

## **North Fort Myers Presbyterian Church**

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**Pastor: Dann Cecil**

### **Some Components of the Profile of Our Ideal Candidate for Assistant Pastor:**

- Our ideal candidate will be convinced of a "means of grace" ministry centered upon Word, sacraments, and prayer.
- He will hold to sola scripture – the Word of God being central in the life of the church.
- He will view preaching and teaching the Word as the focal point in evangelism, discipleship, and sanctification in the life of the congregation.
- He will have a high view of the "means of grace" including sacraments, prayer, discipline, and fellowship.
- He will be well grounded in English bible.
- He will have a strong background in and commitment to the original languages of Hebrew and Greek.
- He will be able to comfortably and effectively utilize original language word studies in the process of his teaching ministry.
- He will be gifted in teaching and discipling God's people.
- He will be personally convinced of full Confessional subscription to the Westminster Confession of Faith along with the Larger and Shorter Catechisms as being faithful to the teaching and doctrine of scripture.
- He will be pastorally focused on shepherding the flock in a sensitive, loving, and gentle manner.
- He will possess a high view of worship as primary and central in the life of the church.
- He will see worship as God-centered, and he will hold to the "Regulative Principle" of worship, i.e. all worship is regulated by God's Word.
- He will view worship as Word-centered in the regular reading of Old Testament and New Testament passages.
- He will have the conviction that preaching should be primarily exegetical and expositional along with occasional topical and doctrinal sermons.
- He will hold to a high view of the Sabbath as God's pattern for the life of His people.
- He will exhibit a robust personal devotional life, including regular bible reading, prayer, and family devotions.
- He will lead his family to participate in consistent, regular corporate worship.