



Job Description and Qualifications

Job Title:	Church-Planting Resident
Department:	Church-Planting
Position Schedule:	Fulltime
Position Status:	Exempt (not eligible for overtime)
Reports to:	Associate Pastor for Church-Planting
Supervises:	Ministry Team Leads
Date:	July 2021

PURPOSE

Serve alongside Chapel Hill Port Orchard for approximately one year as a significant step in discerning a personal call to church-planting. The Church-Planting Resident will prioritize serving in one area of strength and one area of growth in preparation for leading a launch team.

PRIMARY DUTIES

The Church-Planting Resident will have several roles and responsibilities to include but not limited to the following:

- Work alongside Chapel Hill's Pastoral Team to help provide leadership in weekend services and neighborhood outreach
- Lead one team in an area of your core strength i.e. youth ministry
- Develop as-yet-untested church-planting skills
- Coordinate the volunteers of one of the weekend service teams, i.e. welcome, children, worship
- Be engaged in the life of the Port Orchard community, participating in the local pastors' gathering and making relational contacts with believers and unbelievers
- Meet weekly with the Lead Pastor for encouragement, Bible Study, and prayer
- Participate in an EPC Church-Planting coaching group
- Pray daily for the work of God in South Kitsap
- Attend Presbytery meetings as directed
- Other duties as assigned

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

- MDiv or equivalent (or in the final stages of completing a distance program)
- EPC Ordained or Ordainable, preferred
- Three years' experience in ministry (full-time or otherwise)

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

- Ability to work well with people of all ages, ethnicities, and status
 - Proficient in Microsoft Word, Publisher, Excel and ability to learn computer programs quickly
 - Excellent organizational skills & ability to coordinate multiple events and activities
 - Supervisory skills
 - Positive self-reflection upon completion of church planter self-assessment
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All employees are required to pass a criminal background check prior to start of employment.

All employees must understand that they are a part of a Christian church and that their employment is a God-ordained vocation. In this regard, employees must fully support and live consistently and in accordance with any Statement of Faith and Christian standards of living as may be set forth in the church's employee handbook.

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