

Age Demographics Median age: 38.9

Racial/Ethnic Diversity

25.0%

None

Hoover Statistics	
Population:	92,588
Median Household Income:	\$99,276
Median Home Value:	\$363,200
Median Rent:	\$1,212

28.1%

12.4%

White

Black

Hispanic or Latino

Hoover, Alabama hugs the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains. It sits just south of Birmingham and about 300 miles north of the Gulf of Mexico. Hoover is the 6th most populous city in Alabama and it continues to grow.



Why plant more churches in a state that already has so many churches? The Bible belt

needs the gospel! We can see the truth of this in the headlines, in the demographic studies, and most importantly in the stories and tears of our neighbors.

The Evangel Presbytery and the Alabama Church Planting Network are committed to providing mentoring, financial, logistical, and prayer support to plant PCA churches in Alabama.

To reach the lost in Hoover, our ideal church planter will be able to communicate the gospel to high level business leaders and lead a multi-ethnic church.



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## Highlights

Riverchase Galleria, the largest enclosed shopping center in Alabama

In 2021 named Alabama's best city to live in by 24/7 Wall St., a financial news and opinion group, based on four factors: economy, affordability, quality of life, and community.

Recognized by Money, Inc. in the top ten most affluent cities in Alabama.

### Education

(population over age 25)97% High School Grad or higher40% Bachelor's Degree26% Graduate or Professional

# Household Type

Married Couple59%Male householder, no spouse16%Female householder, no spouse22%Cohabitating Couple Household3%

# Employment by Industry



# Candidate Strengths

- Has a heart for reaching Alabama with the gospel
- Intentional in evangelism and connects with unbelievers
- Effective communicator able to communicate the gospel to the secular and the religious
- Ability to connect with business leaders
- Interest in building and leading a multi-ethnic congregation
- Skilled at gathering, training, and empowering people to reach others for Christ

#### Support

- Presbytery committed and mobilized for church planting
- Numerous other church planters in the area
- Alabama Church Planting Network providing structure and vision to support church planters who feel called to Alabama

### Vision

- The kingdom of God expanding in Hoover
- A church that helps people walk deeper in discipleship with Christ
- A church family working together to make an impact for Christ in their city and around the world
- A church in Hoover that joins with other churches in the presbytery to plant more churches



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