"You are stronger than you think"
"Embrace the glorious mess you are"
"Faith is possible, not easy"
"SJUCC is like fudge, sweet with a few nuts"
"Imagine loving God as much as Fortnite"
"God, help me be the person my dog thinks I am"

We're a country church at major crossroads, both literally and figuratively. The quotes above are just a few of the hundreds of wonderful messages we've shared with the community on our sign along a bustling commuter highway.

We're St. John's United Church of Christ in Norwood-Young America, MN. We have been a part of the community for over 155 years and are known as the pretty country church with the funny sign. We are small and mighty. We know it is going to take wisdom, open minds, and faith to find that person to help us grow to meet the many opportunities that exist and help us discern how we might make a bigger impact within our community.

We're searching for a 1/2 time pastor who will be working side-by-side, collaborating with the Consistory team, and engaging the congregation. If you're a people-person, a good communicator, a great active listener, understands the complexity of blending existing multi-generational member families with new member families, have a sense of humor, and a love for potlucks, you may be that person God has in mind for us...and we'd love to hear from you!