

Job Description Lead Pastor Life Church Golborne

The Church Context:

Life Church Golborne is a well established church community based in the North West of England. The community is made up of 40 adults and children and has its own building on Golborne High Street. Life Church Golborne is an Assemblies of God Church and is a registered charity. Life Church Golborne has strong relational links with a network of churches in close proximity called Life Church Warrington. See www.lifewarrington.com for information.

Applicants for this position of lead pastor should be able to demonstrate experience of leading as part of a team in a local church context. Applicants should also have completed some form of theological or christian leadership training.

Job Title:

Lead Pastor

Reports to:

The Trustees

Job Purpose:

To lead Life Church Golborne

Salary:

£25,000 full time - initial one year contract

Duties & Responsibilities:

The lead Pastor is responsible for leading Sunday services, managing pastoral care, coordinating ministries, developing leaders, and promoting mission. They will also collaborate and connect with the wider Life Church Warrington leadership.

Specifically, the Lead Pastor will:

- Lead the Life Church Golborne congregation. They will champion and develop the vision, values, and ministry of Life Church Golborne. They will cast vision, affirm values, and adopt best ministry practice.
- Lead the local pastoral team, by implementing regular team meetings and one-to-one support.
- Develop ministry and leadership within the church community. • Serve as the line-manager for local staff and volunteers.
- Oversee management of church budget.
- Ensure governance and safeguarding policies and procedures are adhered to.
- Be visibly present and engaged in developing a culture of pastoral care.
- Promote good governance in the organisation. The Lead Pastor will be the Chair of Trustees for Life Church Golborne.

- Ensure that local assets (including buildings) are suitably maintained.

Other Expectations:

- Preach regularly.
- Enthusiastically embrace and embody the culture of Life Church Golborne.
- Commit to one's ongoing personal discipleship and leadership development.
- Utilise and develop existing administration and management systems.
- Complete a successful enhanced DBS application.
- Complete and engage in the annual staff review process.
- Applicants will need to be willing to apply for AoG ministerial status if they take up this position..
- Be a practicing Christian (occupational requirement under part 1 of schedule 9 to the Equality Act 2010).

For more information about this post or to request an application pack please email office@lifewarrington.com

Closing date for applications

15th August 2021