

**Hickory Run Baptist Church:** Opening Date: 2/21/2011 - Closing Date: 4/11/2011.

The Hickory Run Baptist Church is located in a rural area in Rawlings Virginia where we have worship services every Sunday. We are currently seeking a pastor because of the death of our previous pastor who was shepherd over the Hickory Run Baptist Church family for 15 years. The pastor we are seeking should provide leadership, training, Biblical teaching, fellowship and direction to our congregation, as well as outreach to the community. Applicants should be willing to provide spiritual support to members who are hospitalized, sick and shut-in or residing in nursing home facilities. We are searching for a pastor who will seek to set the example of living a life for Christ to those in the church and the community. The Pastor's preaching and teaching ministry shall promote and enhance the congregation the corporate worship of God and the knowledge of sound doctrine. *Interested parties should submit their resumes to the Hickory Run Baptist Church; Attention: Pastor Search Committee; 225 Rawlings Road; Rawlings, VA 23876.*

**Candidate Description and Qualifications:** A mature and growing Christian (as described in 1 Timothy 3 & Titus 1); Possess Relational & Organizational skills; Deep and growing love for God and the church; Spiritual gifts and leadership and administration skills; Supportive of the Hickory Run Baptist Church mission, values, and beliefs; Passion to minister to children and their parents; Desire to incorporate individual ministry into a team of ministers and daily incorporation of spiritual disciplines. Note: Preference - Seminary/graduate degree.