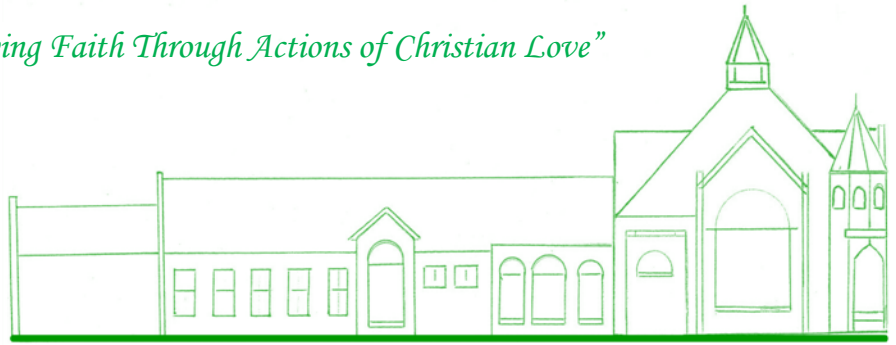


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"Growing Faith Through Actions of Christian Love"



3-Month Pastoral Supply Opportunity

First Christian Church of Wilmington, Ohio is searching for a qualified individual (see below) to provide pastoral supply to the congregation in June, July and August of 2021 while the pastor is on sabbatical.

First Christian Church is a congregation of 220 active members with an average worship attendance of 110 when meeting in person but at this time we are still worshipping virtually. This may or may not change by the time the sabbatical begins. The church has been in mission since 1828, is extremely active in reaching out to the Wilmington community, and has a rich tradition of worship and music. The city of Wilmington is the county-seat in a rural county in southwest Ohio, 40 minutes from Cincinnati and Dayton, and only 50 minutes from Columbus. Visit our Facebook page and website wilmingtondisciples.com to better acquaint yourself with the church.

The supply pastor will be responsible for basic pastoral care including hospitals, care facilities, in-home visitation, and funerals (in concert with the elders), preaching, worship development, virtual worship recording, and to participate in the congregation's summer program schedule as agreed upon.

The supply pastor should be a graduate from an ATS accredited seminary or commensurate education; ordained or commissioned (or in the ordination/commissioning process) within the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) or a collegial tradition; willing to serve half to full-time during the supply period including relocating or commuting to Wilmington. Students, interims, retirees, or those between settled ministries are all encouraged to apply.

The supply pastor will have the support and cooperation of the Mission Council, Sabbatical Committee, Elders and Executive Officers of the congregation, as well as an intentional period of preparation and follow up with the pastor.

Applicants should submit a resume with ministry and educational experience as well as information pertaining to their current setting. Include a brief overview of your concept of ministry (no more than one page). Please contact us as follows:

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Applications are due by March 31, 2021.
First Christian Church is an equal opportunity employer.