

## Missions Pastor

The role of the Missions Pastor is to serve and strengthen the local church and to be an extension of its missions endeavors.

### **Job description for Missions Pastor**

- To accomplish the desire and goal of MCBC in fulfilling the Great Commission by providing leadership over the global efforts of our church.
- To work within Medora encouraging the revival of commitment and consecration to Christ in reconciling lost people to God, maturing the believers, and in the establishment of local churches through evangelism and discipleship for the glory of God.
- Motivating, equipping, mobilizing and directing the Medora Church to the global reaching aims of Christ by reproducing local churches.
- To enable MCBC to provide an example/model for other churches so that they see themselves as God's missions agency to the world and to take on their responsibility given by Jesus Christ.
- To lead our missions board and to help our church board with purpose and direction.

### **Some of the Responsibilities/Duties of the Missions Pastor:**

- Be available to help other churches in missions
- Build a global missions perspective
- Challenge, motivate, and recruit others for involvement in missions
- Continually raise the value of missions within the church to increase financial, prayer, and personal commitment.

- Coordinate and integrate missions education throughout all church ministries and age groups.
- Develop and administer our annual missions budget through our Missions Board
- Develop prayer support for missionaries, peoples, and their needs.
- Develop short- and long-range goals for missions.
- Encourage new ideas and ministries that will stimulate the missions vision of the church.
- Ensure active communication between missionaries and the church.
- Evaluate the missions ministry and missions outreach of the church.
- Facilitate missions projects and short-term mission trips.
- Guide the long range planning of the church missions program.
- Identify, develop, and counsel potential pastors, missionaries, etc., in the church.
- Lead in the implementation of missions strategy for the church.
- Lead in the planning, organizing and implementation of missions activities and events.
- Organize the details of training and sending our families.
- Oversee the execution of the goals and plans of the mission team.
- Provide for assimilation of home assignment missionaries into the life of the congregation.
- Provide oversight and pastoral care for church supported missionaries.
- Recruit, train, and mobilize lay leaders for involvement in missions
- Serve as a member of the pastoral team.
- Serve as liaison between the missions department and other staff, committees, and boards.
- Stay abreast of and evaluate trends affecting missions and the local church.
- Support and build the philosophy of missions in the church.
- Teach and preach on missions.

- To assist the church in building a strong, local church mission program
- To assist the Missions Committee in carrying out details.
- To assist in planning of mission Sundays, conferences, etc.
- To carry out the charge of Christ as developed in our Missions Handbook
- To encourage and come alongside our regional pastors and their churches.
- To ensure what is being reproduced is biblical.
- To help change the mental attitude of the American Church
- To personally grow in the field of missions through ongoing education
- To oversee and train our international pastors and church plants.
- Travel to mission fields, endeavoring to preach, teach, and help our missionaries, pastors, and churches.
- Working with all our missionaries and missions endeavors to develop reproducing churches.

Seek to build a growing bond between our body and our Mission partners. Use the following means to help bring this about:

- Featured missionary each week in our bulletin and prayer sheet
- Provide material and updates for the Missionary Web Page
- Write articles or provide missionary information