



JupiterFIRST is dedicated to fostering a community that is diverse, spiritually connected, inclusive, biblically-literate, enthusiastic of both ancient and modern worship, overflowing with joy, and absolutely bursting at the seams with grace.

Believing that the church is at its best when it is radically Christ-centered:

We are open-armed.

We unashamedly welcome all into the life and love of our faith community without exception.

"Welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God." —Romans 15:7

We are open-hearted.

We commit to love extravagantly, allowing the joy and presence of Christ to permeate us and all with whom we come in contact.

"Your love for one another will prove to the world that you are my disciples." — John 13:35

We are open-minded.

We are willing to consider new ideas and see renewal in this response.

"Do not allow this world to mold you in its own image. Instead, be transformed from the inside out by renewing your mind." —Romans 12:2

We are open-handed.

We will play offense against oppression in the world, looking beyond the walls of our building to better our community and committing to be radically hands-on as the hands and feet of Christ.

"Anything you did for one of the least important of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." —Matthew 25:40

Position Title:

Minister of Spiritual Formation

Description:

The Minister of Spiritual Formation will champion the cultivation of a community that is increasingly missional, relational, and incarnational. She/he will work in concert with the Senior Minister to create a culture that encourages and enables the congregation to grow more fully into the people of God, develop a worldview rooted in Christ, and care for and about humankind. This position will also serve as a member of the Pastoral Team,

Responsibilities:

- By all possible means, teach the congregation how to be *with God* (rather than *doing for God*).
- Champion ancient and modern spiritual practices, working to creatively implement them at all ministry levels.
- Plan, coordinate, direct, and evaluate the educational and discipleship ministries of JupiterFIRST Church.
- Commensurate with experience, will give input or oversight to Next Generation ministries, including Children and Student Ministries.
- Develop mentoring relationships churchwide.
- Share pastoral responsibilities as needed.
- Preach and teach as needed.
- Potential additional areas of oversight as equipped.

Additional Information

Experience and Background: Bachelor required; Seminary preferred. 3+ years of direct ministry experience in a church context and management experience required. Must be ordained or able/willing to become ordained. Training as a Spiritual Director is encouraged.

Expectations: Christ-Follower, Cooperative, Loyal, Honest, Competent, Takes Initiative, Trustworthy.

Status: Full-time, exempt.

Accountability and Communication: This position reports directly to the Senior Minister and will serve as a member of the Pastoral Team.

Application Information: Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Email cover letter, resume, teaching sample link, and references to: *employment@jupiterfirstchurch.org*.

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