

Las Cruces Church of Christ
(Minister Search Committee)
2025 N. Valley Drive
Las Cruces, NM, USA

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Dear Prospective Candidate:

Las Cruces Church of Christ currently has an opening for a full-time minister to work alongside the membership family as we work to fulfill the mission of Jesus Christ of seeking and saving the lost. The attached announcement gives a complete set of details describing the background of the person we are hoping will want to join with us.

The times that we live in are particularly unique and have become especially challenging. It is safe to say that the world has become more adversarial, combative and divisive than ever, though that is all mild language compared to how Paul describes the “*last days*” in 2 Timothy 3:1-5. But here at the Las Cruces Church, we see that as an opportunity – an opportunity to provide a message of hope, peace and salvation to a city of hurting people looking for answers in a dark world.

The full-time minister we hope to hire is someone who has a real passion to work with us to reach those who are truly searching for answers and provide a purpose and direction that the world cannot. We believe that such a task requires people who emulate Jesus in their own daily walk, wherever that takes them throughout the week. To that end, we hope to support the new minister just as much as he and his family supports us.

The church here in Las Cruces provides many ministry opportunities for its members to help develop each other and extend our love to our neighbors. These range from various youth ministries to our women’s ministry to a newly minted “Las Cruces Community Wellness Ministry”. The latter is meant to help people wherever they are in life to make changes that ultimately draw them closer to Christ.

Las Cruces is the largest city in southern New Mexico, just 45 miles north of El Paso Texas. There are many businesses and industries located throughout the area, including White Sands Missile Range and NASA. It is also home to New Mexico’s Agricultural school – New Mexico State University, with an undergraduate enrollment exceeding 12,000. And the Rio Grande Valley contributes heavily to New Mexico’s ranking as the largest US producer of Pecans, second only to Georgia.

If the ministry position described is of interest to you, please feel free to apply, as described in the attachment. If you just have questions about the position, feel free to reach out about those as well.

Sincerely,
Las Cruces Church of Christ (Search Committee)