Position Title: Pastoral Assistant

Reports To: Senior Pastor

Church: First Baptist Church of Monterey

Location: Monterey, California

Position Type: Part-Time (30 hours per week)

Church Website: www.fbcmonterey.org

Job Summary:

First Baptist Church of Monterey is seeking a passionate and dynamic **Pastoral Assistant** to lead and support key ministries that connect people to Christ and His Church. This role will oversee our **music ministry**, **media and communications**, and **ministry outreach to college students**, **military personnel**, **and young adults in the workforce**. The ideal candidate is spiritually mature, creative, tech-savvy, and has a heart for discipleship and community engagement.

Primary Responsibilities:

1. Music & Worship Leadership

- Plan and lead weekly worship services in collaboration with the Senior Pastor.
- Oversee the worship team, including musicians, vocalists, and audio/visual volunteers.
- Select Christ-centered, theologically sound music that engages the congregation in meaningful worship.

2. Media & Communications

- Manage church media, including video production, social media, and the church website.
- Develop and maintain a consistent, Christ-honoring communication strategy for church events and ministries.
- Create graphics, slides, and promotional materials for services and outreach.
- Train and oversee volunteers in media and tech roles.

3. College, Military, & Career Ministry

- Build and lead ministry programs for college students (CSUMB, Monterey Peninsula College) and military personnel (Defense Language Institute).
- Develop small groups, Bible studies, fellowship events, and outreach strategies tailored to these unique communities.

Qualifications:

- Must be a spiritually mature believer who meets the biblical qualifications of a deacon (1 Timothy 3:8–13) and lives a life that reflects Christlike character and servant leadership.
- Agreement with the beliefs and mission of First Baptist Church of Monterey.
- A committed follower of Jesus Christ with a growing relationship and a heart for serving others.
- Experience in worship leading, media production, and ministry leadership.
- Strong communication, organizational, and interpersonal skills.
- Musical proficiency (vocals and/or instruments, especially guitar).
- Tech-savvy and familiar with tools like ProPresenter, church management software, video editing software, and social media platforms.
- Bachelor's degree required. Seminary education completed, in process, or of interest preferred.

Compensation & Benefits:

- 30 hours per week | \$20 per hour
- Housing provided in Monterey, CA
- Ministry and leadership development opportunities

How to Apply:

Please send your **resume**, **cover letter**, **philosophy of worship**, and **top three favorite songs/teams/artists** in a single PDF to josh@fbcmonterey.org with the subject "Pastoral Assistant Application."