

Transitional Pastor Position

First Presbyterian Church

Kasson, Minnesota

Kasson Presbyterian Church is a warm, inviting Christian community where everyone is welcome. We seek inspiring worship experiences and challenging learning opportunities to encourage us to serve others as well as to laugh and play together. Our mission is to celebrate God's presence, seek the Spirit's guidance, and receive Christ's forgiveness. We are strengthened to serve and are led by grace. We are looking for a transitional pastor to provide spiritual, pastoral, educational, and administrative leadership to the congregation during the interim between installed pastors by guiding the congregation as the Transitional Ministry tasks are completed.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- To fulfill the transitional ministry tasks of helping us understand our history, identify our strengths, assist lay leadership in building the congregation, increase our sense of belonging to the wider church community, and help us work toward welcoming a new pastor.
- To effectively preach and lead worship using Biblical based themes with relevance to everyday life.
- To communicate with our members. To devote time for visiting those members who are in the hospital, in crisis, or potential new members.
- To moderate Session and congregational meetings. To attend Deacon meetings, committee meetings, and church related activities as much as possible.
- To work with and supervise the church staff.
- To continue in personal, spiritual, intellectual, and administrative growth.
- And to participate in the wider Church when able.

This is a part time position with a twenty hour work week. We understand that unexpected situations may require more time and that the Pastor is authorized to adjust their schedule when needed. The Transitional Pastor will serve for the term of one year, with the option of extension at the request of the Session The Transitional Pastor's term will conclude at the end of the contract if not extended, upon the effective date of the call of a new Pastor, or by either the Pastor or Session with thirty days notice.

Please submit inquiries and applications to Lisa Carlsen at: carlsen@kmtel.com.