



# The Village Church

## THE OPPORTUNITY

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The Village Church Southlake's mission is: Love God. Love All People. Make Disciples Everywhere. Under the leadership of teaching pastor, Matt Chandler, TVC has seen tremendous growth as they have launched into multiple campuses and transitioned many into fully autonomous churches. In 2016, they launched their sixth campus in Southlake, TX, a suburb of Dallas/Fort Worth. Since that time, The Village Church Southlake has grown to over 600 in attendance with 175 children and a dynamic staff team. In church life and ministry, Southlake is committed to gospel centrality. They are now looking for a teaching pastor, with a passion and clear giftedness in gospel-centered preaching, to help lead the campus toward becoming a fully autonomous local church.

## THE COMMUNITY

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Southlake, TX, located just minutes from DFW airport, is a fairly affluent community known for its large shopping center (one of the most popular in the Metroplex), several restaurants and businesses. Since the completion of the airport in the 1970s, Southlake has seen an incredible amount of growth, going from a rural community to a thriving suburb. While nearly 40% of the population may identify as Christian, Southlake can still prove to be a challenging place to share the gospel with those whose physical needs are met in abundance. However, the community at TVC Southlake is comprised of members from varying socio-economic backgrounds as many also live outside of the immediate vicinity. In short, there is a rich opportunity to be a gospel presence in this influential and growing suburb, as well as to the greater DFW area.

## THE CANDIDATE

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The Village Church Southlake is looking for a full-time Teaching Pastor who will report to the campus elders and will:

- Collaborate with elders and executive staff to develop vision, direction, and oversight for the campus
- Provide leadership and direction for preaching at the campus
- Oversee execution of weekend services
- Be spiritually, physically and intellectually prepared to preach 40 times per year
- Collaborate with elders and staff to develop and execute a comprehensive discipleship strategy for the campus
- Lead the campus toward becoming an autonomous local church as a campus elder and the primary preaching voice at the campus

## THE QUALIFICATIONS

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- Agree with The Village Church's [Statement of Faith](#) and commit to exhibiting a lifestyle that is consistent with the same
- High regard and competency for the faithful expository preaching of the Word
- Bachelor's degree required
- Master's degree preferred
- 10+ years of ministerial leadership experience preferred
- Deep knowledge of and training in biblical theology, philosophy and practice of ministry
- Ability to communicate effectively (verbal and written) and think strategically
- Proficient in administrative systems (Church Management System, Google Drive, etc.)
- Ability to make decisions, problem-solve, team build, manage conflict, work well on a team and raise up leaders
- Self-starter, good time management, flexible and adaptable