

Questions For Preacher Applicants

Please answer the following questions and send along with your cover letter and resume.

1. How does a person become and remain saved and heaven bound today?
2. Does Bible silence permit or forbid?
3. Must we have Biblical authority for everything we do including the worship service?
4. What is the role of the preacher when a congregation has elders? Is without elders?
5. What is the church's role in benevolence, and what scriptures govern this role?
6. Explain your background/experiences in counseling others, and do you see that as one of your strengths?
7. What do you feel is the best way to keep an awareness of the congregation's growth, concerns, welfare, when there are no elders?
8. What is the role of women in the church?
9. Do you believe it is sinful to use instrumental music in worshipping God?
10. What might you see as effective methods for evangelism and community outreach?
11. Do you believe the law of Christ is universal and every person accountable to it?
12. What is the church? Where and when did it start? Does one have to be in the church to be saved?
13. Is the Bible inspired? What is your view of inspiration?
14. What is the pattern for Christian worship?
15. Under what conditions may person divorce and marry another with God' approval?
16. Describe a situation where you had to resolve conflict.
17. Describe liberalism. Describe anti-ism. How would you resolve doctrinal conflicts in a congregation?
18. What is your understanding of the Biblical account of creation. Do you believe God created the world in six literal days?
19. What is your understanding of the thousand year reign of Christ in the book of Revelation?
20. In your opinion, what are the greatest problems facing the church today?