



Assistant Minister – Position Description

Trinity South Christchurch is looking for an Assistant Minister to support the Senior Minister in leading the church and to take responsibility for one or more ministry areas. In partnership with the Senior Minister, you will help lead the ministry and staff team to effectively care for and disciple the church family. Through godly oversight, faithful example, and a strong Bible teaching ministry, you will contribute to shaping Trinity into a loving community of mature disciples of Jesus—characterised by sacrificial love for Christ and increasing passion and effectiveness in reaching South Christchurch for Him.

You will be:

- A conservative evangelical, committed to the supreme authority of the Bible and the priority of preaching God's Word and prayer.
- A passionate Bible teacher, ideally with at least three years of full-time ministry experience.
- A leader who can equip and inspire others toward maturity in Christ, committed to the biblical model of pastoral ministry as equipping the saints for works of service.
- And equipper and enabler of others' gifts, not just a doer.
- A model of godly 'life and doctrine'—prayerfully dependent, servant-hearted, and generous-spirited
- Able to deputise for the Senior Minister across all areas of church life.

This is an ordained role. Enquiries are welcome from those who are not ordained, but they must be willing to pursue this pathway.

Key Responsibilities:

While the role will include general pastoral care and leadership, it will be shaped around your particular gifting and passion. In particular you will:

- Lead and develop one or more ministry areas within the church. This will involve setting a vision for that area, equipping and supporting ministry leaders as they lead and develop ministry teams, to ensure the church is effective in this area of church life. Possible focus areas include:
 - Overseeing the integration of new members and strengthening community life.
 - Leading us to increasingly joyful love and devotion to God.

- Developing our intentionality and effectiveness in proclaiming Christ and reaching the lost in our local area.
 - The service area of church – helping us to proactively equipping people for works of service and developing servant hearted ministry leaders.
- Help us grow as mature, outward-looking disciples of Christ through the preaching of the Scripture at our three Sunday services.

Stipend will be set according to the CCA stipend policy. Trinity is committed to providing suitable housing for the Assistant Minister and, where applicable, their family.