

Covenant of Agreement for Temporary Supply Pastor

The following agreement between the Session of _____ Presbyterian Church, PC(USA), the Presbytery of Northern New England, and ____ (name of pastor) ____ is for the purpose of providing a Temporary Supply Pastor to the _____ Presbyterian Church, PC(USA) in _____ .

____ (name) _____ is designated Temporary Supply Pastor of the _____ Presbyterian Church, PC(USA) in _____ with an effective date of _____ to _____.

POSITION DESCRIPTION

Title: Temporary Supply Pastor

Purpose: To provide spiritual leadership and pastoral care for _____ Presbyterian Church.

Term of Agreement: (beginning date) to (ending date).

Accountability: The position is accountable to the Session of the _____ Presbyterian Church PC (USA) and the Presbytery of Northern New England.

Position Description:

The Pastor will:

- Be responsible for planning and leading regular Sunday worship and preaching.
- Be responsible for planning and leading seasonal and special worship services as approved by the Session.
- Perform weddings and funerals as requested and appropriate.
- With Elders, be involved in visitation of the homebound.
- Offer home and crisis visitation as appropriate.
- Moderate the Session of the congregation.
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Special Expectations:

The Pastor will also:

- Participate, as appropriate in the meetings, activities and committee assignments of the Presbytery of Northern New England.
- Participate in local ecumenical activities and organizations, as appropriate.

- Assist the church in establishing and reaching its annual congregational goals.
- Engage in other appropriate activities on an as needed basis and as mutually agreed upon by the Temporary Supply Pastor and the Session.

Relationships: Primary relationship with the _____ Presbyterian Church will be through the Session. Relations with other committees and functions will be through the session.

Evaluation: Reviews will be conducted by the session and the Pastor every 3 months to evaluate and make adjustments to the schedule or programs as appropriate..

Time Commitments: ____hours per week

Termination of this Agreement – The agreement can be terminated by either party with 30 days written notice given to the other party.

Compensation: The compensation package consists of

This schedule and compensation includes 4 weeks of vacation and two weeks of study leave.

APPROVALS

Temporary Supply Pastor_____Date_____

Clerk of Session_____Date_____

For the Presbytery_____Date_____