

Meet God in the Beauty of Montana!

Seeking Part-Time Pastor-in-Residence, 1 month-2 year options

- Are you weary of the hustle and bustle, and drained by the persistent pressures of our world today?
- Are you looking for a meaningful experience where you would make a world of difference while having your soul nourished?
- Would you savor a beautiful place where you'll have peace and quiet to write a book or explore a contemplative spiritual practice?
- Would you like to have an authentic Montana experience?



Glacier Presbytery is seeking a retired pastor or a pastor on sabbatical who would like to serve one of our most beloved congregations for a stretch as their Pastor in Residence.



Whitlash Presbyterian Church is a small congregation of 10 members and more family affiliates with a great heart located in the ranching community of Whitlash MT. Nestled in the beautiful north-central Sweet Grass Hills, Whitlash is just a few minutes away from the Canadian Border. Magnificent Glacier National Park is nearby, within easy distance for day trips. Chester, MT is 40 miles south, with basic medical and shopping facilities. The Whitlash Presbyterian Church has served as the ecumenical presence of Christ for over a century.

In Whitlash, you will enjoy a rural, laid back way of life among good people who make their living off the land. Your spirit will be refreshed through bird watching, deer in your back yard, hiking, snow shoeing, fishing and hunting. Each day you'll wake up to clean air and incredible views. At night you can count stars that shine brighter away from city lights. Between wide open spaces and prudent care and dropping rates, this part of the country has low COVID rates.

Come serve the Whitlash congregation if you would like to have your spirit renewed by time immersed in the beauty of creation, experience authentic, rural Montana life, write that book or establish those spiritual disciplines, by sharing the gospel weekly with others who share your love for God's creation.

Blessings:

- 1 month – 2 year terms with start date flexible
- Lead worship Sundays (one Sunday off each quarter, cumulative + three Presbytery Sundays off)
- Meet with community members weekly – for example, Bible Study, coffee
- Minister through visitation, funerals and weddings as needed
- Clean air, beautiful views, incredible night sky, peace, God present in creation
- The deep gratitude of a loving congregation
- **Furnished manse** -two bedrooms, study; utilities, WiFi, + **4 wheel drive vehicle**
- \$100 weekly stipend; \$1000 for moving if more than one year
- Monthly goody basket and Montana book
- SFTS continuing education in presbytery at a reduced rate, along with other fellowship and enrichment opportunities at our beautiful camp on Flathead Lake
- Contact Interim Executive Presbyter Chuck Carlson, 406-871-2135, ep.glacierpresbytery@gmail.com

