

Everything we do is to lead people into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ

Director of Outreach/Campus Planter

Holy Cross Cathedral is the cathedral church for the Anglican Diocese of the South. We are passionate about worship, sharing the gospel in our local context, and building meaningful community within the church. We are looking for a full-time clergyman (priest or transitional deacon) to join the clergy team who can take on significant responsibilities to help the church continue to fulfill its vision. (*Acknowledging the diversity of practice on this within the ACNA, please note that this diocese's practice is to have only men serve as priests.*)

Specifically, this position is designed to help shape the culture of the congregation to become more intentionally missional into our local community, with the goal of planting a new campus in the next two to three years. The Director of Outreach/Campus Planter would work significantly in the community, making connections, sharing the gospel, leading teams to do ministry to those who are "near to us but far from Jesus." Through this process, the Director/Planter would help identify where God is calling us to plant a new campus. Ideally, this person would then be the planter for that campus.

It is our desire and sense from the Lord that an important way for us to continue to do gospel ministry is to plant a church. And, for a variety of reasons, we believe that Holy Cross Cathedral is well positioned to plant a new campus instead of a stand-alone new church. So, the Director/Planter would enter as, and remain, a member of the Cathedral Clergy team. Planting the new campus would be a church-wide ministry, led by the Director/Planter.

We have two worship services each Sunday: traditional and contemporary. Both services are actively growing in attendance. The Director of Outreach/Campus Planter needs to be comfortable serving in both a traditional and contemporary Anglican service (or willing and able to learn).

The candidate will have a deep trust in God, godly character, and a contagious faith. The ideal candidate will be capable of serving in a wide variety of pastoral ministry responsibilities necessary for church planting. The ideal candidate will have a clear and demonstrable gift for drawing people together into Christian community, and he will be able to raise up and empower leaders for ministry. The candidate will be passionately evangelistic, displaying a deep desire for others to come to faith in Jesus.

ESSENTIAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- Serve as a member of the clergy staff for ministry to the whole church
- Identify ways for Holy Cross to serve the community in meaningful outreach/evangelism ministry
- Lead and develop teams for outreach/evangelism
- Provide pastoral care within the congregation
- Intentionally connect with non-Christians outside of the congregation with the intention of reaching those who are "near to us but far from Jesus"
- Preach as a part of the staff rotation
- Lead the liturgy as assigned (including Sunday mornings, special services, etc.)
- Prayerfully identify and cast vision for where God is calling us to plant a new campus
- Under the direction of and with the approval of the Dean, begin the process of planting a new campus and serve as the campus pastor.

EDUCATION AND WORK-RELATED EXPERIENCE

- M.Div. or other appropriate theological training required
- Must be an ordained male priest or transitional deacon in the ACNA. Candidates coming from another Christian denomination would need to transfer into the Anglican Church in North America (ACNA) in order to fill this position.
- Must demonstrate successful prior pastoral ministry (as lay or clergy)

COMPENSATION

This is a full-time clergy position. Compensation will be commensurate with experience. Salary range available upon request. A portion of the compensation package (exact amount TBD, but approximately \$10,000/year) will need to be fundraised by the Director/Planter.

HOW TO APPLY

Interested candidates should email the following information to employment@hcanglican.org.

- Resume
- Family information (Please note that we fully affirm and value both godly marriage and godly singleness. We just want to get to know the candidates.)
- Three references, preferably from past employers and/or spiritual leaders (note: not from close friends or family members)
- Links to two or three sermon samples
- 3-5 page (double-spaced) Spiritual Autobiography
- A brief answer to the following: "As you look into this Director of Outreach/Campus Planter position and Holy Cross Cathedral, what is especially appealing to you? What is it that most connects with you that leads you to desire to apply for this position?"

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