

# SENIOR PASTORAL VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Israel Baptist Church  
1251 Saratoga Avenue, NE  
Washington, DC 20018



## The Call

Israel Baptist Church (IBC) is prayerfully seeking a strong Senior Pastoral leader, sent by God, to serve as its 10th Senior Pastor. The candidate must be able to provide the vision and direction throughout the church and community by leadership, counseling, teaching and preaching to lead others to Christ.

**Opening Date: November 1, 2018**

## HOW TO APPLY:

All interested and qualified persons must submit an initial candidate package consisting of the following documentation: ***The application is available at [www.israelbaptistchurch.org](http://www.israelbaptistchurch.org). Click on the IBC Pulpit Search Committee link located on the home page.***

- Complete the IBC Senior Pastoral Application
- Current resume & cover letter
- Copy of ministerial license and ordination certificate
- Copy of degree(s)
- Provide the names, address or email address of three (3) persons to write reference letters. One person from each of the following categories:  
Pastor who is a mentor/supervisor, Professional community and Church layperson

- A recent video-recorded sermon submitted via DVD, MP4 or YouTube (high quality, HD preferred).
- Recent color photograph – “Head Shot” (Format: JPEG 5x7 or 8x10).

### **ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

- Only one submission will be accepted.
- Incomplete packages will not be considered.
- The candidate will be required to live in the DMV (DC, MD or VA) area.
- If the candidate lives outside of the DMV area, IBC will not pay for relocation fees.
- Any submissions “mailed or hand carried” to the IBC address will be returned.

### **No phone calls to the IBC church office will be accepted.**

For persons that are unable to access the application online, applications will be available for ***pickup*** from the church office on Wednesday's ONLY from 11am – 3pm.

Once completed, submit via **U.S. Mail** to:

**IBC Pulpit Search Committee  
P.O. Box 92720  
Washington, DC 20090**

All application packages must be postmarked on or before **Monday, December 31, 2018**. Note that applications postmarked **after** December 31<sup>st</sup> will not be considered.

Yours in Christ,

Deacon Alton Byrd  
IBC Pulpit Committee Chairperson