



LIFECENTRAL  
CHURCH

# ASSISTANT PASTOR



## ABOUT LIFECENTRAL CHURCH

At Lifecentral, we love doing life and work together. We're a vibrant and growing team with a heart to welcome people from all walks of life, and every week we see new guests exploring Jesus for themselves and finding genuine connection and community with us. Our staff culture is collaborative, caring, and full of energy – we're not afraid to work hard, but we make sure to celebrate and have fun along the way. Our vision is bigger than our budget, but we're trusting God to be faithful and to use us to inspire people to find and follow Jesus. If you join our team, you'll be part of something exciting, where creativity, vision, and people's stories of transformation drive everything we do.

## PURPOSE OF THE ROLE

Lifecentral Church is a vibrant, multi-site church committed to helping people to find and follow Jesus.

As we continue to expand our reach, we are seeking an **Assistant Pastor** to join our senior leadership team.

This is a unique and exciting opportunity:

- **50% of the role** will be dedicated to leading a **brand-new church plant** in a growing town of over 100,000 people.
- **50% of the role** will be serving as part of our central team, taking on responsibilities and leadership according to your **gifting and passion**.

This role is ideal for a pioneering leader who wants to be part of shaping the future of a church that is expanding and impacting its region.

### **Location:**

*Lifecentral Church*

### **Reports to:**

*Senior Pastor & Senior Leadership Team*

### **Hours:**

*37.5 F/T although P/T will be considered.*



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## KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

### **Church Plant Leadership (50%)**

- Lead and oversee the launch and development of a new Lifecentral site.
- Build, develop, and pastor a core team of volunteers and leaders.
- Shape the culture, mission, and vision of the church plant in line with Lifecentral's DNA.
- Preach and teach regularly, communicating the gospel in a clear and relevant way.
- Engage with the local community, seeking opportunities for mission and outreach.

### **Central Team Leadership (50%)**

- Play an active role on the senior leadership team of Lifecentral Church.
- Take on central leadership responsibilities according to gifting (e.g., teaching, discipleship, pastoral care, worship, youth, operations, communications, etc.).
- Contribute to the vision and strategy of the church as a whole.
- Support and resource existing campuses as part of the wider leadership structure.

## THE KIND OF PERSON WE'RE LOOKING FOR

We are looking for a leader who is:

- **Energetic and proactive** – someone who takes initiative and brings fresh ideas.
- **Experienced in church leadership** – not necessarily ordained or theologically trained, but with proven experience in leading and growing ministry.
- **Teachable and hungry to grow** – willing to learn, develop, and stretch.
- **Passionate about people** – with a genuine love for God and a heart to help people encounter Jesus.
- **Collaborative and team-focused** – able to work with others, build teams, and develop leaders.
- **Missional and visionary** – excited about pioneering new opportunities and reaching communities with the gospel.

It is a Genuine Occupational Requirement that the holder of the post is a practising Christian whose lifestyle is consistent with the values and doctrine of the Christian faith. It is a requirement of the role that the holder of the post will participate in any acts of collective worship as is required and provide Christian religious support and /or participate in common prayers or other Christian religious observances. Additionally, all members of staff actively participate in weekly collective devotions (prayer, Bible reading, and shared reflections on the work of Jesus Christ), offering prayers for each other, the community and for specific or general aspects of Church life.

## WHAT WE OFFER

- The opportunity to lead a brand-new church plant in an exciting, growing town.
- A place on the senior leadership team of a thriving, expanding multi-site church.
- A supportive environment to grow and develop as a leader.
- Space to shape responsibilities around your gifts and passions.
- The chance to be part of a team with big vision and a heart to reach our region with the good news of Jesus.

## **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

The role is FT although PT will be considered.  
Salary is between £28-30K pa depending on experience

## **HOW TO APPLY**

If you are excited about this opportunity and believe God may be calling you to this next step, we'd love to hear from you. Please apply online, using the link on our website (<https://lifecentralchurch.org.uk/vacancies/>) and we will be in touch to let you know the next steps of the application process.

**The closing date is 5pm on 31st October 2025**, however we reserve the right to close the application process early, should a suitable candidate come forward and be appointed before the closing date.

