

Job Description for Youth Minister

Our Mission - To become a Community of Christ-followers that love God and express His love to others (Mark 12:30-31)

Purpose of Youth Minister: To lead a ministry that develops youth who love God, love each other, and make a difference in our community and world.

Responsibilities:

- Pastor the youth of NorthRidge Fellowship
- Recruit, develop, equip, and encourage a team of volunteers to invest in the lives of students
- Organize an active youth program that engages students from our church family, encourages them to invite their friends, and welcomes everyone who comes
- Provide teaching that is focused on growing authentic faith in students in all stages of their journey with Christ
- Execute an intentional biblical teaching plan throughout the time students are in the youth ministry
- Work with students, parents and volunteer team to organize regular events
- Participate in retreats and summer camp opportunities through Trout Lake Camp
- Work with the missions pastor to provide opportunities for students to share their faith as they
 meet needs in our community and in our world
- Provide consistent, clear communication with parents and students
- Manage the youth ministry budget
- Organize, maintain, and purchase equipment & supplies necessary for youth ministry
- Keep the youth room organized and maintained
- Participate in whole church initiatives, projects, and events
- Preach occasionally

Skills and Knowledge Required

- Strive to walk in personal relationship with Christ and exhibit a godly life
- Passionate love for God, his Word, and his Church
- Be a servant leader A team player with a positive attitude
- Highly relational person with good people skills
- Understanding of current youth culture and able to personally connect with youth
- Comprehensive Bible knowledge
- Good communication skills in person, up front, and through the use of technology
- Strong organizational leadership skills; able to recruit, manage and equip students, parents and other volunteers to teach, mentor, and care for large groups of students
- Substantial experience leading a youth ministry of over 100 students is preferred
- College degree required, seminary or other biblical education preferred