



Gordon Baptist Church

is seeking to appoint a

Cantonese Pastor

Who we are

GBC is a growing, intercultural church on Sydney's North Shore currently meeting multiple Sunday and mid-week congregations, conducted in English, Mandarin, Cantonese, Japanese, and Korean. These congregations also share ministries, working together in such things as outreach and children's and youth work, which are conducted in English. We are seeking an additional member for our existing pastoral team who will help us to continue maturing in our communion with God, community with one another, and commission in the world. Our vision is to be a distinctive and united body of Christ's people responsive to the Holy Spirit, supportive of one another, and effective in expressing God's love and truth locally and globally. Our philosophy of ministry appreciates that ministry belongs to the whole church, and that pastoral leadership is best done as a team, whereby we complement and support one another by our particular strengths, gifts and abilities, being flexible and adjusting roles as necessary.

Our needs

We are seeking to appoint a full-time pastor (or close to full-time). This ministry includes the following

Responsibilities:

1. Pastoral oversight of our Cantonese congregation and its services and groups
2. Regular preaching and teaching (average 3 Sundays per month)
3. Training and discipleship (in groups and via individual relationships)
4. Providing bible study and small group study materials and teaching a group
5. Pastoral care and visitation
6. Cultivating prayerfulness
7. Leadership in developing local outreach strategy and activity to Cantonese-speakers, as part of a larger church effort
8. Working as a member of the pastoral team and diaconate
9. Administration, communication, vision, and organisation

Essential requirements:

1. Hold a valid entitlement to work in Australia
2. Appreciation of issues facing our migrant community and long-term residents
3. Speak and write in both Chinese and English
4. Ability to organise, train and lead other leaders
5. Commitment to growing the Cantonese congregation as a connected part of the whole church
6. Appropriate theological and professional education, Christian maturity, and ministry experience
7. Discernment, faithfulness and loyalty to give long-term commitment to the church

Female and male pastors are invited to apply

Contact:

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哥頓浸信會誠聘粵語堂牧者

哥頓浸信會位於悉尼北岸，是一間成長中的多元文化教會。我們目前每星期主日及週間以不同的言語崇拜，包括英語，粵語，普通話，口語及韓語。各堂也會以英語共同參與教會其他事工，例如外展，兒童及青少年事工。教會現在徵求一位牧者加入教牧團隊，促進我們與神的關係，主內的團契，及向世界宣教的使命。我們的異像是回應聖靈，成為一個獨特合一的基督群體，互相扶持，並在本土及各地有效地表達上帝的愛和真理。我們的理念是事工屬於全教會，牧者共同擔當，彼此協助，發揮恩賜能力，在需要時靈活配搭。

我們誠聘一位全職(或接近全職)的牧者，

職責包括

1. 牧養粵語堂會眾以及帶領主日崇拜和小組
2. 定期講道(平均每月三次)和教導
3. 培訓及門徒訓練(小組及個人)
4. 提供研經資料和小組教導
5. 牧養和探訪
6. 培養會眾禱告心志
7. 作為整個教會對外拓展事工的一部分，帶領粵語堂的外展事工和策略
8. 參與教牧團和執事會
9. 行政管理

資歷要求

1. 是澳洲永久居民
2. 了解移民和當地居民所面對的問題
3. 通曉中,英文及能說流利粵語和英語
4. 有組織，培訓和領導其他領袖的能力
5. 負責粵語堂的成長並與全教會聯繫
6. 具神學及專業訓練，是成熟的基督徒，有服侍教會經驗
7. 有真理識別能力，願意忠心長期服侍教會

誠邀男女牧者應徵

聯絡方式

如需要更多的資料，請聯絡哥頓浸信會主任牧師 John Merchant: 20 Park Ave., Gordon NSW 2072.
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