

Connections Pastor Overview

The Preface

Oceanside Community Church is looking for a full-time Connections Pastor. Oceanside is a revitalized church in beautiful Parksville, BC (Vancouver Island) that has more than quadrupled in size over the last five years and continues to grow. As such, we have transitioned over a few short years from a solo pastorate with a single service to a multi-staff and multi-service setup. Watch a brief version of our story <u>here</u>. Our existing ministry team consists of five pastors (three full-time), an admin assistant, and an unpaid ministry volunteer.

Please browse our website and <u>read</u> our **vision**, **mission**, **and core values** in order to better understand who we are, who God is calling us to be, and whether you might be a good fit.

The Position

In a nutshell, the Connections Pastor will be the primary catalyst to creatively and intentionally *connect* people in and to the life of the church in a myriad of ways. The Connections Pastor will provide oversight to three main ministries: welcome & hospitality, administration & support to the lead pastors, and community outreach. Other key areas of contribution will depend on the candidate's gifts and our future hiring. Please ask for a detailed job description for more info.

The Person

We are looking for a person deeply devoted to Jesus, His Church, and His welcoming and hospitable heart. The candidate should be highly relational and administratively gifted. She/he should have significant skills in communication (written and verbal), organization, project management, volunteer recruitment, and dealing with crisis and problem solving.

The Process

If interested, please contact us for a full job description. To apply, please send (in one document):

- 1) Cover letter explaining your interest and what specifically attracts you to this position
- 2) A resumé/CV with at least 3 relevant references, including a ministry supervisor
- 3) Video links to a message or any other ministry content
- 4) Send all info in <u>one attachment</u> to joseph@oceansidecc.ca and hannah@oceansidecc.ca.

(Receipt of application will be acknowledged; however, only those being considered will receive follow-up. Position is available immediately. Closing date is flexible, but we hope to hire by Sept. 1, 2024 at latest.)

Salary for this position will be between \$42,000-\$56,000 depending on experience, education, etc.