

**Interim Pastor Job Description**  
**Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church**  
**Charlotte, NC**  
**<https://gspc.net>**

Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church is a 43-year-old church with a loving, active congregation of 148 members, located in southeast Charlotte. Over the life of the church, we have had 2 full-time pastors who were well-loved and respected.

Our community of faith believes in ordinary people serving an extraordinary God. We are known for being a friendly and welcoming church that cares deeply for one another in joy and in struggle. From nursery to children to youth to young adults to older adults... from arts to music to Bible study to food to recreation... from worship to prayer to mission and to service... what we've experienced time and time again in big and small ways is that... God faithfully shows up here!

The mission of Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church is to worship God joyfully, lifting up Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. That by the Holy Spirit, we would encourage and equip all people to respond to God's grace in their lives, in the community, and in the world.

**Job Requirements:**

- Ordained minister approved by the Charlotte Presbytery for interim ministry
- Must have completed Interim Ministry training and boundary training
- Effective interpersonal and communication skills
- Experience working and collaborating with professional staff
- Energy and enthusiasm for the challenging work of interim ministry

**Responsibilities:**

- To provide a biblically based preaching and teaching ministry to a church in transition.
- To provide spiritual leadership by creating, preparing, and executing weekly worship service with support from the Director of Music, the Director of Youth & Children's Ministries, and volunteers.
- As Head of Staff, to administer the church's ministries by leading, directing, and supervising the professional staff.
- To moderate session meetings and meet with committees as the need arises.
- Motivate and be available as a resource to the lay leaders of the church.
- To provide pastoral care for those in crisis situations, visiting church members, counseling as needed.
- To administer sacraments of communion and baptism.
- To officiate at weddings and funerals.
- To attend and support church functions.
- To provide counsel and leadership to the congregation through the transition process.

Interested applicants should submit the following to the Interim Search Committee at:

[interim-application@gspc.net](mailto:interim-application@gspc.net) :

- Resume
- Letter of interest
- Three professional references
- Compensation requirements