Westminster Presbyterian Church 2021 Director of Youth and Family Ministries - Job Description

Our vision at Westminster Presbyterian Church (WPC) is "*Inviting people to life in Christ, lived together, for the sake of others*". For more information about our church and ministries please visit <u>Westminster</u> <u>Presbyterian Church</u>

The WPC Director of Youth and Family Ministries will cultivate this vision by (including example activities):

- <u>Recruiting, Training and Developing Adult Volunteer leaders to engage in student ministry</u> Organize a Youth Ministry support team; Integrate youth into the larger church community; Conduct regular meetings of adult volunteers and student leaders for training, encouragement and prayer.
- <u>Cultivating relationships with students and encourage them to grow as followers of Jesus Christ</u> Disciple young people individually and in groups in their personal relationship with Jesus Christ; Emphasize knowledge of and application of Scripture; Cultivate fellowship among the youth; Provide opportunities for meaningful Christian service in conjunction with the broader WPC community.
- Equipping parents to foster a discipleship culture in their homes Build Relationships with parents and families; provide spiritual support and counsel; offer growth and educational opportunities focused on culturally relevant understandings and tools
- <u>Contributing as part of the WPC Church Staff</u> Collaborate with other church leadership teams such as Christian Education, Congregational Care and Missions to integrate with Youth and Families; Work closely with the Director of Children's Ministry on transition and family integration; Assist in leading Sunday worship on occasion.

A successful candidate for the Director of Youth and Family Ministry position is one who demonstrates:

- A strong, mature and evident personal relationship with Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior
- A clear calling and passion to work with youth and their parents/families with creativity and innovative thinking
- Humility and a desire to learn and grow
- Effective leadership and relationship building with students, parents and volunteers
- Credibility with parents in understanding the challenges they face; ability to counsel in times of crisis
- Effectiveness and experience in recruiting, training and equipping volunteer leaders to shepherd students
- Capability to work closely with other church staff and lay leaders to live out the mission and vision of the church
- Excellent multi-channel communication skills: Phone, Email, Social Media, Church Communications, etc.
- Minimum Education Required: College degree
- Ministry Experience: Minimum of 5 years professional experience leading Student Ministry with a clear calling for Family Ministry
- ECO Tenants: Subscribe wholeheartedly to the Essential Tenets of ECO

Supervision: The Director of Youth and Family Ministry reports to the Senior Pastor. This is a full-time position which provides benefits for the successful candidate. Salary will be commensurate with skill and experience level.

To Apply: Email Resume/CV and cover letter to apply@wpc-clt.org