

First Baptist Church
401 4th Avenue North
Saskatoon SK S7K 2M4



Position: Senior Pastor, Full-time salaried

About us

First Baptist Saskatoon is known as a very welcoming and friendly downtown church with an average weekly attendance of 80. We have a very multi-cultural and multi-generational congregation that enjoys a pipe organ, an active choir, and a growing children's ministry.

Our congregation has been active in refugee sponsorship for over 20 years, has facilitated short term mission trips, and had various downtown ministry opportunities, one of which is our licensed daycare that has operated for over 50 years.

We are a member of the Inner-City Council of Churches which gives us the opportunity to develop inter-denominational relationships, and we provide an open Sunday morning service which welcomes those of other denominations to join us in worship and communion.

Our building currently hosts two additional congregations, a Korean congregation on Sunday afternoons, and an Eritrean congregation on Sunday evenings.

Qualifications

- Master of Divinity or equivalent
- Must have experienced Believer's Baptism
- Experience in Pastoral Ministry
- Good moral character and spiritual maturity
- Good organizational skills and follow through
- Accredited or eligible to be accredited by Canadian Baptists of Western Canada (CBWC)
- Ordained or eligible to be ordained by CBWC

Primary Responsibilities & Duties

- Provide spiritual oversight and leadership for the congregation and other members of the church staff.
- Plan and conduct Sunday worship services, and effectively communicate God's Word.
- Conduct communion and perform weddings, pre-marital counselling, funerals, baptisms & baby dedications as requested.

- Attend Church Council and Ministry Team meetings and be a part of other committees as necessary (daycare, worship team).*
*Please note that all of our Church Staff report directly to Church Council and do not hold an official seat upon Council.
- Provide or coordinate pastoral care through visitation, counselling and prayer.
- Be active in local ministerial associations (Inner-City Council of Churches).
- Lead membership, baptism and discipleship classes.
- Be open to involvement with the CBWC, and attend annual conferences (Banff Pastors' Conference, Heartland Area Pastors' Conference).

Hours

Full-time (approximately 40 per week); flexible, including evenings & weekends

Compensation

To be negotiated consistent with CBWC Guidelines

To Apply

Candidates who wish to proceed with the application process are asked to send their Ministry Information Profile (MIP)* to:

Pastoral Search Committee – searchfbc@outlook.com

*MIP can be found at <https://cbwc.ca/careers>

