

GRACEVIEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Position: Pastor

Ordination: Mississippi Valley Presbytery ARP

Purpose: The Pastor is responsible to proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ, to use his skills in administrative leadership, and to engage in pastoral care ministries in the church and community.

Supervision: The Session has final oversight.

Necessary Qualities

1. Christlike character
2. Humble and teachable disposition
3. Faithful teacher of the word of God
4. Willingness to work as part of a team.
5. Administrative and communication skills
6. Ability to relate well to all ages
7. Pro-active in ministry.

Responsibilities

1. Oversee church ministries.
2. Love and pray for the congregation.
3. Worship—Plan and lead weekly worship services; participate in special worship services as needed (weddings, funerals, special occasions).
4. Teaching—Teach as needed in the youth and adult ministries.
5. Shepherding—Visit with church members in various contexts.
6. Outreach—As the Lord gives opportunity, make connections with people outside the church in an effort to reach them for Christ.
7. Growth—Look for opportunities to encourage young families to visit the church. As time permits, be open to participating in community groups.
8. Administration—Coordinate new member classes; keep content current on the church website and Facebook page; organize ministry events.

9. Session/Diaconate—Participate in Session and Diaconate meetings.
10. Presbytery and Synod—Fulfill the duties of membership in the Mississippi Valley Presbytery and the ARP Synod.