

Director of Youth Ministries

Blair Road United Methodist Church (BRUMC)

We are searching for the right candidate to build young disciples for Christ by developing and implementing a comprehensive approach to youth ministry (in the areas of group building, worship, discipleship, mission, and outreach) while serving as a spiritual leader and role model for youth grades 6 through 12. This position reports directly to the Senior Pastor.

Our educational requirements are a Bachelor's Degree and at least 2 years experience in leading a youth group. The position also requires the candidate to be a self-starter, able to work collaboratively with other staff members to execute the BRUMC mission, able to communicate youth activities to the congregation, and able to work with volunteers to plan a holistic youth program. If you have not taken these classes, within the first year of employment you would complete a class on John Wesley and Methodism.

Traits desired: Dependable, Consistent, Creative, Good Character, Flexible, Organized, Enthusiastic, Honest, Loving, Levelheaded, Punctual

General Responsibilities:

- Coordinate and develop age-appropriate Sunday am Small group curriculum for ages 6-12
- Plan, coordinate and participate in Wednesday evening Youth small groups, Bible Study, discussions or other programming supporting the BRUMC mid-week activities
- Plan, coordinate and participate in Youth Fellowship activities on Sunday evenings
- Provide up-to-date calendar of youth activities
- Support individual youth by attending sports events, performing arts events, or other activities youth participate in outside of church activities
- Work in collaboration with the Director of Adult Ministries to develop small group opportunities for collegiate and young adults
- Follow all Safe Sanctuary requirements
- Serve as a resource for the Confirmation program
- Work in partnership with the staff and Connection Team to effectively reach unchurched youth in the community and develop a strategic youth ministry outreach plan
- Design, recruit and direct a Summer Mission Week for rising 5th and 6th graders
- Collaborate to organize connectional activities to provide a bridge between the Pre-Teen Program and the Youth Program
- Address conflict constructively in a biblical and professional manner
- Occasionally participate in worship service leadership
- Involve youth in missions and outreach

- Encourage and provide avenues for the youth to participate in all aspects of the life of the church
- Prepare and administer the Youth budget

For a more detailed job description, contact the Staff Parrish Committee at brumc-sprc@windstream.net

This is a full-time job with benefits. Salary range is \$30,000-\$40,000