

## **Senior Minister Position Announcement**

Countryside Christian Church, Pittsburg, Kansas, is seeking a person to serve as Senior Minister who has at least three continuous years of successful experience as a senior minister, who can lead and support a very competent ministerial staff consisting of an associate minister, a youth minister, and two half-time co-directors of children's ministries. In addition to being biblically literate and doctrinally sound, the ideal candidate will have a strong commitment to ministry; strong leadership, effective communication and interpersonal skills; the ability to work effectively in team situations; and effective organizational and administrative skills. He must also have a strong commitment to personal growth and godliness and be able to serve as a role model and provide support to members of the congregation in their ministries. He will be a people person with a pastoral heart.

Countryside Christian ([www.cccpitt.org](http://www.cccpitt.org)) is a thriving church, averaging approximately 400 per week in attendance, with an involved membership and an active outreach to the Pittsburg area. Countryside provides generous support to a variety of missions, hosts a Christian pre-school and elementary school, and sponsors a campus ministry at Pittsburg State University that includes a thriving outreach to international students.

Pittsburg, with a population of approximately 20,000, and home to Pittsburg State University, is a great place to raise a family. Pittsburg is located in southeast Kansas approximately 25 miles from Ozark Christian College in Joplin, Missouri.

In addition to a resume including curricular and personal vitae, an applicant should submit a list of references, a one or two page statement of personal faith, and a one or two page statement of his philosophy of ministry. Electronic submissions in Word or pdf format are welcome.

Discrete inquiries may be made of persons familiar with the applicant unless confidentiality is specifically requested. Otherwise, applications will be held confidential and references will not be contacted without prior permission from the applicant.

Please address applications or inquiries to:

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