

MINISTERIAL COUPLE/S WANTED TO PROVIDE COVER FOR AN ESTABLISHED ENGLISH SPEAKING AOG CHURCH PLANT IN FUERTEVENTURA, FOR 1, 2 OR 3 MONTHS BETWEEN 1ST MAY AND 31ST OF JULY, 2020.

Two bedroomed accommodation in the home of the current pastors, in a beautiful complex overlooking the sea. A car is provided.

There is no salary, or expenses. This is a voluntary role, and therefore would suit someone recently retired, needing a change, but wishing to continue being of help in the work of the Kingdom.

The English church has links to the UK Macclesfield AOG church, and is a plant of a very large Spanish speaking AOG church on the Island (2000 plus members).

It has around 60 members who either live on the Island or who visit regularly during the year for weeks or months at a time. The rest are made up of visitors on holiday, of all UK denominations. However, as the summer months are not the peak season here, Sunday attendance in this period can be relatively low.

The work **currently includes** the following, but other than the weekly service the extent of this, is entirely at the discretion of the couples in the role:

Sunday Service weekly at 11 am

Other services as needed: Funerals, blessings, dedications and adult baptisms, but **not** weddings due to strict Spanish laws.

Fellowship meetings - weekly at 3pm (at a café in the town)

Bible study groups – weekly at 4pm (in the home)

Assistance as needed to English speaking visitors – hospital visits, health related issues, passport and travel issues, repatriation etc.

Assistance as needed with English speaking folks in the long term homeless refuge, the two overnight shelters. There are now an increasing number of immigrants and refugees arriving on the Island (although most at present speak French so input is limited).

Acting as a conduit of goods (typically from English ex pat residents) to those in need – food, clothes, furniture, etc.

This opportunity may also suit someone wanting time and space to write a book, have a long holiday, learn Spanish, spend time with the Lord away from distractions at home etc because the work can be as much or as little as you choose.

Note the church meets in a local hotel which means **everything** needed for the service needs to be taken in and set up.

What we are looking for

Someone who is/has been the lead pastor in Christian denomination - AOG preferred, but not essential

Spirit filled, prayerful, and willing and able to serve the Lord in whatever capacity needed

Both in reasonable health and fitness

Current UK driving licence

Familiar with using a laptop, and willing to learn how the sound and projection equipment works (not difficult)

Willing to share accommodation with the outgoing/incoming pastors for a few days to achieve the smooth handovers.

Someone who feels they can love the place and the people as much as we do.

For more information call Christine and Gareth Davies on 0044 7940717398 or email us on cdaviescalvary@btinternet.com For facebook see English Church Caleta Fuerteventura MCM. References will be needed.