

## Pastor Search, First Baptist Church Crossnore, NC

First Baptist Church Crossnore is prayerfully seeking applications for the position of full-time Senior Pastor.

Church Profile: FBCC is a member of the Avery Baptist Association, the NC Baptist Convention, and the Southern Baptist Convention. FBCC is located in Crossnore, NC in Avery County. Avery County is located in the mountains of Western North Carolina. It is the home of Grandfather Mountain, and the picturesque Linville Viaduct on the Blue Ridge Parkway. Crossnore is a small mountain community with an excellent local school system; Avery County Schools. FBCC current membership is composed of 300+ members and is seeking to grow. FBCC offers music, adult, youth, and children ministries. FBCC is focused on community outreach and missions to reach the unsaved locally and globally. For more church information please visit our website: [www.firstbaptistcrossnore.com](http://www.firstbaptistcrossnore.com)

### Senior Pastor Minimal Qualifications:

- Must meet the biblical standards for a pastor from 1 Timothy 3:(1-7)
- Must be a born again believer, baptized by submersion, ordained and called to the ministry by God.
- Married, Adult Male
- A servants heart
- Previous pastoral experience preferred
- Formal theological training preferred
- Scripture based and spiritually lead ministry
- Possess strong communication and organizational skills

### Senior Pastor Major Responsibilities:

- Preach the Word of God
- Prayerfully prepare and deliver weekly sermons for Sunday mornings. Bible studies and/or prayer meetings for Sunday evenings and Wednesday evenings.
- Pastoral care of the congregation for all ages
- Lead the Church in carrying out the great commission
- Must have relational skills and work with the deacons and other church leaders
- Oversee the administrative team, including all church staff and committees
- Actively work in church revitalization and community outreach
- Focus on youth and children's ministry

If you feel the Holy Spirit leading you to prayerfully consider the position of Senior Pastor at First Baptist Church Crossnore, please email the "Pastor Search Committee," [cfbsearch@gmail.com](mailto:cfbsearch@gmail.com), and include the following information so that we may have insight as we prayerfully seek God's will:

- A current resume including current and previous ministerial and pastoral experience.
- A testimony about your salvation experience, your baptism, and your call to the ministry of God.
- Please share your belief and understanding of the path to salvation through Jesus Christ.
- A statement about your preferred Bible translation (include others if you prefer more than one) and why you believe it to be the infallible Word of God.
- Anything you can share about your family.

**Deadline for submissions Tuesday, May 31, 2022**