

Tisdale Alliance Church (TAC) is looking for full time (40 hours/week) Associate Pastor. This pastor will be a part of the “Church Leadership Team” and will oversee the church ministries of children’s & family ministries, discipleship, Bible study and teaching, and co-overseeing other various ministries (i.e. Hospitality, leadership development, etc.) Along with the elders and staff, this pastor will share in preaching. This pastor will work along side the Elders and staff of TAC to accomplish its vision of “Abiding in Christ and Revealing His Life.”

The Holy Spirit and prayer are foundational to our function and direction as a body. We focus on discipleship, fellowship, and growth towards wholeness in Christ. One of the tools we strongly encourage as a part of the sanctification journey is Soul Care, where we deal with past wounds and baggage and step into greater freedom in Christ.

TAC is a sincere group of believers with a healthy mix of everything from young adults to retirees and lots of families in the middle. There are many little ones running around and we love to embrace every member of the family in every stage, which makes for a lively household at times! We average about 80 people on a Sunday morning and we are growing more expressive with a freedom to worship God through raising of hands, sharing of spiritual journeys and use of recent worship music with a mix of older songs. There is a high value placed on prayer and a significant part of the morning service is devoted to sharing and praying for one another as a body. We place a very high importance on having coffee and snacks on Sunday mornings, to encourage fellowship before and after the service.

We have a great building with a sanctuary for services, gym for activities and gatherings (we have LOTS of potlucks), kitchens, and several offices and smaller meeting rooms.

Presently, we have a part-time administrative assistant and an Associate Pastor on staff. Our Associate Pastor’s primary focus is youth and community outreach, though he fills in other areas and has been doing even more without a pastoral team around him. A part of our functioning and vision is building a collaborative work among the staff where gifts, interests and passions are used to greater effect in ministering to the body. This may include: a team of pastors with divided responsibilities but equal voice in the leading of the church; more active engagement of the Board of Elders contributing to the vision, life and ministry of the church; and, chairman of the board to be elected from the elders.

TAC believes and is striving for a stronger collaborative model of ministry. This is based on Ephesians 4 where Paul directs the church to have each part do its work in building itself up in love. As our current associate is gifted in shepherding and evangelism, we are looking for someone to complement him in apostolic, prophetic and teaching giftings.

Tisdale is a forward-looking rural community with a population of approximately 3500 residents. Our economy is largely influenced by agriculture. Tisdale is a short drive from a variety of lakes and parks, and 1.25 hour drive to the nearest large city center. The town features a multi-complex recreational center (including a hockey rink, curling rink, high school, library and auditorium), a multi-level seniors home, and a health-plex facility that encompasses a variety of health services. For more information please visit the Town of Tisdale website at www.tisdale.ca.

Applicants must be a Canadian citizen or a Landed immigrant already approved to work in Canada. All services and ministries are done in English. All applicants would need to be approved and licensed by the Canadian Midwest District of the Alliance Canada.

A review of the position would be conducted after 90 days and yearly thereafter.

To apply or request a full description for this position, write a letter of interest to Tacpastoralsearch@gmail.com along with a Curriculum Vitae. **All inquiries and correspondence must be done through this email.** All applicants must be prepared to supply at least three references, a copy of licensing from Alliance Canada, and a video or link to a recording of a recent sermon they have given.

To find out more about our beliefs as a member of The Christian and Missionary Alliance, check out our church webpage; www.tisdallealliancechurch.org or www.canadianmidwest.ca (Canadian Midwest District of the C&MA Canada)

Closing date: August 31, 2023

Anticipated start date: January 1, 2024 (or earlier)