

Evangel Church, Preeceville, SK

Lead Pastor Position



Evangel Tabernacle, located in Preeceville, Saskatchewan, is a Spirit-filled church with a heart after God. We are a member of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada (PAOC), Saskatchewan District. Our weekly congregational attendance is around 40 people. We desire to be a blessing in our local community and a place where anyone can feel welcome and come and experience the power of Christ's love and the life-changing power of his Holy Spirit. We have a rich history as our church was established in 1918 and continued to be a strong presence in the community of Preeceville. Our church building has a seating capacity of approximately 200 and a full basement with kitchen including rooms for Sunday school and youth group and for hosting other community events. We have engaging Sunday worship services as well as weekly connection services and prayer meetings. Our vibrant youth program and kid's club serve many youth in our community with Biblical teaching, worship time and games and activities weekly. Another way we are involved in meeting needs in our community is through hosting weekly Alcoholic Anonymous meetings in our church basement. We desire to grow as a healthy church family in grace and love by the power of the Holy Spirit to be equipped to serve our community and fulfill the great commission. We are eager to give, to love, to serve, and to forgive and see God transform our lives and our community. We are excited to welcome a leader who will help guide us into what God has in store for us and our community.

About the Lead Pastor:

We are looking for a Lead Pastor whose number one desire is leading a team of people that are passionate about serving God and our community and able to inspire and equip us in gift-based ministry. The pastor will have a deep desire to connect with people within the church and also to those within the community while enabling and encouraging our congregation to grow and develop in loving relationships within our church and community.

The lead pastor will effectively teach and empower others to carry out our church's vision which is "Bringing Glory to God through knowing Jesus, growing in Jesus, sharing in Jesus' love, through the power of the Holy Spirit."

- Teach and bring God's word in a refreshing, engaging way that connects the hearts of people to Christ each week
- Ability to equip, mobilize, empower and inspire our congregation to carry out the vision God has given
- Demonstrate good communication and listening skills to be lovingly engaged with people in the church and community
- Provide pastoral care to the congregation and others in our community with the help of our pastoral care team
- Commitment to the facilitation of connecting people within our congregation and helping them grow in meaningful, loving relationships
- Demonstrate problem-solve ability and possesses a learning attitude and commitment to personal growth
- Be a team leader who is able to work well with the pastor's council and leadership within our church
- Lead and inspire believers to mature and grow in their faith in Christ
- Ability to equip and encourage God's people in gift-based ministry, through training, monitoring and nurturing volunteers
- Demonstrates ability to organize effective church structures
- Be part of a coaching relationship with the Saskatchewan District Church coach
- Give and receive assessment and feedback yearly with the church leadership team

What you bring:

- Credentialing:
 - Be able to meet the qualifications for holding a ministry credential with the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada
- Education:
 - Bachelor of Arts degree in Biblical/Pastoral education (or higher) is recommended
- Characteristics:
 - A passionate follower of Christ who endeavours to live a Spirit-filled life and exhibits Christ-like character
 - Displays a high level of emotional and relational intelligence
 - Demonstrates good listening skills
 - Effective communicator
 - Has a spirit of generosity and servant heart (humble)
 - Shows significant evidence of kingdom fruit in his or her personal life and ministry
 - Prioritizes fostering a healthy marriage, family and personal life
 - Has a learning attitude, willing to commit to ongoing education/professional development

What it's like to live in Preeceville:

The town of Preeceville, known as the headwaters of the Assiniboine, is located in the beautiful East-central Parkland region of Saskatchewan, Canada. The population of the town is 1200 but it serves an area of 5000 people including the R.M. of Preeceville and surrounding communities who work, play and shop in the town of Preeceville. The main industries are farming, ranching and logging but also hog barns, farming implement dealerships, and jobs in education and the health sector. The beautiful landscape of parkland, farmland, forest and river valleys with provincial parks, historic sights and cultural heritage richness make Preeceville an interesting destination for visiting and living in. Fishing, hunting, canoeing, hiking, cross-country skiing are popular recreation activities in the area and we also boast many snowmobiling and ATV trails including ski and hiking trails. There are many recreational sport opportunities for children and adults including hockey, baseball, dance, cross-country skiing, and 4H with beautiful sportsgrounds including ball diamonds and a racing track where we host a Western Weekend full of chuckwagon and chariot races, gymkhana and other activities. Preeceville school is the school serving children from kindergarten to grade 12 in the Good Spirit School Division. There is also a preschool program for children aged 3-4. There are many sport and extracurricular opportunities for students including golf, cross-country running, volleyball, basketball, badminton, track and field, football and band.

There is a large grocery store, Co-op and Home Hardware as well as a lawyers' office, dental office, library, pharmacy, gym/fitness center, two fuel stations, bank and several restaurants and a hotel and hospital with emergency services and long-term care facility. Preeceville is 100km from the city of Yorkton.

To apply or for more information:

- Must be a current Canadian resident to apply.
- Please submit resumes to the Search Committee chair c/o Duane Karcha evangelchurchsk@outlook.com
- Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/EvangelPAOC>
- For more information, please contact the District Superintendent, Paul Israelson, at the PAOC SK District Office – 306-683-4646