

## **JOB DESCRIPTION**

**Role:** Teaching Pastor

**Location:** Causeway Coast Vineyard, Hillmans Way, Coleraine

**Line Manager:** Neil Young, Senior Pastor

**Salary:** £25,000 - £30,000 – *based on experience*

**Hours of Work:** 40 Hours per week

**Final application date:** 13<sup>th</sup> July 2017

**Start Date:** TBC

## **JOB SUMMARY**

Causeway Coast Vineyard Church is a vibrant, pioneering, missional community in Northern Ireland with around 2000 people attending Sunday services in any given month and many more connecting through other ministries delivered locally. We are a place where people are saying 'yes' to God and experiencing life in a fresh way. We are a people who bring life to every area in our community. We want to see sustainable transformation in the lives of individuals and institutions within our city.

With that in mind we are seeking to employ a Teaching Pastor, to serve alongside the Senior Pastors, who will be responsible for teaching the bible at weekend services, midweek events, and leader gatherings as well as developing written and other supplementary aids to run alongside current teaching series.

The Teaching Pastor will serve on the teaching and planning team helping to determine future message series for the church, fulfilling Causeway Coast Vineyard's mission and vision to see the city transformed.

## **KEY RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 1. Teaching Delivery—**You will be responsible for teaching up to 4 times a month across Causeway Coast Vineyard's morning and evening services. Our expectation is that you would deliver biblical messages that move the lost towards Jesus and the church towards the lost within a supernatural context.
- 2. Teaching Planning Team—** Along with the Senior Pastors, you will be responsible for the organization of the teaching planning team which sets the course of teaching in CCV. You will also support other teachers to help them deliver excellent messages.
- 3. Teaching support –** You will be responsible for writing and developing creative supplementary material and campaigns alongside teaching series that will help people to further engage with overall church direction and grow in discovering their God Given identity and purpose e.g. devotionals, bible reading plans etc.
- 4. Teacher Development –**You will lead and develop other CCV staff, interns and attendees who have a teaching gift, connecting them with opportunities to grow in teaching the bible.
- 5. Community—** You are required to build relationship with staff, volunteers, attendees and the local community. You will be willing to teach in different rooms and alongside the community pastor help to make provision for weddings, funerals and other services.

- 6. Evaluation—**You will work with the staff and volunteers to regularly evaluate areas of teaching to ensure that we are operating effectively within the call God has given Causeway Coast Vineyard Church.

#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

For this role, we hire for character, competence, chemistry and culture:

**Character –** You have to love Jesus, love the Church and be committed to our mission here at CCV.

**Competence –** You must be an outstanding person with a high level of gifting and ability.

**Chemistry –** You must be a relational fit with our team, particularly those you will be working closely with.

**Culture –** You must be someone who will engage with, embrace and impart the culture of Causeway Coast Vineyard.

Application forms can be requested from our office or downloaded from our website at [causewaycoastvineyard.com](http://causewaycoastvineyard.com)

Please return completed forms to - [neil@causewaycoastvineyard.com](mailto:neil@causewaycoastvineyard.com) or post to

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## **PERSON SPECIFICATION**

	<b>Essential</b>	<b>Desirable</b>
<b>Qualifications</b>	5 x GCSEs (or equivalent) at Grade C or above 3 x A Levels (or equivalent) at Grade C or above Theological training	
<b>Experience</b>	Proven track record of serving as a teaching pastor or on a leadership team in a church.  You will have proven experience in teaching and communicating the bible regularly in large venues to sizeable crowds [500 people or more].  Proven track record of developing leaders and speakers in a church context	At least 5 years of speaking experience on a church staff with proven ministry growth  Experience of speaking to a wide range of people within different social economic and multi-generational groups.
<b>Skills</b>	You will be an inspiring, biblical, relational, missional communicator  Able to work on own initiative  Able to work as part of a team  Excellent organizational skills  Excellent Pastoral Skills	
<b>Personal / character</b>	Demonstration of faith in Jesus, including willingness and ability to communicate your own story of your faith journey  Life-long learner, able to lead yourself and eager to improve your skills and strengths, yourself, and your role.  Commitment to the statement of faith of Vineyard Churches UK and Ireland and passion for the work of Causeway Coast Vineyard.  Responsive to correction and direction  Be positive, energetic and carry joy.  The successful applicant will work within the framework of a collegiate leadership structure and therefore show a high degree of relational and emotional intelligence. Have a clear awareness of personal strengths and a requisite track record in utilising them in a team context.	