Mattons Grove Methodist Church is prayerfully seeking a pastor to walk alongside us in faith—someone who loves God, loves people, and is passionate about sharing the message of Jesus Christ through both word and action. We are looking for a pastor whose faith is grounded in Wesleyan theology, and who will help guide us as we grow in our walk with Christ.

## **Pastor Position Description**

Mattons Grove Methodist Church – Gold Hill, NC

Mattons Grove Methodist Church is a warm and welcoming congregation located in a beautiful rural setting in the North Stanly area of Stanly County. Our church family is diverse, with members and visitors ranging in age from 1 to 85. We average around 70 in weekly worship attendance and are blessed with a vibrant community spirit.

We gather for Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. and Worship Service at 10:30 a.m. Our community youth group IMPACT (middle through high school) meets every other Sunday at the parsonage and typically welcomes about 40 young people. Mattons Grove is active in missions and outreach, deeply committed to serving both our members and our community.

We are now seeking a full-time pastor to lead our growing congregation—guiding us in faith, service, and discipleship as we continue to fulfill our mission. Matton's Grove has recently disaffiliated from the United Methodist Church and now operates as an independent Methodist congregation.

## Responsibilities

- Preach and lead worship services, sharing the Word through sermons, prayer, and spiritual guidance.
- Plan and coordinate services in partnership with the music director, literature coordinator, and video/media team.

- Officiate at weddings, funerals, baptisms, dedications, and confirmations.
- Provide pastoral care to members of all ages, building relationships within the church and community.
- Visit and minister to shut-ins, those in hospitals, and members in need of care or support.
- Participate in community and mission activities, representing the church with compassion and integrity.
- Maintain flexible hours to meet the needs of the congregation.
- Successfully complete a background check.

## **Compensation & Benefits**

- Annual Salary: \$40,000 \$75,000 (based on qualifications and experience)
- Health Coverage: (to be discussed with candidates)
- Housing: Parsonage available in Richfield or a housing allowance option
- Vacation:

○ 1–5 years of service: 2 weeks

∘ 6–10 years of service: 3 weeks

o 11+ years of service: 4 weeks

• Travel: Mileage reimbursement for pastoral visitation

## You can submit a resume

By email to office.mgmc@gmail.com

By mail to Mattons Grove Methodist Church 44167 Ridenhour Road Gold Hill NC 28071.