



OPPORTUNITY SNAPSHOT

Pastor of World Outreach
Valley Community Baptist Church

Overview

Valley Community Baptist Church (valleycommunity.cc) in Avon, CT is excited and eager to call an experienced, passionate and energized Pastor of World Outreach to join their community, lead the global and local outreach ministries, inspire engagement and maximize their efforts in reaching people for Jesus.

The Big Idea



Valley is in an exciting season as it aims to fully reengage its missions and outreach ministries following the pandemic. It is focusing its efforts in equipping and engaging the body for greater outreach to the world. The vision at Valley is "to build a community of believers who actively impact our world for Christ." The mission is "to honor God and grow in Christ by worshipping God, equipping believers, bringing people to Christ, and serving neighbors." This vision and mission are part of every ministry at Valley, but the World Outreach ministry may have the largest platform to execute and accomplish it. With hundreds of global and local serving opportunities while supporting over 40 missionaries across the globe, there are myriad ways for congregants to get out, go serve, and share the life-changing message of Jesus. Leadership at Valley values and champions outreach, and is looking to this next leader to set the tone and bring the World Outreach ministry into a new season with even greater impact. People are connecting with the vision in new ways, and the congregation is energized to learn how they can have more of an impact in their community and around the world.

The Church



Affiliation: [Converge](#)

Attendance: 1,000+

About: Valley is warm and welcoming, with Saturday evening and Sunday morning worship services. Valley has a strong reputation for disciple making and disciple multiplying, global missions and outreach, and the faithful teaching of God's Word. Blessed with a departmental budget of \$950K, the Pastor of World Outreach will bring leadership to global outreach, speak into hiring a Local Outreach Director, and lead the World Outreach Committee, which functions collaboratively to help guide, shape and support the outreach ministry. Full-time administrative support is provided for this position. Valley adheres to an elder-led form of governance.

The Candidate



Passionate about reaching people with the Gospel of Jesus Christ, the right pastor will cast a compelling vision, relationally engage, personally motivate, collectively inspire, and move the ministry forward into its preferred future. Valley desires a leader experienced in world outreach and missiology, and is energized by joining a healthy church and maximizing an already strong ministry. With an ability to assess and measure while collaboratively working with a team, the ideal candidate will identify potential, equip and empower others, and place them into their "sweet spot" of service. Relationally driven and humbly confident, this pastor will clearly communicate outreach ministry values and inspire the congregation to greater involvement with outreach opportunities. Possessing an eye for innovation, the incoming pastor will have the opportunity to learn the current landscape, evaluate current initiatives, and cast vision for the future.

The Location



Avon, CT is a charming New England bedroom community located just west of Hartford. Strategically located between New York and Boston, Valley has access to large metropolitan areas and directly ministers to the greater Farmington Valley, which encompasses several interconnected communities. With quality education options, fantastic neighborhoods, and an appreciation for the beauty of all four seasons, the Avon area is an exceptional place to live, work, and play.

The Qualifications



Must be a born-again Christian, committed to maturing in one's walk with Jesus Christ, and in alignment with Valley's doctrinal statement. Bachelor's degree required; relevant master's degree a strong plus. Pastorally ordained or ordainable. A clear passion for and knowledge of missions and reaching people with the Gospel. Seven years' experience minimum leading in a church or ministry; experience supervising and equipping paid staff and volunteers. Evidenced understanding and experience in budget management and its strategic distribution. Highly relational and approachable; spiritually mature and emotionally intelligent. Exceptional communication and organizational skills. Expectation of international and domestic travel.

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