

Jamestown Presbyterian Church
Position Description
Youth Ministry Director

Position Title: Youth Ministry Director
Reports to: Associate Pastor for Christian Education
Session Oversight: Christian Education
Position Status: Part Time (15-20 hours a week), salaried

Jamestown Presbyterian Church, Jamestown NC, is a vibrant church of growing Disciples. Our Mission is to invite, equip, and reach our world for Jesus Christ. Our desire is to share the Good News of the Gospel with those who don't know Christ and to deepen the relationship of those who love Him.

We are seeking a Youth Ministry Director, to primarily lead our Middle School and Senior High programs in collaboration with the Youth Council. JPC is continuing to grow and attract young families. It is our desire to find the right leadership for our youth program, to aid in this process.

JPC is a unique community of faith where people of all ages work together to show forth God's love through study, fellowship and community service.

Job Summary:

The Youth Ministry Director will strive to foster and nurture the faith of those in this church and the community, particularly those in middle and high school. Inviting all youth to a life of faith, fellowship, service, and fun at JPC is our primary focus. With a future in Jesus Christ, our youth will seek to be joyful disciples better equipped to serve the community in which they live.

Key Responsibilities and Duties:

- Build relationships with students and their families through small group gatherings, attending outside of church events (sports, music, drama), and social media in addition to scheduled youth programs
- Seek out and implement opportunities for youth to serve others through mission (local, national and abroad). This is a key focus for our congregation moving forward.
- Organize promote and participate in all major events and weekly programs. Provide consistent communication with youth, their families, and the congregation through weekly emails and other forms of social media.
- Coordinate gatherings during school vacations and the summer.
- Plan and lead summer trips for both middle school and high school students, roughly two to three weeks each year including Montreat and Massanetta.
- In collaboration with the Christian Education ministry team and the Youth Council, plan and implement the curriculum and programs for both high school and middle school students.

Qualifications:

- Strong Christian faith
- Bachelors degree, with coursework relevant to this position
- Strong planning and organizational skills
- Three years experience in working with youth and/or developing and leading youth programs
- Collaborative leadership
- Energetic, motivated, people person
- Time Flexibility
- A good listener with the ability to communicate with youth, parents and adults
- A commitment needed to build relationships with JPC youth and families, both at JPC and in the community
- Be in total support of the Statement of Faith of the Presbyterian Church and the mission of Jamestown Presbyterian Church

For more information or to submit a resume, please contact:

Application deadline May 30, 2018

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