

LIBERTYVILLE COVENANT CHURCH

250 S. St. Mary's Road (Corner of Route 176 and St. Mary's Road) Libertyville, Illinois 60048

September 30, 2015

Dear members and friends of Libertyville Covenant Church,

It is with great excitement that we announce that we have a candidate for the Associate Pastor to Youth position at Libertyville Covenant Church! After much prayer, discussion and careful consideration, the committee overwhelmingly voted to recommend an individual for this position on September 3, 2015.

Over the past seven months, the Search Committee has met regularly and worked through 32 candidate profiles. The committee reached out to six candidates to schedule interviews. Of those six, three individuals accepted and were interviewed via Google Hangouts at the end of July. The final two of these were then brought in and sat for in-person interviews with the Search Committee.

Custom dictates that, due to the confidential nature of the call process, we announce the name of our candidate the week before the candidating weekend, which will be October 17-18. This weekend will allow time for members and friends to meet and talk with the candidate.

The schedule for the weekend follows:

Saturday, Oct. 17, 5pm

A dinner is planned for all parents of our Middle and High School youth to meet with the candidate and Search Committee. We will meet at Dave and Darilyn Anderson's house. Please RSVP to Anderson's or the church office so we can plan the meal accordingly.

Sunday, Oct. 18

9:15 - 10:15am

We will open up the adult Sunday school hour to the congregation for a question and answer time with the candidate. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

10:30 - 11:45am

During our regular worship service, our candidate will preach since this will be part of their duty as our Associate Pastor to Youth.

5:00 - 7:00pm

Members of the Search Committee will provide dinner and meet with our High School youth to hear their input and guestions about our new candidate.

We want to express our gratitude to you for your prayers and patience during the last seven months and ask that you continue to pray for our church and for our candidate during the next steps of the process.

John Christian and Niki Papak, Co-chairs Darilyn Anderson, Christine Cederberg, Ken Greenfield, Kate Reilly, Steve Leach, Pastor Steve Larson, Colleen Sparks

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