Discipleship Pastor Job Description

Stockham Community Church

Position Description: Discipleship Pastor Status: Full-time, Salaried Hours: ±40 Hours per week Benefits: Housing Allowance, Continuing Education, Vacation, Business Expense and Mileage, Office Space

General Purpose of Position: To work in concert with the Senior Pastors "to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the Church, the body of Christ." Ephesians 4:12

Supervision: The person in this position operates with considerable independence and authority within areas of responsibility described below. He is directly responsible/accountable to the Senior Pastors and the Board of Deacons.

QUALIFICATIONS AND ATTRIBUTES:

- 1. Must agree with the Stockham Community Church statement of faith and have a strong commitment to the authority of the Word of God.
- 2. Should be licensed, ordained, or in a position to become licensed and/or ordained.
- 3. Educational preparation and other church affiliations should be from organizations generally in agreement with Stockham Community Church's statement of faith.
- 4. Should supply references that validate character and reputation.
- 5. Should express willingness to work with and under our Senior Pastors and in cooperation with a diverse group of volunteers.
- 6. Should be able to supply evidence of gifts and skills that are suitable for this position (e.g. teaching, verbal and/or written communication, leadership, managing, coordinating, and/or counseling).
- 7. Should express interest in and/or have an understanding of rural ministries, and have a desire to commit long-term to such a ministry.

SPECIFIC AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY:

- 1. Teach (regularly) and preach (as needed) as agreed upon with the Senior Pastors.
- 2. Coordinate/communicate with deacons, trustees, and those in elected positions.
- 3. Coordinate/communicate with the Christian Education Committee regarding curriculum, materials, and teacher training.
- 4. Directly supervise and participate, as needed, in ministries that impact youth, including those past high school, families with children at home, and the discipling of men.
- 5. Coordinate with paid staff as needed for efficient management of data and reliable communication with the congregation, including the prayer chain.
- 6. Participate in scheduled meetings with deacons, church council, and other committee meetings upon request.
- 7. Participate as needed in administrative tasks of the church.
- 8. Participate when appropriate in visitation and counseling opportunities.
- 9. Support and participate as needed in regularly scheduled services and programs of the church.