

Chinese Evangelical Church of Portland, Oregon 5529 NE Century Blvd., Hillsboro, OR 97124 www.cechurch.org

Job Category: English Ministry Pastor

Job Type: Full Time

We are currently seeking a new English Ministry Pastor to preach weekly, shepherd our English Congregation, and serve with the Elder Team to lead the overall church. *The qualifications for the candidate include:*

- 1. A man who meets the New Testament qualifications for an Elder
- 2. Complete agreement with the Church Statement of Faith, the Apostles' Creed, and our 5 Doctrinal Distinctions
- 3. An expository preacher
- 4. Seminary training (MDiv or equivalent)
- 5. Local Church ministry experience
- 6. Experience in immigrant and/or multicultural churches is preferred
- 7. Mandarin skills are not necessary, but would enhance the candidate's ministry

Responsibilities include:

- Preaching and leading Sunday services
- Overseeing the English worship team
- Overseeing English Life Groups (currently they meet in homes and are sermon-based)
- Overseeing English biblical training through Sunday School
- Providing pastoral care to the English Congregation
- Serving on the Elder Team, which is comprised of biblically qualified leaders from both the English and the Chinese congregations.
- Working with other staff members, including the Chinese Pastor, Youth Pastor, and the Kids Ministry Director.
- Equipping the saints to engage in the ministries of evangelism and discipleship

If you are interested in applying, please reach out to <u>elders@cechurch.org</u> with the following information:

- 1) Personal testimony of salvation (one page)
- 2) Personal testimony of call into ministry (one page)
- 3) Personal statement of faith (one to two pages)
- 4) Philosophy of ministry (one page)
- 5) How you shepherd your wife and children (one page)
- 6) 3 to 5 references
- 7) Two sermons to review (for pastors role only, one NT, one OT)
- 8) Review and inform us whether you agree with these doctrinal statements: https://www.cechurch.org/faith-statement . Inform us of the statements that you disagree with and why.
- 9) Review and inform us whether you agree with our doctrinal distinctives: https://www.cechurch.org/doctrinaldistinctives. Inform us of the statements that you disagree with and why.