

INTRODUCING JENNIFER LEE



CANDIDATE FOR MINISTER WITH STUDENTS FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ASHEVILLE

The Deacon Body of the First Baptist Church of Asheville has voted unanimously to recommend Jennifer Lee as the new Minister with students. The congregation will vote on this recommendation in the coming weeks.

Jennifer (Jenny) is in her final year of studies at Campbell University Divinity School for her Master's of Divinity. She received her undergraduate degree in Religion from Campbell University and was the Outstanding Senior in the Religion Department in 2007-2008. Jenny will complete her studies at Gardner-Webb Divinity School.

Jenny was born in Goldsboro, NC but has lived in Henderson County since she was three. She was active in her youth group and church life as she grew up. In the fall of 2004 Jenny went to Campbell University as a middle grades education major but changed her major to Religion and Christian Ministry shortly thereafter.

Jenny's focus in youth ministry is "making and equipping young disciples through meaningful relationships and fostering Christian community." She has served as Minister of Youth at the Abingdon Baptist Church in the summer of 2006 where she completed a missions experience in Grenada. In August of 2007, Jenny went to Trinity Baptist Church in Raleigh as the Student Ministry Intern of a cadre of well over 125 youth. During her time at Trinity, Jenny has worked with all ages as well as written the majority of the curriculum materials, planned and led worship, and participated in local missions as well as missions in Asheville, Charleston, Chicago, Lander, Wyoming, Middlesboro, Kentucky, and San Francisco. For the past two years, she has taught the college department in Bible study and involved them in outreach with the homeless in Raleigh.

After congregational approval, Jenny will start her work at FBCA in mid-May. She will be active in planning summer events and shaping our efforts at Perry County and Passport.

Jenny will be present throughout the weekend of April 16-18 to begin getting to know our youth, parents, and members at FBCA. Welcome, Jenny Lee!