

Youth minister: Christ Church Fox Chapel

We are seeking a new Youth Minister to join a godly and loving team, serving a growing and healthy church.

The successful applicant

Core requirements:

The person (or people if a couple were to apply together) will be gospel-focused, love Jesus and be passionate about sharing the good news with young people. They will be comfortable in somewhat conservative or charismatic settings, academically bright, a good communicator, administratively & technologically competent, pastorally sensitive, have a proven ability to draw young people in, and be pro-active in getting things done.

They will help our youth to live under the word and make Christian decisions today and lead them into a lively faith that sustains them beyond high school. Yet our new leader will also be sensitive to where individuals are, many of whom may be enquiring about faith but are not ready to make a commitment.

The members of the youth group who helped shape this document asked for someone relaxed who can let them be themselves, who understands that faith can be a journey and is patient enough to walk it with them, who is fun to be with, energetic, playful, and creative but is not trying to be hip.

The youth minister must have all clearances required by the Commonwealth of PA and complete an online sexual abuse training course (Ministry Safe) before taking up the position.

Desirable but not required:

A member of the Anglican Church in North America
Seminary educated
Ordained
Plays an instrument
Willing to adopt a youth group lizard.

The Job

We are fortunate enough to have some flexibility in the role or roles that we offer. We are willing to expand the core position offered or allow it to develop significantly depending on the qualifications and gifting of the successful applicant(s). This would include a corresponding increase in hours and salary.

The core responsibilities are:

Preparing and planning games, teaching, and ministry for Saturday and Sunday meetings

Running the Saturday and Sunday meetings

Co-ordinating the youth ministry team as needed

Discipleship, training, and pastoral ministry of volunteers

Planning, organizing, and leading special activities such as the youth mission trip, weekends away, evangelistic courses, and Aliens

Working with the office to plan and promote the program.

The process

We suggest praying about it, sharing it with those you trust and seeking the godly counsel of someone who oversees you before applying.

If you are then interested, please submit a copy of your resumé to Bridget Michael, our Church Operations Manager, with a cover letter expressing why you are interested in this role and why you believe that you would be a good fit. There is no need to be too worried about the contents of that letter, just tell us about yourself and your passions, your faith and hopes or concerns and how they relate to this job.

Please provide references that we can call and also feel free to attach copies of any materials that you think we might find helpful such as links to social media, talks you may have given or anything like that that gives us a sense of who you are.

Depending on the number of applicants we may schedule informal visits or calls before drawing up a shortlist of candidates for formal interview.

The deadline for applications is close of business Friday August 23rd 2019. Interviews will be scheduled as soon as possible after that.

Details

Job title: Youth Minister, Christ Church Fox Chapel

Compensation: starting \$15,000 / year

Hours: part-time (10 hours per week) plus a one-week mission trip and two weekend trips a year

Paid vacation: three weekends a year

Depending on the qualifications and gifting of the successful applicant, there is scope to expand the role as advertised, with a corresponding increase in hours and salary.