Paul Poimenas

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Born in Winston-Salem, NC on May 26, 1991 Married to Lindsay on June 12, 2013 One son named Jimmy

Education

2020 Master of Divinity – Shepherds Theological Seminary, Cary, NC Pastoral concentration

2014 Bachelor of Science – North Carolina State Univ. Raleigh, NC Business & Finance



Personal Mission Statement

I am committed to preaching and teaching God's Word for the purpose of equipping the saints for the work of the ministry, to helping others become fully devoted followers of Christ and to keeping the Word of God and prayer foundational to all I do.

Core Competencies

Expository Preaching ♦ Evangelism ♦ Discipleship ♦ Leadership Development ♦ Prayer

Experience

Pastoral Intern – Cornerstone Baptist Church, Raleigh, NC

2019-Present

- Preaching through book of 1 John for Bible study series on Wednesday nights
- Helping to plan and implement weekly program and activities for the church
- Meeting with students regularly for relationship-building and counseling
- Coordinating worship team and providing theme for Sunday mornings

Youth Pastor – Cornerstone Baptist Church, Raleigh, NC 2018–2019

- Preaching / teaching weekly Sunday worship for High School group of 50-75 students
- Scheduling and leading band with rotating student leaders
- Mentoring student leaders and facilitating leadership development
- Also led worship (paid) for multi-cultural church plant in Raleigh

Youth Worship Team – Calvary Baptist Church, Sanford, NC 2009–2017

- Led youth worship team with wife, Lindsay, and assimilated/mentored student volunteers
- Taught and facilitated small group discussions, and encouraged scripture memorization
- Occasionally preached on Sunday mornings and taught session at youth camp

Other Leadership Experience

On-Campus University Ministry

- Dormitory ministry-team leader for Calvary Baptist Church
- North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC

President – Shepherds Theological Seminary, Student Leadership Council 2019–2020

- Promoted community-building events and activities and coordinated student move-ins
- Regularly made announcements and wrote emails to student body and faculty
- Instituted student activities calendar and redesigned leadership council handbook

Overseas Missions – Slavic Gospel Association, Rockford, IL, Ukraine 2010–2012

- Designed, promoted and ran evangelistic soccer camp for youth in city of Kiev, Ukraine
- Teaching small groups, and street evangelism through an interpreter

Skills & Recognition

- Merit Award Scholarship for student committed to full-time ministry, STS (2020)
- Zondervan Academic Outstanding Hebrew Scholar, STS (2019)
- M. Div Award, STS (2020)
- Proficiency with Greek and Hebrew languages for study and sermon preparation
- Proficient with Planning Center, Microsoft Office & Web/Marketing tools
- Multi-instrumental proficiency with worship leading (guitar, piano, vocalist/soloist)

References

Dr. J.D. Edwards Senior Pastor, Cornerstone Baptist Church, Raleigh, NC pastor.edwards@cbcraleigh.org

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Dr. Peter Goeman Professor, Shepherds Theological Seminary goemanp@shepherds.org

Additional references available upon request