

First, Jonesboro Seeks Youth Director

First Presbyterian, Jonesboro has an opening beginning in September for a part-time (10-12 hours per week) Youth Director to plan and lead regular weekly activities for youth in grades 6-12 and their guests, promote youth programs, plan camps and mission projects, and coordinate adult volunteers.

Submit a resume and three references, including one from your pastor, to Rev. Guy Delaney at gdelaney@suddenlinkmail.com

Part Time Youth Director

First Presbyterian Church, Jonesboro, Arkansas

Vision Statement:

To create a sense of community and connect youth to Christ, the church, and each other through Sunday activities, camps, conferences, field trips, and mission projects.

Accountability:

The Youth Director reports to the Pastor.

Qualifications:

The qualified candidate shall be a minimum of 23 years of age. A college degree is preferred. Experience in working with youth is required; experience in a leadership role is preferred. Preferred candidates will be supportive of the reformed faith and will be an active member of their church, including involvement in their church's youth program.

Responsibilities:

- Plan weekly activities for youth in grades 6 through 12 and their guests.
- Promote youth programs among the youth and their parents.
- Plan and participate in youth camps and mission projects.
- Coordinate with adult volunteers assisting in youth activities.
- Plan dinners following youth events on Sunday evenings.
- Adhere to all established church policies, including building use and van use policies.

Goals:

- Grow our youth groups so as to have separate middle and high school groups—a minimum of twelve youth in each group.
- Have Sunday evening youth groups that attract and keep youth involved.
- Help move youth from their various activities and programs into regular worship on Sunday morning.

Send our youth to two denominational youth events each year:

- Mo-Ranch Junior High Jubilee, Mo-Ranch Youth Celebration, or Montreat Youth Conference
- Ferncliff youth camps
- Presbyterian Youth Triennium, Purdue University

Involve our youth in two mission or service projects each year, one of which must be in Jonesboro

Time Commitment Required:

This permanent, part-time position begins September, 2010. Regular weekly activities are expected to require ten to twelve hours per week. Additional time commitment for periodic activities will be compensated for separately.

Interested Candidates:

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