



# GOOD SHEPHERD

EPISCOPAL CHURCH & SCHOOL

TEQUESTA, FLORIDA

**Position:** Associate Rector

## Ministry Context

We have a place for you at Good Shepherd Episcopal Church and School! Located in booming northern Palm Beach County, Good Shepherd is poised to be a spiritual home for the next generation. Rooted in a Christ-centered ethos of hospitality, our transitional-sized parish is eager to grow into a robust hub of worship, formation, and service while keeping relationships at the heart of who we are. The school, serving Pre-K through 5th grade, is an integral part of the pastoral and liturgical life of the clergy.

## Position Description

Good Shepherd Episcopal Church is seeking a dynamic and compassionate Associate Rector to join our team. The Associate Rector will share with the Rector in all aspects of parish and school ministry, including pastoral care, worship leadership, preaching, teaching, administration, and charitable service. Opportunities for creative initiatives will be welcomed and supported by the community, especially those undertaken with an entrepreneurial spirit.

## General Duties

- Celebrate and preach regularly at liturgical services
- Lead school Chapel services regularly
- Develop and lead formation programming for all ages
- Engage parishioners in charitable service to the wider community and region
- Share pastoral care duties including parishioner visitation
- Participate in staff, leadership, and ministry meetings

## Specific Areas of Responsibility

- Develop initiatives that reach those on the margins of our typical church community
- Excite and deepen engagement with those who are new
- Spark creative ways of meeting the needs of people
- Organize and motivate various teams of people to build God's kingdom

## **Qualifications**

- Deep spiritual core rooted in the love of Jesus Christ
- Ordained Episcopal priest (or ordination within six months)
- Strong preaching, pastoral, and ministerial instincts
- Teambuilder who loves people
- Excellent communication and organizational skills

## **Compensation**

- Follows all diocesan guidelines regarding clergy compensation
- Stipend commensurate with experience
- Parsonage with pool; Home equity allowance
- Family health, dental and vision insurances
- Paid professional development

## **Interested Applicants**

Submit a resume, cover letter, and three references to the Rev. Dr. Sanford Groff – [sgroff@goodsheponline.org](mailto:sgroff@goodsheponline.org)

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