

Sardis Presbyterian Church

Director of Youth Ministry

Position Overview:

Do you have a gift of connecting with youth? Do you have a heart for serving neighbors? Do you feel called to share the Good News of Jesus Christ to provide hope for the world? Sardis Presbyterian Church is an inclusive community of faith in Charlotte NC committed to exploring faith and changing lives. We are seeking to hire an energetic, fun-loving youth leader. Creativity is key as we emerge from a global pandemic. We are looking for someone who can walk with our youth, create a caring environment, and foster meaningful experiences as they learn about God's love and vision for their lives.

Responsibilities:

- Be creative and innovative in rebuilding a post-pandemic youth ministry
- Oversee all youth programming, including Sunday School, youth group, mission opportunities, retreats, trips, and annual Youth Sunday
- Develop faith sharing and faith building relationships with youth and their families
- Support youth in their activities outside the church—go where they are
- Provide spiritual leadership for youth and their families and offer ways to respond to the love of Christ both in the congregation and the community
- Recruit, train, and nurture youth advisers and other volunteers
- Provide pastoral care for youth and their families, and refer to pastors
- Communicate with youth and their parents using social media and other emerging platforms
- Provide pastoral care to youth and families in need of care and coordinate this care with pastoral staff.
- Develop intergenerational connections with the youth and the congregation.
- Create an inclusive and safe space for all

Other Responsibilities:

- Serve as staff representative to Youth Ministry and other ministries as needed
- Participate in worship leadership and other church activities
- Cooperate with the Associate Pastor for Families by performing other duties when requested

Qualifications:

- Bachelors Degree
- Leadership experience in youth ministry

Compensation

Sardis Presbyterian seeks to discover who God is calling into this position, whether that is full time or part time. The base salary with benefits is \$50,000 or commensurate with experiences. A part-time role, approximately 25 hours per week, would have a base salary of \$25,000 without benefits, but with an option to grow into a full-time position.

Apply

Interested, qualified applicants are invited to send a resume and cover letter to employment@sardis.org