



OUR CANDIDATE JARED BURWELL

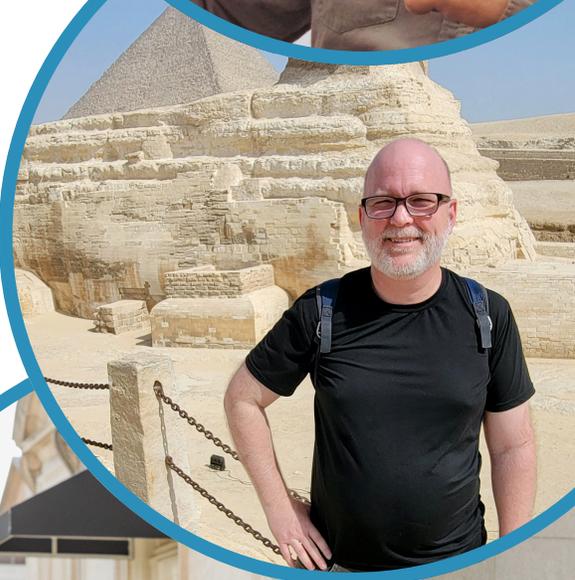
ABOUT PASTOR JARED

Jared Burwell brings over 17 years of pastoral ministry experience serving churches across the country—from Seattle to Richmond—with a calling centered on shepherding people, strengthening the local church, and helping people step out in faith into God's mission. He holds a BA in Christian Leadership from Faith International University in Tacoma and an MA in International Relations from The Fletcher School at Tufts University in Boston. Jared has been married for 23 years to his wife, Corrie, and together they are raising six children, a vocation that daily shapes his pastoral heart with humility, joy, and dependence on Christ. He is deeply passionate about the beauty and mission of the local church and carries a profound love for the global church. Pastor Jared longs to see people set free in the gospel, formed into the likeness of Christ, and sent out as vibrant representatives of Jesus wherever they live, work, and serve.

Originally from Texas, Pastor Jared loves a good Texas bbq. As a family, the Burwells love geography, books, travel, and engaging in global cultures. Pastor Jared grew up building things with his brothers, eventually starting a cabinet shop with them - he still enjoys woodworking in his spare time. Corrie was born and raised in Seattle, is a licensed mental health therapist, and shares a heart for caring and listening to people.

A NOTE FROM PASTOR JARED

“We are so grateful that God has led our family to The Church at Severn Run, and we are truly excited to become part of this church family. From the very first time we heard about you, we sensed a vibrant love for Jesus, a spirit of unity in the midst of diversity, and a shared desire to live on mission in ways that actually made a difference in the lives of people. We found ourselves thinking, ‘Now this is a community we would love to belong to,’ and it became clear that ‘Believe Big’ is not just something you say—it reflects a deep trust in what God is actively doing among you! We look forward to worshiping, serving, and growing in Christ together, and we are eager to see how the Lord will shape us as we join you in His work.”



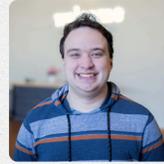
MEET *the* PASTOR SELECTION TEAM



John Bailey



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Laura Espinosa



Darrien Bean

The Pastor Selection Team has been faithfully and diligently seeking God's guidance in discerning the next great pastor of The Church at Severn Run. We are excited to share that God has revealed His choice to the team, and they have unanimously supported a candidate. We are moving forward with Pastor Jared Burwell in view of a call.

As part of this process, Pastor Jared is preaching today at Severn Run during both services as part of a special Business Meeting. All active members of the congregation will have the opportunity to vote either "yes" or "no" on the candidate, affirming his call to become our next Lead Pastor. Ballots can be found inside of the bulletin, at the Welcome Desk, and with our VIP Team members.

To clarify again, only active members are able to vote to affirm our candidate. We are excited to see what God has in store!

- The Church Leadership Council & Pastor Selection Team

Voting Is Open : 9:30a - 12:30p

Active members can fill out a ballot with their full name, personal information, and signature. Each person can fill out a card and check "yes" or "no" to indicate their vote. Please be sure to completely fill out your card and submit it before 12:30p. Please take a moment to prayerfully consider your decision. Be sure to look for ongoing updates and announcements through email, social media, and the bulletin in the coming weeks.