

## **Pastor of Family Ministries**

Lebanon Valley Bible Church is located in Central PA with an average weekly attendance of 350. We are looking for a pastor to be an integral part of our ministry team. The primary ministry focus will be in the area of Family Ministries by providing administrative leadership and guidance to the family and children's ministries of LVBC. This pastor will strive to develop a highly relational ministry that develops mature lay leadership and focuses on discipleship of the families of our church. The ability to lead worship and music would be helpful.

Family Ministries is inclusive of AWANA (Wednesday Nights – 100+ children), Sunday School classes, Junior Church, Nursery and Vacation Bible School.

- Work together with lay leadership by providing administrative oversight to children and family ministries.
- Recruit, train, develop, and encourage lay leadership for the family programs and conduct teacher training on a regular basis (inclusive of child abuse prevention)

### **Pastoral Care Responsibilities**

- Work together with the other members of the pastoral staff to build strong relationships within the church family.
- Share the responsibilities of making contact with new families as they come into the church.
- Share the responsibilities of hospital and home visits with the pastoral staff and elders.

### **Qualifications:**

In addition to the qualifications outlined in the Word of God for an Elder (1 Timothy 3 & Titus 1) the Associate Pastor should meet the following qualifications:

- Education and Experience: Graduate of a Bible College or Seminary with experience in a church ministry setting.
- Possess the skills, training and ability to coordinate and lead in the area of Family Ministries.
- Good organizational skills.

### **Conditions:**

- Possess and demonstrate a profound passion for Jesus Christ, God's Word, and people. It should be evidenced by personal spiritual growth and a desire to grow in the knowledge of the Bible with a desire to invest these things into the lives of others.
- Possess a humble spirit with a servant's heart.

- Meet regularly with the pastoral staff to consult, report and pray for the needs of church ministries.
- Sign the Pastoral Covenant as outlined in the church constitution and be in agreement with the LVBC Statement of Faith, its Constitution and By-Laws.

**Additional Skills and Abilities that would be helpful**

- The ability to lead Worship and Music
- Biblical Counseling Experience
- AV/Audio Technologies
- Website Administration