



Pastoral Search for a Biblical Counselor for Dubai, UAE

SEARCHING

Redeemer Church of Dubai is looking for a married, Christian man, who is reformed in his faith, and committed to the principles of biblical counseling, as set out by David's Powlison's article entitled *Affirmations and Denials* and the Biblical Counseling Coalition's Confessional Statement.

GOAL

To establish a counseling center in Dubai, which will provide counseling for the many gospel-preaching churches in Dubai, but also for non-Christians throughout Emirates.

OPPORTUNITY

This is a pioneering opportunity, where a Christian gets to come alongside several gospel-preaching, conservative Evangelical churches to support them in the work of pastoral care and counseling. The ministry will be geared to Christians and also non-Christians alike.

Here are a few things you should know about Dubai:

- Dubai is the chief city in the United Arab Emirates on the east coast of the Arabian Peninsula in the Middle East.
- Over the last 15 years Dubai has been one of the fastest growing cities in the world.
- Dubai is a 6 hour plane flight to half the world's population and is a regional hub for business and the gateway between Europe, Africa and Asia.
- Dubai is home to many of the world's least-reached people groups including 500,000 Iranians who call this city home.
- Most people will go back to their home country after living and working in Dubai for a period of time making it a great place for discipleship before sending people back to the nations.
- There are few if any adequately trained biblical counselors in our country and the needs are enormous.

Here are few things you should know about Redeemer church:

- Redeemer Church of Dubai was started on February 12, 2010 in downtown Dubai in a place where there were no healthy gospel-centered churches.
- We have around 800 adults gathering each week with people from around 50 different nationalities present.
- The vision of the church is to focus on evangelism and discipleship of least-reached and hard to reach people in our region.
- It is the hope to see Dubai as a hub of pastoral training by establishing a pastoral training centre with seminary education, conferences, church planting training, resource development, translation and the building a pastoral network.

FINANCES

For now, the person will need to full-supported by donations. Redeemer Dubai is willing to assist you with fundraising.

INTERESTED?

Questions: Contact Dave Furman at dave@redeemerdubai.com or Deepak Reju at Deepak.Reju@capbap.org If you are interested in applying for this opportunity, please answer briefly the following questions and mail this in to Deepak. Include an updated version of your resume.

1. Give us a brief overview of your testimony.
2. How did you come to a reformed understanding of your faith?
3. To you, what is biblical counseling?
4. How did you get involved in the biblical counseling movement?
5. Read over the qualifications for elders in the pastoral epistles. Do you feel you meet these qualifications? If not, why not? Do you have a local church that would affirm that you meet the qualifications?
6. Describe your struggles with sin and how your fight for faith.
7. Describe briefly one difficult situation you've been involved with and how the Lord used you to help someone who was struggling.