Name of ministry: Unity Church in the Woods Address: 4200 32nd Street West,

Bradenton, Fl 34205

Ministry website: unitychurchinthewoods.org

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# The Church:

Unity Church in the Woods has an opening for a fulltime Unity Minister. The church is located on a beautiful 10-acre, wooded campus in the heart of Bradenton, Florida. It serves folks in the Bradenton & Sarasota areas.

#### **Duties:**

Duties include (1) giving the Sunday message, (2) teaching classes, (3) promoting church socials, and (4) ministering to the congregation's needs (hospital visits, home visits, etc.). We are looking for a minister who is pro-growth; an individual who will embrace the ministry with energy, enthusiasm, and integrity. We require that lessons and services be based on biblical teachings and classical unity principles.

# **Congregation:**

Presently, the congregation is small – averaging 25-35 attendees on Sunday. We have seen much higher numbers (200 plus) prior to COVID. The area is growing rapidly and rebuilding the congregation would not be difficult.

### **Compensation:**

- (1) 75% of Sunday tithes
- (2) \$1,000/month stipend
- (3) \$500/month expense account
- (4) 75% of class income
- (5) Two-week paid vacation
- (6) Medical reimbursements negotiable
- (7) Moving expenses negotiable

#### **Governance:**

The church is not governed by the congregation, nor do our bylaws conform to UWM guidelines. The church is governed and supported privately by the Bazzy family.

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# **Description:**

The church sits on a beautiful 10-acre, heavily wooded campus in the center of Bradenton, Florida. It is located five miles from Anna Maria Island and the Gulf of Mexico beaches. Anna Maria Island is the southernmost island that forms Tampa Bay.

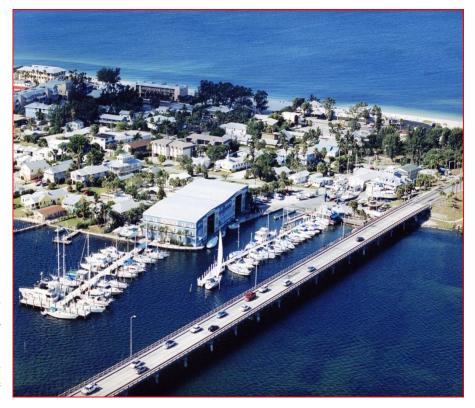


The Bazzy family owns and operates Bradenton Beach Marina. Go to:

bradentonbeachmarina.com.

Marina assets are made available to the church. This is a huge boost for church social events. For example, the church can use boats for shelling and snorkeling, jet skis, dolphin sightseeing tours and the Anna Maria Princes, a 125-passenger paddlewheel boat.

Anna Maria Island is one of the fasted growing Islands on Florida's west coast. It has been voted the #1 tourist destination for years, as well as the top wedding venue in the country.



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**Bradenton Herald Editorials** 

Anna Maria Island in spotlight again - globally. BY BRADENTON HERALD EDITORIAL March 14, 2015



"... The three municipalities on Anna Maria Island, struggling to deal with the overcrowding that popularity brings, now have another claim to fame -- as if islanders want any more notoriety. Conde Nast Traveler selected Coquina Beach as having the best island beach sand in the United States and fifth best in the world. That ought to bring even more tourists, especially with this notation: 'It's laid-back, bordered by towering pines, and boasts of perfect, unspoiled sand as fine as powder.'"

### **Interview:**

If you are interested in applying for this position, send your resumé via email to: allanbazzy@gmail.com.

Please do not call the church or Allan.

Thank you.

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