

Pastoral Leadership Opportunity

Meridian–Sylvarena Seventh-day Adventist Church District (Mississippi)

The Meridian–Sylvarena Seventh-day Adventist Church District is seeking a pastor to serve a two-church district in Mississippi, comprising Ephesus Seventh-day Adventist Church in Meridian and First Seventh-day Adventist Church in Sylvarena.

Ephesus SDA Church, the primary congregation in the district, has approximately 100 members and an average weekly worship attendance of 35. The church is well regarded in the community and maintains a strong outreach presence. First SDA Church in Sylvarena is a smaller congregation with approximately 8 members.

The district reflects a conservative Seventh-day Adventist worship style and theological orientation and is committed to biblical preaching, doctrinal faithfulness, and intentional discipleship.

Ministry Focus

Over the next 3–5 years, the district is prioritizing growth and development in the following areas:

- Youth and family ministry expansion
- Strengthening administration and leadership
- Visitation and spiritual counseling
- Small-group Bible study and discipleship

Pastoral Profile

The ideal candidate will be between the ages of 36–49, provide steady pastoral leadership, support member care, and guide the churches toward deeper spiritual engagement and ministry effectiveness.

Application Process

If you are interested in being considered for this opportunity, please submit a cover letter, résumé, and a video-recorded sermon to Ministerial Director Elder Kennedy Luckett at kluckett@cc-sda.org.