### Senior High School Pastor/Director Profile East Cooper Baptist Church

# Pursues Jesus Christ Passionately

- Loves Jesus Christ because Jesus Christ first loved and saved him
- Growing in Christ-likeness
- God is increasingly glorified in his life
- A spiritual vitality fostered by his own personal spiritual disciplines
- Joyful participation in the spiritual disciplines of the body at ECBC
- Applies the truth of scripture to the circumstances of his life.

#### **Character and Competence**

- Psalm 78:72 tells us that David lead Israel with:
  - "Integrity of heart", which refers to his godly character
  - o "Skillful hands", which refers to his competency as a leader
- Christ-like character
- Ministry competency in the areas of teaching, relationship building, working with others and organization

## A Pastor

- Marks of a Pastor/Elder found in 1 Timothy 3:1-7, Titus 1:5-9 and 1 Peter 5:1-4.
- The criteria described in these passages fall into four groupings:
  - o blameless
  - o good managers of their families
  - o able teachers
  - $\circ$   $\,$  shepherds of the flock  $\,$

#### A Team Member

- Faithful, available, teachable and responsive to leadership
- East Cooper Baptist Church is a place where the pastors and staff work together according to the various roles and responsibilities that they have
- The man we are seeking should welcome the opportunity of be a part of a large pastoral team made up of godly gifted men.
- Work closely with our Middle School Pastor and report to our Equipping Pastor
- Comfortable in a church where the Elders set forth the ministry direction of the student ministry, so that it is consistent with the Core Values, Mission and Vision of ECBC

## Working Within a Consistent Framework

- Elders of ECBC have set a course for our High School Ministry which reflects our church wide commitments
- The Senior High Pastor/Director should see these commitments as the main priorities of our High School Ministry programming and be excited about leading in those areas
- Each member of ECBC should be involved in worship, education, and small groups
- High school students:
  - o Worship with their families on Sunday morning
  - o Attend High School Sunday Morning Bible Class
  - o Are a part of our D-Group (small group) ministry

## A Passion for the Bible

- Loves to study and teach the Bible
- A sense of wonder about the things of God
- Evaluates High School ministry through biblical and theological eyes
- Believes that the Bible "gets things done" in the lives of high school students
  - o In large group teaching
  - o In small group settings
  - o As a part of wise counsel
  - o In everyday conversations

#### A Passion for Relationships

- Understands that God created us to reflect His image in relationships
- Believes God uses relationships in our sanctification
- Regularly contacts students outside of church
- Mobilizes adult leaders to connect with students in relationships
- Spends time with parents and adult leaders
- Has relationships with other adults outside of his area of ministry
- Intentional friendships with unbelievers for the sake of the gospel