

Full-Time Pastor; Parkside Alliance Church, Lacombe, AB

Parkside Alliance Church is looking for a full-time permanent Pastor.

Lacombe, Alberta

Lacombe is a beautiful, historic city of about 12,000 people located on Highway 2 in Central Alberta, about halfway between Edmonton and Calgary. Lacombe is about 15-20 minutes North of the City of Red Deer, and about a 2-hour drive to the mountains. Lacombe was voted the 5th best place to live, out of 415 communities, in Canada in 2018 and voted the best place to live in Alberta that same year.

Church profile:

Our Mission Statement: "To know God and make Him known"

We are a small, friendly, active congregation in Lacombe, AB with a wide variety of church backgrounds. As an aging church congregation, we need someone who has a vision for us to move forward, whether that means adding to our numbers in the same age range, or bringing in families and setting up children's ministries – it must be a realistic goal. To encourage fellowship and Christian support, we have fellowship dinners after the service several times throughout the year where people get to know each other better and offer encouragement and support. We have 21 members, and 50-60 people who call Parkside their church home.

In-church ministries:

- The Men's group meets monthly for prayer breakfasts.
- The Ladies' group meets on an average of once a month for fellowship and sometimes teaching by local Christian ladies.
- Benevolent fund (for members, adherents and local citizens)
- Small group Bible studies

Outreach ministries:

- Support/partnership with a church plant in Ponoka
- Share our building with Christ's Corridor Church (Sunday evening service)
- Music ministry to patients in extended care facilities
- School Lunch ministry (for children who have no lunches during the school day)
- Active in the local Ministerial Association
- Support (prayerfully and financially) our missionaries in general, and those assigned to us in particular
- Shoebox ministry

The successful candidate for this position will have . . .

- Integrity – as evidenced by Paul’s recommendations in 1 Timothy 3: 1-13.
- Spiritual passion and be prayerful, with a zeal for God.
- The desire and ability to both discern God’s will and vision for the church, and to communicate that vision to others in a way that will encourage and inspire them to follow.
- Previous experience as a Pastor, meeting the spiritual needs of the congregation, and able counsel with Godly life experience.
- The ability to teach and preach of the Bible and have a desire to edify the church in practical ways through the Word.
- A heart to know his flock both inside and outside of the church facility.
- A desire to create ministry opportunities for a mature congregation.
- The ability to develop and empower leaders; a discipler.
- A mission-minded perspective.

Applicants

Applicants must be citizens, or permanent residents, of Canada and licensed, or qualify for licensing, by the Western Canadian District of the C&MA.

For further information about our church, please visit our website at:

www.parksidealliance.ca.

If interested, please forward your resume with references and audio sermon access information to: parksideseeks@gmail.com.

Parkside Alliance Church will acknowledge receipt of your resume and inform you if, and when, we have further interest in pursuing your application.

Applications will be accepted until a suitable candidate is found.