

The Kennewick Church of Christ is Looking for a Full-Time Gospel Preacher

About Us

The **Kennewick Church of Christ** is a close-knit, Christ-centered congregation of about **60–70 members**, located in Kennewick, Washington. We are committed to following the New Testament pattern in doctrine, worship, and daily living. While we currently do not have elders, we are committed to following the biblical pattern for church leadership and are actively striving to develop and encourage qualified men to serve in that role in the future. Our aim is to glorify God, grow in grace and knowledge, and reach the lost with the gospel of Christ.

We come from various walks of life, but we are united in our love for God's Word and our desire to serve one another. With an active youth group and members across all age ranges, we are praying for a preacher who will labor alongside us—teaching sound doctrine, strengthening the church, and helping us grow in both spirit and number.

What We're Looking For

We are seeking a **full-time gospel preacher** who will:

- Preach **twice each Sunday** (morning and evening)
 - Teach **at least one Bible class weekly** (Sunday or Wednesday)
 - Stand firmly on the **authority of Scripture** and the pattern of sound doctrine
 - Encourage and equip the saints for spiritual growth and faithful living
 - May be asked to consider performing weddings, funerals, and other special services as needed
 - Assist with **youth group activities** as a secondary role, when able
 - Show a spirit of humility, love, and conviction in service and leadership
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What We Offer

- An **unfurnished parsonage** near the church building, equipped with **major appliances**.
 - The house has three (3) bedrooms and two (2) bathrooms with a privacy fence around the backyard. More information on the parsonage can be provided when applying for the position.
 - **Utilities paid** by the church EXCEPT cable, phone, or internet.
 - **Compensation/benefits based on experience and personal/family needs**
 - A dedicated preacher's office located at the church building
 - Office hours are negotiable based on ministry needs and personal schedule
 - A loving, supportive congregation with room to grow
 - A wonderful community in the **Tri-Cities region** of Washington, with excellent schools, outdoor recreation, and evangelistic opportunities
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How to Apply

If you're ready to teach the truth, serve the church, and make a lasting impact in the Lord's kingdom **here in the Pacific Northwest**, we encourage you to apply. This region offers not only natural beauty and a great place to raise a family—but also a unique opportunity to labor in a **mission field** where sound preaching and biblical teaching are greatly needed.

 **Please send the following:**

- A **résumé**
- A list of **references**
- Copies or Links to **recent sermons or lessons**

To:

Kennewick Church of Christ

3926 W. Kennewick Ave.

Kennewick, WA 99336

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We are reviewing applications as they come in. Reach out today—we look forward to hearing from you!

A Note from the Current Minister

To any brother considering the work here,

I have had the privilege of serving as the minister for the Kennewick Church of Christ since the fall of 2021, and I truly cannot recommend this congregation highly enough. From the very beginning, they welcomed me with open arms, and over time, they have become more than just fellow Christians — they have become family.

One of the things that has most impressed me is their overwhelming hospitality and the genuine care they have for one another. Needs do not go unmet here. Whether it's a physical, spiritual, or emotional burden, this congregation consistently rises to the occasion to support and serve. It is a beautiful and humbling thing to witness.

In addition, their deep desire to grow in the knowledge of God's word is inspiring. These are people who don't just attend — they engage. They want to understand the truth and apply it faithfully. As a preacher, it has been a true joy to teach and labor among people who value the Scriptures and want to be challenged by them.

I want to emphasize that my decision to step away from this role is not due to any conflict or strife within the congregation. On the contrary, if circumstances were different, I would gladly continue working with this church. However, I have been presented with a unique opportunity to serve the kingdom as a whole through mission work and the training of future preachers. After much prayer and reflection, I have chosen to pursue that path.

This congregation has become home to me, and I believe it can become that for someone else as well. If you're a man who desires to preach the word, serve the church, and grow alongside faithful Christians in a mission-minded field, I strongly encourage you to give this opportunity serious prayer and consideration.

In Christ,

Casey Rice

Current Minister, Kennewick Church of Christ