

# Rev. Brian D. Hutchison, M.Div.

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**Objective** Employment as pastor within Metropolitan Community Churches.

**Education** Pacific School of Religion, Berkeley CA  
Master of Divinity, 2009

University of Maryland, College Park  
B.A. Psychology, 2006  
Certificate in LGBT Studies, 2006

**Ordination** Metropolitan Community Churches (UFMCC), 2009

**Religious Leadership** Sunshine Cathedral MCC- Fort Lauderdale, FL  
Director of Volunteer Ministries, 12/10 – 8/11  
Staff Minister, Present

Sunshine Cathedral is a congregation of 600+ members with weekly worship attendance of 500+. I served as the volunteer coordinator, assuring quality of volunteer work and quantity of volunteers in each of our ministry areas. I ministered to volunteers in their work and celebrated their accomplishments publicly in the community. I now serve as a staff pastor by teaching religious education classes, providing one-on-one pastoral care, preaching, participating in Sunday worship, leading mid-week worship, scheduling and leading social events, scheduling and conducting weddings and memorials, and working with the leadership team to ensure quality worship and programming.

New Covenant Metropolitan Community Church- Laurel, MD  
Solo Pastor, 10/09 – 11/10

New Covenant MCC was a small congregation of about 25 members with an average weekly attendance of 20. I was the fulltime pastor and only paid staff. I was in charge of all worship planning, leading worship each week, working with several ministry teams, teaching Christian / religious education classes seasonally, and working closely with the Board of Directors as its Moderator.

California Pacific Medical Center

Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) Internship, 1/09 – 5/09

This intensive hospital chaplaincy included 300 clinical hours visiting patients one-on-one as well as 100 educational hours meeting with a small group and with a supervisor. Clinical hours teach chaplain interns how to respond to immediate spiritual needs of patients and their families in both long-term and emergency care settings. Educational hours allow chaplain interns to tie theological meaning to chaplaincy experiences, as to mature in pastoral care competency and skills.

## Metropolitan Community Church of San Francisco

Candidacy Internship, 9/1/07 – 8/31/08

This internship/field education placement included practicing most facets of ministry in the parish setting including but not limited to administering some of the rites and sacraments, meeting with parishioners in the hospital, teaching religious education, leading group prayer, decorating sacred space, planning and leading worship, preaching, singing solos, laying hands for healing with prayer, and acting as an integral part of the church staff.

## CLGS at Pacific School of Religion

Office Assistant, 10/06 – 8/07

## Episcopal Anglican Campus Ministry at the University of Maryland

Peer Minister, 2/04 - 5/06

Duties: Planning events such as retreats for the ministry, attending weekly staff meetings, continuous spiritual formation with the chaplain, communication with local parishes on chaplaincy needs, ecumenical communication for joint events, coordinating students for group events, preparing worship space, coordination of Sunday night student worship services, preaching several times per year, welcoming of new students.

Episcopal Student Group Officer, 2/04 - 5/06

Duties: Represent the ministry at promotional events and Student Government meetings, assemble and submit the student group's annual budget, maintain funding and allocation of funds for the student group.

## Metropolitan Community Church of Washington, DC

Gospel Choir Member and Soloist, 2003-2006

Preacher and Eucharistic Minister. Member since 2003.

## **Other Work**

### Apple (Computers) Store, San Francisco, 6/08- 2/09

Cashier/Specialist

At this downtown San Francisco store, I gained a greater understanding of patience and teamwork. I also learned to adapt to a rapidly changing work environment, revising my knowledge as technology advanced.

### Barnes & Noble Inc. University Book Center, Seasonally 2002-2005

Customer Service Representative, Stock Keeper, and Cashier during busy textbook seasons.

### Resident Life, University of Maryland, 8/03 - 1/04

Community Assistant

Duties: Greeting students at the community front desk, logging and distributing packages and room keys to students, answering phones to provide community information, reporting community happenings to Resident Director, and participating in Resident Life staff meetings and activities.