

Dear Pastoral Candidate,

The Church of the Resurrection is a thriving embassy of God's kingdom on Capitol Hill. We seek God's renewal of ourselves, our city, and our world through a common mission: to love God and serve our city as a diverse, growing community of disciples. Since 2003, we have endeavored to be a missional center for leadership development within Anglicanism. During this time, seventeen new clergy and many more laity have been shaped and formed through active participation in our mission. We also seek to remain faithful to our original vocation as a "church plant that plants churches that plant churches," having now played a vital role in establishing ten new congregations.

We currently rent three facilities on Capitol Hill, including two church buildings where we have nearly identical morning and evening Sunday services. Of the 275 persons in attendance at our services, 90% are under 35 years old. Over the past year, in addition to regular tithes and offerings, we have raised nearly \$1.5 million towards the purchase of a permanent church facility very near the United States Capitol building. God willing, we will move into that facility around the time that our next pastoral resident joins the staff during the summer of 2020.

While our Pastoral Residency program reflects the unique features of our setting on Capitol Hill, it also exists within four larger concentric circles. Locally, we partner with two of our sister congregations on formative training experiences. Regionally, our mission-minded diocese is a rich environment for growth and post-residency placement. Nationally, the Made to Flourish network supports us in developing leaders who integrate faith and work. Internationally, the GAFCON movement shapes our vision for spiritual unity and multi-ethnic diversity.

We seek to hire a full-time pastor by July 1 for our residency program. Our search committee will begin reviewing applications in mid-March. Please give prayerful consideration to the accompanying information and application process. For more information, email jobs@rezchurch.org or visit rezchurch.org.

Grace and peace in Christ Jesus,

The Rev'd Daniel C. Claire, Rector