



Dear Mayflower Members and Friends,

November 1, 2021

Our committee continues to work together to find our next pastor. We have been meeting bi-weekly since August to stay current and informed. We continue to have weekly updates and discussions with our consultant at Vanderbloemen. He assures us he is with us throughout this entire process and continues to brainstorm with his group and gauge interest from many outlets.

We have had about 60 individuals that have reached out to them or they have contacted from their database. Most have lacked the qualifications for our position, and several have progressed to multiple interviews.

To this point none have been the correct fit for our church.

Our consultant has shared with us that the labor market across the board is currently facing numerous struggles and ministry is no different. We continue to have faith and appreciate the stability and incredible hard work of our current staff.

Thanks always for the support.

The Search Committee

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