

**DESIRABLE TRAITS,
PREACHER AND CONGREGATION**
Scappoose Church of Christ, 06-01-2023

Preacher Search:

1. Full-time preaching minister.
2. Mature, preferably a married man with a supportive wife.
3. A preacher that is family oriented.
4. Firmly grounded in the Word of God.
5. 3 to 5 years of pulpit preaching experience desired.
6. Christian university/college degree in ministries and/or brotherhood Preacher School of Biblical Studies.
7. Experienced and fully capable to teach, evangelize, and encourage spiritual development.
8. Duties will include preaching, teaching classes, and personal evangelism.
9. Enthusiastic and dedicated to reaching the lost to help grow the Lord's kingdom.
10. Good at personal work. Willing to reach out to the community, and help us to become personal workers.
11. Full-time position offers competitive salary based on formal education and experience.
12. Sound in Biblical doctrine and strong in the faith.
13. Bible-centered, enthusiastic.
14. Spiritually mature man willing to work under the direction of an eldership.
15. Good organizational skills, with a great work ethic.
16. Excellent communicator.
17. Preach the Word, work and teach so that the body of Christ continues to grow in local outreach, and other mission activities.
18. The selected minister's life is to be an example of what he preaches, be a student of the Word with an ability to organize and present good lessons.
19. Committed to upholding the faith and practices found in the New Testament as God's will for all mankind.
20. A friendly and kind behavior, self-motivated, innovative and energetic with a passion for teaching Christ.
21. Must have a personality, patience, and skills to work effectively with all age groups.
22. Please apply by sending resume and sermon video/audio tapes.

Scappoose Congregation:

1. A small loving and involved congregation with two Elders and one Deacon.
2. A congregation of about 50 in attendance on Sundays, with a building that will seat 140 (200 max).
3. A doctrinally sound congregation, which has a positive community image.
4. The congregation supports several foreign and domestic efforts: Mountain States Children's Home, Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort, and Orphan's Lifeline Intl.
5. We are located in an economically healthy, growing, small town in NW Oregon.
6. A congregation located on Oregon Hwy-30 with 8.5 acres of land and a building that is paid for.
7. A financially stable congregation.
8. Searching for a new preaching minister for the first time in over 20 years.
9. The congregation is relatively small. It has a mix of some younger families with small children, and some with teens and young adults. There are a few middle-aged families, and also retired couples and singles.
10. Individual members work in janitorial services, real-estate, retail, high school administration, production & manufacturing, high-tech Industrial monitoring, school bus services, industrial fabrication, commercial & industrial sales manager, business tele-communication systems, electro-optical instrument manufacturing, trucking logistic freight services. And, there is a larger group of member retirees with a good mix of employment experiences.
11. Scappoose is a rural community that enjoys good schools, local parks & hiking trails, retail shopping, medical services, a small airport, Columbia River boating and fishing with marina services.
12. A brotherhood Christian camp serves churches in the area: www.campyamhill.org
13. 11,000-ft Cascade mountains, Mt. Hood snow skiing, high deserts, ocean beaches, all within 90 minutes.
14. Scappoose is a small growing town (pop. 8,254), and is a 35-45 minute drive NW of downtown Portland.