

Church Leadership Connection
The Call System for the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

Mif #: 05467.AD1

Ministry General Information

Ministry Number	05467
Ministry Name	Union Presbyterian Church
Mailing Address	656 Route 380 Murrysville, PA 15668
Phone	724-337-3042
Fax	
E-Mail	PNC@unionpresbychurch.com
WWW Address	www.unionpresbychurch.com
Ministry Size	101 - 250 members
Ethnic Composition	
	White 100%

Average Worship Attendance	50
Church School Attendance	18
Curriculum	What's in the Bible, Heaven, and other short studies
Yoked	False
Presbytery	REDSTONE PRESBYTERY
Synod	SYNOD OF THE TRINITY
Community Type	Rural
Ten-year trend statistics of this church/organization Show Statistics	

Information about the position

Position:	Solo Pastor
Experience Required:	No Experience
Specific Title:	
Employment Status:	Full-time

Language Requirements:	
	English

Other Language:	
Statement of Faith Required:	True
Clergy Couples:	True

Training/Certificate Requirements:	
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Other Training:	
Brief Church Mission Statement:	

To love and serve our Lord Jesus Christ and to make him known to the world.

What is the congregation's or organization's vision for ministry:

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We at Union Presbyterian strive to share God's Word with people surrounding us so they may experience the love, peace and joy of Jesus Christ. We seek to support people with compassion in times of pain or need and celebrate with them in times of happiness. Through our missions and events, we involve all ages in opportunities to fellowship with each other through our Lord, Jesus Christ.

How do you feel called to reach out to address the emerging needs of your community or constituency:

One of the emerging needs of our community is the combating of diseases of despair. We are looking for ways to add an additional service to make the church more accessible to others. We are pursuing avenues to bring young people into the church and also older people through activities like bowling league and day trips to various places. Through our property we are fortunate to be able to host many activities for our church and our community. During the pandemic we formed a Reach Out committee that made sure people were doing OK, and then at Christmas presented the Christmas Story drive-through to show the community to have faith and to worship during dire times. Our Church Life, Worship, Security, Personnel, and Property Committees all seriously wrap their voluntary tasks with individual commitment to achieve the great rewards of our Father through their service to Union Church.

How will this position help you to reach your vision and mission goals:

The role of the pastor will be to plan engaging biblical worship. They will be expected to collaborate with all church committees and be active in all aspects of church life. We expect our Pastor to learn the needs of the congregation and our community and can help us adapt to meet the needs of all. We also ask that our Pastor provide an action list of their hopes and dreams so that they may feel valued all the time. It's so easy for people to forget that the Pastor has needs just like everyone else, and we want to be there to fulfill them.

Provide a description of the characteristics needed by the person who is open to being called to this congregation and or organization:

- **Communicator**
- **Be enthusiastically involved with church committees**
- **Vision for future stability of our church**
- **Provide counselling**
- **Provide Peace through prayer**
- **Willing to be present for all**
- **Personable**
- **Have excitement**
- **Good stewardship**
- **Meaningful rituals (communion, weddings, etc.)**

What specific tasks, assignments, and program areas will this person have responsibility?

- **The new pastor will need to help us reach our vision and mission goals by planning engaging biblical worship**
- **We need someone who is familiar with technology and not afraid to try new things.**
- **Pastor enthusiastically involved with the leaders of the church committees and knowing the Book of Order to provide correct information to resolve questions.**
- **Provide dependable, passionate counselling for individual church members whether young or older members to lift spirits and provide a path for peace through prayer and fellowship.**
- **Bring the bible to life for everyone, young and old. Enjoy teaching the way of the Lord.**
- **Assist our Sunday School and Youth Group programs to help guide us in teaching the children the Word of the Lord.**

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Optional Links:

Executive Insight Form

<https://1drv.ms/b/s!AksOI3q7KXXKsumw9Xs-ROmJN5BkZ?e=Srb5CL>

Ministry Insight Priorities

<https://1drv.ms/b/s!AksOI3q7KXXKsum1K2Z1oJIGPVfBH?e=xWPwyy>

Leadership Competencies:

Compassionate

Preaching and Worship Leadership

Spiritual Maturity

Communicator

Public Communicator

Technologically Savvy

Organizational Agility

Strategy and Vision

Motivator

Flexibility

Compensation and Housing: Cost of Living Calculator

Minimum Effective Salary: \$49,480

Housing Type: Open to Manse/Housing Allowance

References:

Name	Address	Phone Numbers	Relation	Email
Lisa M Dormire	226 Franklin Ave. Vandergrift, PA 15690	412-496-6779	Pastor in Redstone Presbytery	ldormire@redstonehighlands.org
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Has the Pastor Nominating Committee and Search committee affirmed its intention to follow the Form Of Government in this regard?

Yes

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