

Lead Pastor

PROFILE



Welcome.

Our current Lead Pastor will soon be retiring after a long and faithful ministry leading Southern Hills Baptist Church.

We are looking for a faithful Bible teacher with a passion for proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ and a gift for bringing God's Word to life. We desire a *pastor*—a true shepherd who cares for the members and leads the staff and ministry leaders with love and grace.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR AN EXPERIENCED PASTOR & LEADER WHO IS...

CALLED TO LEAD.

The successful candidate...

- Perceives a clear calling from God to full-time ministry and a strong sense of God's direction to preach and pastor at Southern Hills Baptist Church.
- Embodies a heart for preaching, teaching, discipleship, evangelism, and missions, in order to meet the community's spiritual needs, reach unbelievers, and attract new members; likely known as a gifted communicator.
- Is competent to provide spiritual and organizational leadership, along with strategic foresight, while aligning strategies and ministries to accomplish the church's mission and vision.
- Possesses an exceptional track record of effective preaching in a diverse and multi-generational church.
- Demonstrates evidence of possessing sound judgment and discernment.
- Has a reputation of being participative, collaborative, and team-oriented.

SPIRITUALLY ALIVE & MATURE.

The successful candidate...

- Has a deep and ever-growing relationship with God as evidenced by daily habits, observable fruit of the spirit and patience in his approach to both staff and members.
- Is driven to prayer, study, preparation and planning to develop a deep and growing level of spiritual growth and maturity.
- Is comfortable with being mentally and spiritually challenged and receptive to constructive feedback.

THEOLOGICALLY SOUND & BIBLICALLY ROOTED.

The successful candidate...

- Is able to provide a solid, Biblically based preaching ministry.
- Is personally guided by a set of Biblically ethical principles.

EMOTIONALLY INTELLIGENT & RELATIONALLY AUTHENTIC.

The successful candidate...

- Is approachable and connects with members of all ages and socio-economic backgrounds.
- Values and relates well to people of all ages and levels of spiritual maturity.
- Has a reputation of unquestionable integrity.
- Exudes authenticity and humility in his relationships.
- Is intrinsically people-oriented.

EMPOWERED BY VISION.

The successful candidate...

- Can imagine and cast a new God-given vision for the future of Southern Hills Baptist Church while building on the existing strengths of the church's mission-focused congregation.
- Effectively communicates the church's mission and vision, internally and externally, while drawing young adults and families into the congregation to develop the next generation of church leaders.
- Is able to develop, communicate and further the mission, vision, and values of the church.

Resumes should be emailed to pastorsearch@shbctulsa.org.





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