Joshua D. Rose

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Pastor Committed to Growing the Local Church by Engaging All Generations

Husband to Beth and father of Caleb, Allison and Josiah. A family deeply immersed in the life and ministry of Christ's Church. Thoughtful and creative Pastor/Teacher with twenty years of pastoral experience that has revolved around inspiring and mobilizing the older generations to lovingly reach out to the younger generations so that they find their home in the local church. Proven experience as a leader of teams with the ability to recruit and equip God's people for the work of service. Passionate and gifted communicator who loves to proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ in a way that is both challenging and compelling.

Ministry Experience

High School Pastor

March 2008 - Present
Ministry Size: 300+

Emmanuel Faith Community Church of Escondido, CA Church Size: 3000+ Ministry Size: 300 Pastoral Oversight to a ministry of over 300 students from 17 different schools all over North County.

- As a Pastoral Elder, this role has many large church components outside of High School Ministry,
- including occasional preaching in the main service.
 Weekly preaching along with a very active year-round youth ministry schedule including multiple large events, camps, and missions opportunities.
- Leading, training, and equipping a team of three full-time employees, various seasonal employees, and over fifty weekly volunteers.
- Deeply connected to fellow youth workers all over North County and one of the key leaders of the Unify/Anthem Youth Worship Gatherings.

High School Pastor

June 2004 - Feb. 2008

Highlands Church of Scottsdale, AZ

Church Size: 900-1,200 Ministry Size: 30-150

- Turned a youth group of 30 into a full-fledged Youth Ministry of 150+ students on a weekly basis.
- Began new small group programs, a leadership program, missions opportunities, and an internship program that employed three part-time interns.

Pastoral Assistant of Jr. High & High School Ministries

May 1997 - May 2004

First Evangelical Free Church of Fullerton, CA

Church Size: 5000+

Ministry Size: ~500

- Hands-on pastoral leadership to a class of 100+ students throughout Jr. High and High School years.
- Responsibilities included weekly teaching, discipleship training, developing and maintaining small groups, recruiting and training volunteers, activity planning, camps, retreats, and missions trips.

Young Life Volunteer

June 1993 - Aug. 1996

• This first experience of ministry service in Pasadena, Grand Rapids, and a summer at Oakbridge has proven to be foundational and formational.

Global Experience

Extensive cross cultural ministry experience with short term teams, being responsible for the organization, recruitment, training, fund raising, and implementation of ministry alongside of ministry partners in the following locations:

- Albania
- Armenia
- Canada
- China
- Ecuador

- Mexico
- Poland
- Romania
- Senegal
- Thailand

Education

Fuller Theological Seminary

Masters of Divinity, Emphasis in Youth, Family, and Culture

Biola University

Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, Minor in Biblical Studies

Graduation Date: June 2004

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