pastor led by God's Spirit to ignite that fire. We have recently remodeled our children's classrooms, nursery, sanctuary, fellowship hall/cafe and church offices. We also have a gymnasium and recreation room and two houses, one which is used as a parsonage.

We are searching for a pastor who will help us follow God's will in growing our church and reaching our community. We believe the following qualities are important in our next leader:

- A dynamic follower of Christ who is filled with the Holy Spirit and whose life is rooted in the Word of God.
- A strong preacher who can effectively communicate God's Word and evangelize our community.
- An out of the box thinker who possesses a pioneer spirit skilled in empowering others to build effective teams.
- A person who possesses a high level of energy and can help create a passion in our congregation for worship, service, and evangelism of our community.
- A person who is relationally skilled to connect with a variety of people both within and outside the church.
- A person skilled in nurturing new believers and helping them to connect into the body of Christ

Silver Creek is a village of about 2,000 people located on the shores of Lake Erie within the township of Hanover (population 7,000+). Our village has many opportunities for enjoyment and ministry. We have beaches, an energetic school system, and a village park which hosts several festivals. We are located a short drive from Buffalo (30 minutes), Niagara Falls (50 Minutes), and the Chautauqua Institute (45 min). We have our Easter sunrise service along the break wall on Lake Erie and our annual picnic is held at a local beach with baptisms in the lake. We have a great summer youth recreation program sponsored by the village, town and school system.

Over the past several years, our local community has lost several businesses which has created a struggle for many families. Poverty and addictions are real problems within our community that we are trying to address. Our church has hosted recovery groups and a food pantry. We work with other churches and ministries to minister to those around us in need.

We are praying for the person who God will use to lead us closer to him and prepare us to be fruitful servants of Christ. After prayerful consideration, if you sense God may be calling you to lead our congregation, please send your resume to the contact below.

Send Resumes & Inquiries to:

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