



St. Stephen's Episcopal Church

Clergy Position Available

**Associate Rector
St. Stephen's Episcopal Church
Richmond, Virginia**

St. Stephen's Church in Richmond, Virginia, seeks an ordained Episcopal priest with a passion for parish ministry.

St. Stephen's Church provides an exciting opportunity to engage with a healthy community steeped in Anglican tradition while actively reimagining the church of the future.

This large and growing parish has an average Sunday attendance of 1,200. Its ministries range from those that attract members of the community regardless of church affiliation—in an approach we call a “village green”—through a weekly farmers market, a café, a community speakers series, community meals, concerts, a preschool, and more.

The parish's daily rhythm of worship and prayer includes weekday Morning Prayer and Evening Prayer, traditional Prayer Book liturgies on Saturday evening and Sunday morning, and a well-known contemplative service on Sunday evenings that attracts people of all religious traditions (and no religious tradition). A sung Compline service attracts people from throughout the community, including many college students and other young adults.

St. Stephen's offers a wide array of Bible studies, small groups, classes, and Catechesis of the Good Shepherd for our youngest members.

This dedication to worship, prayer, and spiritual formation and study are the basis for the parish's identity as a “new abbey,” maintaining ancient traditions for a new age. Ministries of healing prayer, intercessory prayer, and pastoral care, as well as meaningful engagement with those in need near and far, help the parish focus on serving as a healing presence in a fractious world.

The clergyperson will work closely with highly qualified lay professionals and clergy in the areas of:

- Children and youth
- Pastoral care
- Outreach

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Associate Priest, *continued*

She or he will also share liturgical, preaching, and teaching responsibilities with other parish staff.

Salary will be commensurate with experience. Compensation includes health and dental coverage and participation in the Church Pension Fund.

Candidates should forward their OTM profile, resume and cover letter to

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No telephone calls, please.